

# JURY.

1° GEO. VI., No. V.

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No. 5 of 1937.

## AN ACT to amend Section twenty-three of the Jury Act, 1898.

[Assented to 29th October, 1937.]

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

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the *Jury Act Amendment Act, 1937*, and shall be read as one with the Jury Act, 1898 (No. 10 of 1898), as reprinted in the Appendix to the Sessional Volume of the Statutes for the year 1928, hereinafter referred to as the principal Act.

Amendment  
of s. 23.

2. Section twenty-three of the principal Act is amended by adding thereto a proviso as follows:—

Provided that—

(i) if before the completion of the trial of one issue a further issue is called on for trial, the said ministerial officer shall, for the purpose of drawing a jury for such further issue, put into the said box the names of only those jurors on the empanelment who are not already engaged in the said uncompleted trial, and shall in open court draw therefrom until the names of a full jury appear who are not open to a challenge; and

(ii) no issue shall be called on for trial if the trials of more than one other issue then begun remain uncompleted, unless the names of the jurors to be called for the trial of such first-mentioned issue are to be drawn from a further empanelment which has been duly summoned and is in attendance.

3. The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Jury Act, 1898-1937.

Citation of  
principal Act  
as amended.

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