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 "Acts Republication Act Amendment Act, 1983".

(2) The Acts Republication Act, 1967-1972, is in this Act referred to as "the principal Act".

(3) The principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Acts Republication Act, 1967-1983".

2. Section 7 of the principal Act is amended by striking out from paragraph (f) of subsection (1) the passage "in spelling and punctuation" and substituting the passage "of a grammatical or clerical nature".

3. Section 9 of the principal Act is repealed and the following section is substituted:

9. (1) Where an Act has been reprinted and published—

(a) as part of the Reprint of 1937;

or

(b) under this Act, whether separately or in a set of volumes, the following provisions apply:

(c) all courts, tribunals and persons acting judicially shall take judicial notice of the reprint;

and

(d) the text of the Act, as at the relevant date, shall, in the absence of evidence to the contrary, be deemed to be set out correctly in the reprint.
(2) In this section, "the relevant date" means the date appearing on the reprint, or in the volume of which the reprint forms part, as the date up to which amendments have been incorporated.

4. Section 12 of the principal Act is repealed.

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

D. B. DUNSTAN, Governor