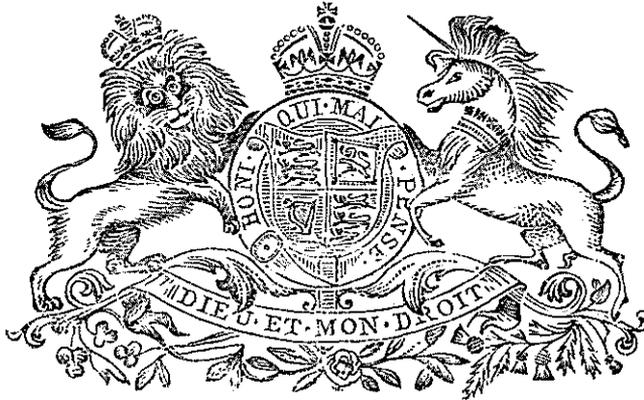


WESTERN AUSTRALIA.



ANNO PRIMO

GEORGII QUINTI REGIS,

XLIV.

No. 33 of 1911.

AN ACT relating to the Allowances to
Members of each House of the Parliament
of Western Australia.

[Assented to 16th February, 1911.]

BE 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:—

1. This Act may be cited as the *Parliamentary Allowances Act*, Short title. 1911.

2. The Payment of Members Act, 1900, is hereby repealed. Repeal.

3. Except as hereinafter provided—

(a.) Each member of the Legislative Council shall receive an allowance at the rate of Three hundred pounds a year, and

(b.) Each member of the Legislative Assembly shall receive an allowance at the rate of Three hundred pounds a year.

Allowance to members of Council and Assembly.

Provided that one member of the Legislative Assembly, namely, the member who for the time being is recognised as Leader of the Opposition, shall receive an additional allowance at the rate of Two hundred pounds a year.

Reckoning of allowance to members of Council.

4. The allowance to a member of the Legislative Council shall be reckoned—

(a.) In the case of a member elected to fill a seat which is to become vacant by rotation—from the day on which the seat becomes vacant.

(b.) In the case of a member elected to fill a casual vacancy—from the day of his election.

Reckoning of allowance to members of Assembly.

5. The allowance to a member of the Legislative Assembly shall be reckoned from the day of his election, and notwithstanding the expiry by effluxion of time or the sooner dissolution of any Legislative Assembly, such allowance shall continue until the next following general election.

Allowance to President and Speaker.

6. (1.) The President of the Legislative Council and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly shall each receive an allowance at the rate of Seven hundred pounds a year, but while in receipt of such allowance shall not receive any allowance under section three.

Allowance to Chairmen of Committees.

(2.) The Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Council and the Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly shall each receive an allowance at the rate of Five hundred pounds a year, but while in receipt of such allowance shall not receive any allowance under section three.

Commencement of application of Act.

7. This Act shall have effect as from the first day of January, One thousand nine hundred and eleven, and the first allowances prescribed by this Act shall be reckoned as from that date.

Appropriation.

8. The allowances provided for by this Act shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is hereby appropriated accordingly.