



ANNO DECIMO QUINTO

GEORGII V REGIS.

A.D. 1924.

No. 1616.

An Act to amend the Early Closing Acts, 1911 to 1923.

[Assented to, November 6th, 1924.]

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 "Early Closing Act Amendment Act, 1924." Short titles.
- (2) The Early Closing Acts, 1911 to 1923, and this Act may be cited together as the "Early Closing Acts, 1911 to 1924." No. 1062 of 1911.
No. 1104 of 1912.
- (3) The Early Closing Act, 1911, is hereinafter called "the principal Act."

2. This Act is incorporated with the Early Closing Acts, 1911 to 1923, and those Acts and this Act shall be read as one Act. Incorporation.

3. Section 34 of the principal Act is amended— Amendment of
principal Act, s. 34—
Alteration of time for
registration of shops.
 - (a) by striking out the words "three months" in the fifth line of subsection (2) thereof and inserting in lieu of those words, the words "twenty-one days";
 - (b) by striking out the words "twenty-one days" (twice occurring) in the seventh and ninth lines of subsection (2) thereof and inserting in lieu of those words, the words "three days".

Early Closing Act Amendment Act.—1924.

Amendment of
principal Act, s. 37—
Closing time for
butchers' shops in
Metropolitan Area.

4. Section 37 of the principal Act (as amended by section 13 of the Early Closing Act Amendment Act, 1923) is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsection:—

(3) With respect to butchers' shops within the Metropolitan Shopping District subsection (1) of this section shall be read as if the words "six o'clock" were substituted for the words "nine o'clock" in paragraph (a) thereof.

Amendment of
principal Act, s. 38—
Consequential
amendment.

5. Section 38 of the principal Act (as amended by section 14 of the Early Closing Act Amendment Act, 1923) is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following subsection:—

(3) With respect to butchers' shops within the Metropolitan Shopping District subsection (1) hereof shall be read as if the words "six o'clock" were substituted for the words "nine o'clock" in paragraph iv. thereof, and every reference in the said subsection to section 37 shall be deemed a reference to that section as construed with respect to butchers' shops within the Metropolitan Shopping District.

Amendment of
principal Act,
the First Schedule—
Exemption of book
shops, etc.

6. The First Schedule to the principal Act is amended by striking out line (9) thereof and inserting in lieu of that line the following:—

(9) Book shops, newsvendors' shops, and book-stalls.

Repeal of sections 17
and 18 of 1104 of
1912.
Consequential
amendment.

7. Sections 17 and 18 of the Early Closing Act Amendment Act, 1912, are hereby repealed.

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

TOM BRIDGES, Governor.