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*Explosives and Dangerous
Goods.*

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EXPLOSIVES AND DANGEROUS GOODS.

No. 22 of 1967.

AN ACT to amend the Explosives and Dangerous
Goods Act, 1961-1966.

[Assented to 23rd October, 1967.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of Western Australia, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the *Explosives and Dangerous Goods Act Amendment Act, 1967.* Short title and citation

(2) In this Act the Explosives and Dangerous Goods Act, 1961-1966 is referred to as the principal Act.

(3) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Explosives and Dangerous Goods Act, 1961-1967.

(d) by adding after subsection (3) a subsection as follows—

(4) Nothing in subsection (3) of this section applies to the sale of an explosive—

(a) to a person who is apparently under eighteen years of age, if the explosive is a manufactured firework of the shop goods class known as a snap for bon bon crackers, amorces or toy caps or streamer bombs or other prescribed manufactured fireworks of the shop goods class;

(b) to any person of or above the age of eighteen years, if the explosive is—

(i) any of the manufactured fireworks of the shop goods class referred to in paragraph (a) of this subsection or other prescribed manufactured fireworks of the shop goods class; or

(ii) any distress signal rocket or other distress or signalling device of any kind or any other prescribed manufactured firework. .

7. Section thirty-four of the principal Act is amended—

S. 34
amended

(a) by deleting the word, “blasting” in lines three and seven of subsection (1);

(b) by deleting the word, “blasting” in line one of subsections (2) and (3);

(c) by repealing subsection (4) and re-enacting it as follows—

(4) In this section “a permit” means a permit to purchase explosives. ; and

(d) by adding after subsection (4) a subsection as follows—

(5) Nothing in subsection (1) of this section applies to an explosive that is a manufactured firework of the shop goods class known as a snap for bon bon crackers, amorces or toy caps or streamer bombs or any other prescribed firework. .

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amended.

8. Subsection (4) of section forty-two of the principal Act is repealed and re-enacted as follows—

(4) A substance may be declared and classified pursuant to the provisions of subsection (2) of this section when that substance—

- (a) is being applied or used for prescribed purposes or in prescribed quantities;
- (b) is contained in prescribed containers;
or
- (c) is stored or kept in prescribed quantities,

but nothing in this section applies to the substance when it is not being so applied, used, contained, stored or kept. .

S. 62
amended.

9. Section sixty-two of the principal Act is amended by adding after subsection (2) a subsection as follows—

(3) The regulations may prescribe that any act or thing shall be in accordance with a standard specified in the regulations or with the approval of, or to the satisfaction of, the Chief Inspector. .
