No. 117 of 1972


[Assented to 23rd November, 1972]

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 “Rural Industry Assistance (Special Provisions) Act Amendment Act (No. 2), 1972”.

(2) The Rural Industry Assistance (Special Provisions) Act, 1971-1972, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the “Rural Industry Assistance (Special Provisions) Act, 1971-1972”.

(3) The Rural Industry Assistance (Special Provisions) Act, 1971-1972, is hereinafter referred to as “the principal Act”.

2. This Act shall come into operation on a day to be fixed by proclamation.

3. The long title to the principal Act is amended by inserting after the passage “Rural Industry” the passage “that Provides, amongst other things, for the Giving of Financial Assistance for the Purpose of Discharging all or any of the Debts of Farmers”.

4. Section 4 of the principal Act is amended—

   (a) by striking out from subsection (1) the definition of “agreement”;
(b) by inserting after the definition of "rural industry" the following definition:—

"the agreement" means the agreement between the Commonwealth and the States relating to rural reconstruction entered into on the fourth day of June, 1971; and

(c) by striking out the definition of "the scheme" and inserting in lieu thereof the following definition:—

"the scheme" means the scheme of financial assistance to persons engaged in rural industries in this State, referred to in the agreement;.

5. Section 6 of the principal Act is repealed and the following section is enacted and inserted in its place:—

6. The Government of the State may do all things necessary, convenient or expedient to carry out and give effect to the agreement and the scheme.

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

M. L. OLIPHANT, Governor