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GEORGII VI REGIS.

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No. 40 of 1951.

An Act to amend the Wheat Industry Stabilization Act, 1948.

[Assented to 6th December, 1951.]

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 "Wheat Industry Stabilization Act Amendment Act, 1951". Short titles.

(2) The Wheat Industry Stabilization Act, 1948, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Wheat Industry Stabilization Act, 1948-1951".

(3) The Wheat Industry Stabilization Act, 1948, is hereinafter called "the principal Act".

2. This Act is incorporated with the principal Act and that Act and this Act shall be read as one Act. Incorporation.

3. This Act shall come into operation on the first day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-one. Commencement of Act.

4. Section 14 of the principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsections (the previous part of section 14 being read as subsection (1) thereof) :— Amendment of s. 14 of principal Act—Home consumption price of wheat.

(2) The board may sell wheat in the State as feed for poultry, pigs, or dairy cattle at a price per bushel equal to the price which would be applicable under the provisions of the last preceding subsection increased by two shillings.

(3) The price charged by the board in pursuance of the last preceding subsection shall not exceed a price calculated on the basis of a price of fourteen shillings per bushel for wholesale sales of bulk wheat of fair average quality f.o.r. ports.

(4) Subsection (2) of this section does not apply to a sale where the quantity of wheat comprised in the sale, together with the aggregate of the quantities of wheat comprised in all other sales which the board has, in the year which commenced on the first day of December next preceding the date of the sale, made in Australia of wheat as feed for poultry, pigs, or dairy cattle, would exceed twenty-six million bushels.

(5) The board may sell wheat in the State—

(a) as feed for animals other than poultry, pigs or dairy cattle ; or

(b) as feed for poultry, pigs, or dairy cattle where, in the year which commenced on the first day of December next preceding the date of the sale, the board has sold in Australia as such feed not less than twenty-six million bushels of wheat,

at a price calculated on the basis of a price of sixteen shillings and one penny per bushel for wholesale sales of bulk wheat of fair average quality f.o.r. ports.

(6) Where the board makes in the State a sale of wheat to a purchaser who requires the wheat for transport to another State, the board may sell the wheat at a price equal to the price otherwise applicable under this section, less the estimated costs of and incidental to transporting the wheat to, and landing it at, the principal port in that other State.

(7) If it appears to the Governor that, in relation to the supply of wheat, produced in one State, for consumption in another State (being a State in which adequate supplies of local wheat are not available) the board is not observing the principle that the costs of and incidental to transporting such wheat to the principal port of that other State are to be borne by the board, the Governor may, by proclamation published in the *Gazette*, suspend the operation of subsection (2) of this section.

(8) The Governor may revoke a proclamation under the last preceding subsection, and thereupon the suspension effected by the proclamation so revoked shall cease.

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

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor.