No. 24 of 1961

An Act to amend the Constitution Act, 1934-1959.

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 “Constitution Act Amendment Act, 1961”.

(2) The Constitution Act, 1934-1959, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the “Constitution Act, 1934-1961”.

(3) The Constitution Act, 1934-1959, 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. (1) Subsection (1) of section 73a of the principal Act is amended by striking out paragraphs (a) and (b) thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following paragraphs:

(a) In respect of the whole of the financial year commencing on the first day of July one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one an expenses allowance at the rate of seven thousand pounds a year;

(b) in respect of each subsequent financial year an expenses allowance at an annual rate arrived at by dividing the sum of seven thousand pounds by 1231 and
multiplying the quotient by the consumer price index (as hereinafter defined) for the quarter ended on the thirty-first day of March preceding the commencement of the said financial year and by adjusting the product to the nearest multiple of fifty pounds;

(2) Subsection (5) of section 73a of the principal Act is struck out and the following subsection is inserted in the said section in lieu thereof:

(5) In this section the expression "consumer price index" means the quarterly consumer price index number for Adelaide prepared and published by the Commonwealth Statistician from time to time.

Reserved for the signification of Her Majesty the Queen's pleasure thereon.

J. M. NAPIER, Governor's Deputy.