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No. 41 of 1952.

An Act to amend the Road Traffic Act, 1934-1951.

[Assented to 4th December, 1952.]

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 “Road Traffic Amendment Act 1952”.

   (2) The Road Traffic Act, 1934-1951, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the “Road Traffic Act, 1934-1952”.

   (3) The Road Traffic Act, 1934-1951, is hereinafter referred to as “the principal Act”.

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

3. Section 9 of the principal Act is amended by inserting therein after sub-paragraph (c) of paragraph (13) the following sub-paragraph:

   (c1) any motor vehicle which is owned by the corporation or council of a municipality or by any district council, or by any controlling authority under Part XIX. of the Local Government Act, 1934-1951, and is used solely or mainly for the collection and transport of household rubbish.
4. Section 40c of the principal Act is amended by adding at the end of subsection (1) thereof the following proviso:

Provided that a trailer drawn by a motor vehicle fitted with such a device need not itself be so fitted.

5. Section 57 of the principal Act is amended by striking out the words "breach of this Part" in the second line and inserting in lieu thereof the words "offence against any provision of this Act relating to motor vehicles".

6. The following section is enacted and inserted in the principal Act after section 70d thereof:

70da. If a person is convicted of having driven or used a vehicle in contravention of section 53 of this Act, and an insurer pays any money or incurs any costs in respect of a claim for death or bodily injury caused by such driving or use of the vehicle, the insurer may recover the amount of the money so paid and the costs so incurred from the person so convicted.

7. Section 130b is amended—

(a) by striking out the words "on any road" in the second line of subsection (1); and

(b) by inserting after the word "traffic" in the third line of subsection (1) the words "on the road".

8. Section 156a of the principal Act is amended by inserting after the figures and letter "40a" in the third line of subsection (2) the figures and letter "section 43b;".

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

J. M. NAPIER, Lieutenant-Governor.