

**ACTS AMENDMENT (ALLOWANCES AND  
SALARIES ADJUSTMENT).**

2° Elizabeth II., No. LXXI.

**No. 71 of 1953.**

**AN ACT to amend certain Acts so as to Provide for  
the Adjustment of Certain Allowances and  
Salaries.**

[Assented to 9th January, 1954.]

**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. This Act may be cited as the *Acts Amendment* Short title.  
(*Allowances and Salaries Adjustment*) Act, 1953.

**AUDIT.**

2. (1) In this section the Audit Act, 1904-1950, Construction.  
Act No. 12 of 1904 as amended by Acts Nos. 24  
of 1927, 52 of 1947 and 16 of 1950,  
is referred to as the principal Act.

(2) The principal Act as amended by this Act Citation.  
may be cited as the Audit Act, 1904-1953.

(3) Section six of the principal Act is amended— S. 6  
amended.

(a) by adding after the section designation,  
“6” the subsection designation, “(1)”;

(b) by substituting for the words, “on and after  
the first day of September, one thousand  
nine hundred and fifty at such rate per  
annum, being not less than one thousand  
five hundred and fifty pounds and not more  
than two thousand pounds, as the Governor

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may, from time to time, whenever he thinks fit, determine, and unless otherwise so determined, at a rate per annum of one thousand five hundred and fifty pounds” inserted by subsection (3) of section two of the Acts Amendment (Allowances and Salaries Adjustment) Act, 1950 the words, “on and after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four at such rate per annum, being not less than two thousand pounds and not more than such sum as the Governor is hereby authorised to determine, from time to time, whenever he thinks fit, and does determine, and unless otherwise so determined, at a rate per annum of two thousand pounds”;

Cf. No. 16 of 1950, s. 2 (3).

- (c) by adding after the word, “salary” in line two the words, “and the adjustments mentioned in subsection (1a) of this section”; and
- (d) by adding before subsection (2) the following subsection:—

(1a) (a) In this subsection—

“salary rate” means the salary rate per annum of two thousand pounds or such other sum per annum as the Governor determines;

“variations” means variations in the amount of the basic wage as determined from time to time on or after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four under section one hundred and twenty-seven of the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912.

(b) The Governor shall cause adjustments to be made to the salary rate by multiples of twenty pounds as and when the variations are to an extent of twenty pounds or a multiple of twenty pounds.

Cf. No. 57 of 1912 as amended ss. 127 and 164.

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PUBLIC SERVICE.

3. (1) In this section the Public Service Act, 1904-1950, Construction.

Act No. 14 of 1904 as reprinted with amendments to and including Act No. 52 of 1947 incorporated pursuant to the provisions of the Amendments Incorporation Act, 1938, and as further amended by Acts Nos. 45 of 1948 and 16 of 1950, is referred to as the principal Act.

(2) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Public Service Act, 1904-1953. Citation.

(3) Section seven of the principal Act is amended— S. 7 amended.

(a) by substituting for the words, "on and after the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifty at such rate per annum being not less than one thousand five hundred and fifty pounds and not more than two thousand and fifty pounds as the Governor may, from time to time, whenever he thinks fit, determine, and unless otherwise so determined at a rate per annum of one thousand five hundred and fifty pounds" inserted in subsection (5) by subsection (3) of section four of the Acts Amendment (Allowances and Salaries Adjustment) Act, 1950 the words, "on and after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four at such rate per annum, being not less than two thousand one hundred and fifty pounds and not more than such sum as the Governor is hereby authorised to determine, from time to time, whenever he thinks fit, and does determine, and unless otherwise so determined at a rate per annum of two thousand one hundred and fifty pounds"; and

*Cf. No. 16 of 1950, s. 4 (3).*

(b) by adding before subsection (6) the following subsection:—

(5a) (a) In this subsection—

"salary rate" means the salary rate per annum of two thousand one

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hundred and fifty pounds or such other sum per annum as the Governor determines;

Cf. No. 57 of 1912 as amended, ss. 127 and 164.

“variations” means variations in the amount of the basic wage as determined from time to time on or after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four under section one hundred and twenty-seven of the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912.

(b) The Governor shall cause adjustments to be made to the salary rate by multiples of twenty pounds as and when the variations are to an extent of twenty pounds or a multiple of twenty pounds.

(c) and by substituting for the words, “salary is” in line five of subsection (5) the words, “salary and adjustments are”.

STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATES.

Construction. 4. (1) In this section the Stipendiary Magistrates Act, 1930-1950,

Act No. 17 of 1930 as amended by Acts Nos. 14 of 1947, 36 of 1948 and 16 of 1950,

is referred to as the principal Act.

Citation. (2) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Stipendiary Magistrates Act, 1930-1953.

S. 3 amended.

(3) Section three of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by substituting for the words, “The salary of each stipendiary magistrate on and after the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifty shall be at such rate per annum, being not less than one

thousand two hundred and fifty pounds and not more than one thousand five hundred and fifty pounds—

from the calculation of which rate there shall be excluded special remuneration for extraneous services and any allowances—

as the Governor may, from time to time, whenever he thinks fit, determine, and unless otherwise so determined, at a rate of one thousand two hundred and fifty pounds.” inserted by subsection (3) of section five of the Acts Amendment (Allowances and Salaries Adjustment) Act, 1950, the following subsection:—

Cf. No. 16 of 1950, s. 5 (3).

(1) On and after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four the salary of a stipendiary magistrate shall be at such rate per annum, being not less than one thousand five hundred and fifty pounds and not more than such sum as the Governor is hereby authorised to determine, from time to time, whenever he thinks fit, and does determine, and unless otherwise so determined, at a rate of one thousand five hundred and fifty pounds—

from the calculation of which rate there shall be excluded special remuneration for extraneous services and any allowances. ;

(b) by adding the following subsection:—

(2) (a) In this subsection—

“salary rate” means the salary rate per annum of one thousand five hundred and fifty pounds or such greater sum per annum as the Governor determines;

“variations” means variations in the amount of the basic wage as determined from time to time on or after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred

Cf. No. 57 of 1912 as amended ss. 127 and 164.

and fifty-four under section one hundred and twenty-seven of the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912.

- (b) The Governor shall cause adjustments to be made to the salary rate by multiples of twenty pounds as and when the variations are to an extent of twenty pounds or a multiple of twenty pounds.
- (c) and by adding before the passage commencing with the words, "Such salaries" and ending with the words, "permanently appropriated" the figure "3" in brackets thus (3); and
- (d) by adding after the word "salaries" in line one of that passage, the words, "and adjustments".
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