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No. 42 of 1952.

An Act to revise the Statute Law and for other purposes.

[Assented to 4th December, 1952.]

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows :

1. This Act may be cited as the "Statute Law Revision Act, 1952". Short title.
2. The Acts mentioned in the first schedule to this Act are repealed. Repeal of certain Acts.
3. The Acts mentioned in the second schedule to this Act are amended in the manner shown in the said schedule. Amendment of certain Acts.

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

J. M. NAPIER, Lieutenant-Governor.

SCHEDULES.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

ACTS REPEALED.

Number and Year of Act.	Short Title of Act.
No. 26 of 1940	French Red Cross Fund Act, 1940
No. 7 of 1941	Remission of Fees Act, 1941
No. 12 of 1942	Remission of Registration Fees Act, 1942
No. 20 of 1942	Producer Gas Equipment Act, 1942
No. 6 of 1943	Life Assurance Companies Act (Partial Suspension) Act, 1943

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

ACTS AMENDED.

Short Title of Act.	How Amended.
Stamp Duties Act, 1923-1952	Section 109a (as enacted by section 3 of the Stamp Duties Act Amendment Act, 1942) is repealed. Second schedule— (a) Paragraph 22 (as inserted by section 4 of the Stamp Duties Act Amendment Act, 1942) is struck out. (b) In paragraph 23 (as inserted by section 4 of the Stamp Duties Act Amendment Act, 1944, and amended by section 3 of the Stamp Duties Act Amendment Act, 1945, and section 4 of the Stamp Duties Act Amendment Act, 1952) insert the following paragraph at the end of the definition of "prescribed person"— For the purposes of paragraph (a) and paragraph (b) of this definition, a war shall be deemed to continue from the commencement thereof until the day declared by the Governor by proclamation to be the day on which the war shall be deemed to cease.
Succession Duties Act, 1929-1951	Section 55a—In subsection (2) (as enacted by section 3 of the Succession Duties Act Amendment Act, 1940) strike out "on which a proclamation is issued by the Commonwealth declaring that that war has ceased," and insert "declared by the Governor by proclamation to be the day on which that war shall be deemed to cease."
Evidence Act, 1929-1949 ..	Section 66a (as enacted by section 3 of the Evidence Act Amendment Act, 1941)— (a) In line 2 of subsection (1) strike out "during any war in which the Commonwealth is engaged". (b) Strike out the whole of subsection (4).
Crown Lands Act, 1929-1944	Section 211a (as enacted by section 10 of the Crown Lands Act Amendment Act, 1940)—In the definition of the "end of the present war" in subsection (2) strike out "on which the Governor-General of the Commonwealth issues a proclamation that war no longer exists" and insert "declared by the Governor by proclamation to be the day on which the war shall be deemed to cease".

THE SECOND SCHEDULE—*continued.*ACTS AMENDED—*continued.*

Short Title of Act.	How Amended.
Weights and Measures Act, 1934-1944 Road Traffic Act, 1934-1951	Section 56a (as enacted by section 3 of the Weights and Measures Act Amendment Act, 1944) is repealed. Section 36a (as enacted by section 6 of the Road Traffic Act Amendment Act, 1940, and amended by section 8 of the Road Traffic Act Amendment Act (No. 2), 1945)—In lines 4 and 5 of subsection (2) strike out "Commonwealth issues a proclamation declaring that that war has ceased" and insert "day declared by the Governor by proclamation to be the day on which that war shall be deemed to cease."
Pharmacy Act, 1935-1951 .	Section 22a (as enacted by section 3 of the Pharmacy Act Amendment Act, 1942) is repealed.
Emergency Powers Act, 1941	Section 2—In lines 4 and 5 of the definition of "the continuance of any war" in subsection (1) strike out "Governor-General has issued a proclamation declaring that the war has ceased", and insert "day declared by the Governor by proclamation to be the day on which the war shall be deemed to cease".
Shearers Accommodation Act Amendment Act, 1947	Section 2—In lines 7 and 8 of subsection (2) strike out "on which a proclamation is issued by the Governor-General declaring that the said war has ceased" and insert "declared by the Governor by proclamation to be the day on which the war shall be deemed to cease".
Wrongs Act, 1936-1951....	Section 27a—At the end of subsection (2) add the words "and in a case where the claim arises out of the death of a person, a fault of the deceased shall be deemed to be a fault of the claimant". Subsection (5) is repealed.