No. 1582.

An Act to bar certain Claims against the Government in respect of transactions entered into under the Wheat Harvest Acts, 1915 to 1919, and the Wheat Marketing and Transportation Act, 1920, and for other purposes.

[Assented to, December 6th, 1923.]

Be it Enacted by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the "Wheat Harvest Scheme (Barring of Claims) Act, 1923."

2. This Act is incorporated with the Wheat Harvest Acts, 1915 to 1919, and the Wheat Marketing and Transportation Act, 1920.

3. (1) Subject to subsection (2) of this section every claim against the Crown, the Government, or the Minister or any person acting under the authority of any of them arising out of or in connection with any transaction, matter, or thing entered into or done under the authority of any provision of any of the Acts with which this Act is incorporated, of which notice was not given to the South Australian Wheat Harvest Board or the Secretary or other authorised officer thereof on or before the thirtieth day of April, nineteen hundred and twenty-three, is hereby barred and extinguished and shall for all purposes whatsoever be deemed to be and to have always been null and void.

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(2) This section shall not apply to any claim against the Crown, the Government, or the Minister or any person acting under the authority of any of them—

(a) for or in respect of the price of any wheat delivered for sale by the Government or sold to the Crown, the Government, or the Minister pursuant to any provision of any of the Acts with which this Act is incorporated;

(b) for or in respect of compensation for any wheat acquired by the Crown, the Government, or the Minister pursuant to any provision of any of the Acts with which this Act is incorporated; or

(c) which is or was the subject of proceedings instituted in any Court before the said thirtieth day of April, nineteen hundred and twenty-three:

Provided that nothing in this subsection shall be held to affect the validity or otherwise of any such claim as is mentioned in this subsection.

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

TOM BRIDGES, Governor.