

No. 4011.

An Act to make provision with respect to certain  
Payments under the Licensing Acts.

[30th December, 1931.]

**B**E 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 *Licensing (Half-yearly Payments) Act 1931* and shall be read and construed as one with the *Licensing Act 1928* (hereinafter called the Principal Act) and any Act amending the same all of which Acts and this Act may be cited together as the Licensing Acts.

Short title  
construction  
and citation.  
Nos. 3717, 3832,  
3894, 3914,  
3961 s. 40, 4001.

2. (1) Notwithstanding anything in the Licensing Acts where any certificate is issued by a licensing court at an annual sitting of the court authorizing the issue or renewal of a licence the payment of the sum (including the added annual value, if any) set out in such certificate may, if the person named in the certificate so elects, be made to the Treasurer or receiver of revenue in as nearly as may be two equal amounts but so that the second of such amounts does not include any fraction of a pound.

Provision for  
payment of  
licence fees  
and added  
annual value by  
half-yearly  
instalments.

(2) At the same time as the first of such amounts is paid there shall in addition be paid an amount equal to Five per centum of the second of such amounts.

(3) The first of such amounts shall be paid within twenty-eight days after the date of the granting or endorsing (as the case may be) of such certificate and the second of such amounts shall be paid on or before the tenth day of June next following.

(4) If the first of such amounts together with such additional amount is paid as hereinbefore provided the licence specified in the certificate shall thereupon be issued, but if such amounts are not so paid the certificate shall be void ; and if the second of such amounts is not paid as

hereinbefore

hereinbefore provided the licence shall after the thirtieth day of June next following the issue of such licence become void and of no further effect.

Application of  
No. 3717 s. 105  
to non-payment  
and late  
payment.

(5) The provisions of section one hundred and five of the Principal Act with regard to the non-payment or late payment of licence fees shall apply with such adaptations as are necessary to the non-payment or late payment of any such amount.