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No. 2 of 1965

An Act to amend the Industries Development Act, 1941-1958, to amend the Land Settlement Act, 1944-1959, as amended, and for other purposes.

[Assented to 24th June, 1965.]

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

Short titles.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Statutes Amendment (Industries Development and Land Settlement Committees) Act, 1965".

(2) The Industries Development Act, 1941-1958, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Industries Development Act, 1941-1965".

(3) The Land Settlement Act, 1944-1959, as amended from time to time, is in this Act referred to as the "Land Settlement Act".

(4) The Land Settlement Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Land Settlement Act, 1944-1965".

Amendment of s. 4 and enactment of s. 12a of Industries Development Act—

2. (1) The Industries Development Act, 1941-1958, is amended—

(a) by inserting after subsection (1) of section 4 thereof the following subsection:—

(1a) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (1) of this section—

(a) If the Governor receives from the President of the Legislative Council a message that the Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council has certified that no member of the Council belonging to the group led by the said Leader is available for appointment to the Committee, the members of the Committee shall be one member of the Council and three members of the House of Assembly one of whom shall be selected by those members of the House of Assembly who belong to the group led by the Leader of the Opposition in that House, and one other person ;

(b) If the Governor receives from the President of the Legislative Council a message that the Leader of the Opposition in the Legislative Council has certified that no member of the Council belonging to the group led by the said Leader is available for appointment to the Committee, the members of the Committee shall be one member of the Council and three members of the House of Assembly two of whom shall be selected by those members of the House of Assembly who belong to the group led by the Leader of the Opposition in that House, and one other person.

(b) by inserting therein after section 12 thereof the following section :—

12a. (1) The office of chairman or of member of the Committee shall not on account of any payment received pursuant to this Act or otherwise, be deemed to be an office of profit within the meaning of section 45 of the Constitution Act, 1934-1963.

Payments
not to
disqualify.

(2) The chairman or a member of the Committee shall not by reason of holding office or on account of any payment under this Act be deemed to undertake, execute, hold, enjoy, enter into or accept any contract, agreement or

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commission made or entered into with, under, or from any person or persons for or on account of the Government of the State within the meaning of any provision of the Constitution Act, 1934-1963.

(3) The seat in Parliament of the chairman or a member or his election to Parliament shall not be vacant or void nor shall he be incapable of sitting or voting as a member of Parliament or liable to any forfeiture or penalty for so sitting or voting by reason only of his holding any such office or accepting such payment.

(2) The amendment effected by paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of this section shall be deemed to have come into force at the commencement of the Industries Development Act, 1941.

Amendment of
ss. 4, 5, 8 and
27a of Land
Settlement
Act.

3. The Land Settlement Act is amended as follows :—

(a) by inserting after subsection (2) of section 4 thereof the following subsection :—

(2a) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (2) of this section, if the Governor receives from the President of the Legislative Council a message that the Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council has certified that no member of the Council belonging to the group led by the said Leader is available for appointment to the Committee, or a message that the Leader of the Opposition in the Council has certified that no member of the Council belonging to the group led by the Leader of the Opposition in the Council is available for appointment to the Committee, then in either of such events one of the members of the Committee shall be a member of the Legislative Council and six shall be members of the House of Assembly ;

(b) by striking out subsection (1) of section 5 thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following subsection :—

(1) Subject to section 6 of this Act, every member of the Committee holding office at the time of the passing of the Statutes Amendment (Industries Development and Land Settlement Committees) Act, 1965, and any person appointed to a casual vacancy occurring on the Committee before the thirty-first day of December, One thousand

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nine hundred and sixty-seven shall hold office until the thirty-first day of December, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven.

- (c) by striking out the word "six" in subsection (2) of section 8 thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five";
- (d) by striking out the word "seventeen" in subsection (4) of section 27a thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the word "nineteen".

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

EDRIC BASTYAN, Governor.