

No. 4472.

An Act to make provision with Respect to the Enforcement of certain Orders of Courts of Petty Sessions.

[2nd September, 1937.]

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 *Justices (Enforcement of Orders) Act 1937* and shall be read and construed as one with the *Justices Act 1928* and any Act amending the same which Acts and this Act may be cited together as the *Justices Acts*.

Short title construction and citation. Nos. 3708, 4324.

2. (1) Where by or under any Act (including any of the *Justices Acts*) now or hereafter in force a power (whether or not expressed as a power to make an order) is given to a court of petty sessions—

Orders of courts of petty sessions other than for the payment of money.

Comp. 42 & 43 Vict. c. 49 s. 34.

(a) of requiring any person to do or abstain from doing any act or thing other than the payment of money ; or

(b) of requiring any act or thing other than the payment of money to be done or left undone—

and no mode of enforcing such requisition is prescribed by or under any Act, the court may exercise such power by an order or orders, and may annex to any such order any conditions as to time or mode of action which are authorized by or under any Act or which the court thinks just, and may suspend or rescind any such order on such undertaking being given or condition being performed as the court thinks just and generally may make such arrangement for carrying into effect such power as the court thinks fit.

(2) A person making default in complying with any such order shall for such default be liable to pay a fine of not more than One pound for every day during which he is in default, or to be imprisoned until he has remedied his

Enforcement of such orders.

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default or caused such default to be remedied: Provided that a person shall not, for non-compliance with the requisition of a court of petty sessions, whether made by one or more orders, to do or abstain from doing any act or thing, be liable under this section to imprisonment for a period or periods amounting in the aggregate to more than two months or to the payment of any sums exceeding in the aggregate Twenty pounds.

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