

VICTORIA.



ANNO QUARTO

EDWARDI SEPTIMI REGIS.

No. 1907.

An Act to amend the Juries Acts.

[27th September, 1904.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of Victoria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows (that is to say):—

1. This Act may be cited as the *Juries Act* 1904, and shall be read and construed as one with the *Juries Act* 1890, and the said Act and any Act amending the same and this Act may be cited together as the *Juries Acts*.

Short title and construction.
Nos. 1104, 1391.

2. On proof on oath or affidavit to the satisfaction of the Judge of any court before which any person is summoned as a juror that such person ought to be excused from attendance by reason of any matter of special urgency or importance, such Judge may if he thinks fit discharge in open court such person from further attendance on such court or excuse such person from attendance for any period during the sittings of such court.

Power of Judge to discharge or excuse person summoned as a juror.
See 39 & 40 Vict. c. 78 s. 15.

3. Justices of the Peace shall be exempt from serving as jurors if and whenever they so desire. Provided that on the application of any Justice of the Peace personal or by writing a Revision Court shall omit his name from the list then being revised.

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