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**No. 19 of 1943.**

An Act to amend the Apiaries Act, 1931-1935.

[Assented to 16th December, 1943.]

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

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Apiaries Act Amendment Act, 1943". Short title.

(2) The Apiaries Act, 1931-1935, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Apiaries Act, 1931-1943".

(3) The Apiaries Act, 1931-1935, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

2. Section 12 of the principal Act is amended so as to read as follows :— Amendment of principal Act s. 12—

12. (1) No person shall bring any bees or cause any bees to be brought into Kangaroo Island. Prohibition of keeping other than Ligurian bees on Kangaroo Island.

Penalty—Not exceeding twenty pounds.

(2) Any inspector or member of the police force—

(a) may go on board and inspect any ship, boat or vessel in or near any of the harbours of Kangaroo Island and may seize and destroy any bees found thereon and any hive or receptacle in which the bees may be ;

(b) may go on board and inspect any ship, boat or vessel or enter and inspect any aeroplane which is about to proceed to Kangaroo Island

and may seize and detain any bees found thereon or therein and any hive or receptacle in which the bees may be.

(3) No person shall keep or cause to be kept in Kangaroo Island any bees other than pure Ligurian bees.

Penalty—Not exceeding twenty pounds.

(4) Any inspector or member of the police force may search any vehicle in Kangaroo Island and may enter upon and inspect any land in Kangaroo Island and may seize and destroy any bees found therein or thereon which are other than pure Ligurian bees and may destroy any hive or receptacle in which the bees may be: Provided that if any hive of bees found as aforesaid consists of Italian bees and is the property of any person, the Minister shall require the owner of the bees to re-queen the hive with a queen bee of pure Ligurian strain and to be supplied by the Minister, and if within the time fixed by the Minister the owner refuses or neglects to carry out the said requirements the bees and any hive or receptacle in which the bees are may be destroyed as aforesaid.

(5) The Governor may by proclamation declare that bees shall not be brought from any specified part of Kangaroo Island into any other part of Kangaroo Island and may by proclamation revoke or vary any such proclamation.

(6) No person shall bring any bees or cause any bees to be brought into any part of Kangaroo Island contrary to the provisions of any proclamation made under subsection (5).

Penalty— Not exceeding twenty pounds.

(7) If any bees are brought into any part of Kangaroo Island contrary to the provisions of any proclamation made under subsection (5), any inspector or member of the police force may seize and destroy the bees and any hive or receptacle in which the bees may be.

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

C. M. BARCLAY-HARVEY, Governor.