LIQUOR (AMENDMENT) ACT.

Act No. 49, 1929.

An Act to restrict the granting of new publican's George V. No. 49, 1929. or Australian wine licenses; to restrict the removal of publican's licenses in the Parramatta and Ryde Licensing Districts; to validate certain payments out of the Compensation Fund; to amend the Liquor (Amendment) Act, 1919, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 23rd December, 1929.]

DE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, By and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Liquor (Amend-Short title. ment) Act, 1929," and shall be read with the Liquor Act, 1912, and the Liquor (Amendment) Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts.

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2. Section six of the Liquor (Amendment) Act, Amendment of Act No. 42, 1919, s. 6. 1919, is amended—

(a) by inserting at the end of the section the fol-Restriction lowing paragraph:—

A petition shall have no force or effect licenses. under this section for any purpose whatsoever, nor shall any action be taken thereon unless it was presented to the Governor before the commencement of the Liquor (Amendment) Act, 1929.

(b) by omitting paragraph (c) and by inserting in lieu thereof the following paragraph:-

(c) no application for the removal of an existing license to the premises specified in the petition is pending before the Licensing Court.

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- 3. (1) Section sixteen of the Liquor (Amendment) Restriction as to removals Act, 1923, shall apply to licensed premises in the of publican's Parramatta Licensing District and the Ryde Licensing District as well as to licensed premises in the Metropolitan Licensing District and the Newcastle Licensing District.
 - (2) Nothing in this section shall affect any proceeding pending before the Licensing Court of any district at the commencement of this Act.

- 4: (1) Subsection (5A) of section eight of the Liquor of Act No. 42, (Amendment) Act, 1919 (inserted by section four of . the Liquor (Amendment) Act, 1923), is amended—
 - (a) by omitting paragraph (a) and by inserting in lieu thereof the following new paragraph:—
 - (a) There shall be charged upon and paid out of the Compensation Fund hereafter provided—
 - (i) the remuneration, salaries, administrative expenses, and allowances of the licensing magistrates, of the secretary to the licensing magistrates, and of the secretary and other officers of the board;
 - (ii) all administrative expenses actually incurred in carrying out the work. of the board;
 - (b) by omitting from paragraph (b) the words "and to the extent specified therein."
 - (2) The payment out of the compensation fund prior to the commencement of this Act of the whole of the remuneration, salaries, administrative expenses, and allowances of the licensing magistrates, the secretary to the licensing magistrates, and of the secretary and other officers of the board is hereby validated.