No. 93 of 1980


[Assented to 4 December 1980]

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 “Workmen's Compensation (Special Provisions) Act Amendment Act, 1980”.

   (2) The Workmen's Compensation (Special Provisions) Act, 1977-1978, is in this Act referred to as “the principal Act”.

2. The long title to the principal Act is amended by striking out the passage “the definition of 'workman' in subsection (1) of section 8 of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1971-1974” and substituting the passage “the definition of 'worker' in section 8 (1) of the Workers Compensation Act, 1971-1979”.

3. Section 1 of the principal Act is repealed and the following section is substituted:

   1. This Act may be cited as the “Workers Compensation (Special Provisions) Act, 1977-1980”.

4. Section 2 of the principal Act is amended—

   (a) by striking out from subsection (1) the passage “Workmen’s Compensation Act, 1971-1974” and substituting the passage “Workers Compensation Act, 1971-1979”;

   and

   (b) by striking out from subsection (1) the word “workman” and substituting the word “worker”.


5. Section 3 of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by striking out from subsection (1) the passage "Workmen's Compensation Act, 1971-1974" wherever it occurs and substituting, in each case, the passage "Workers Compensation Act, 1971-1979";

(b) by striking out from subsection (1) the word "workman" and substituting the word "worker";

and

(c) by striking out from subsection (2) the passage "under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1971-1974,".


7. Section 5 of the principal Act is amended by striking out from subsection (2) the passage "thirty-first day of December, 1980" and substituting the passage "thirty-first day of December, 1982".

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

K. D. SEAMAN, Governor