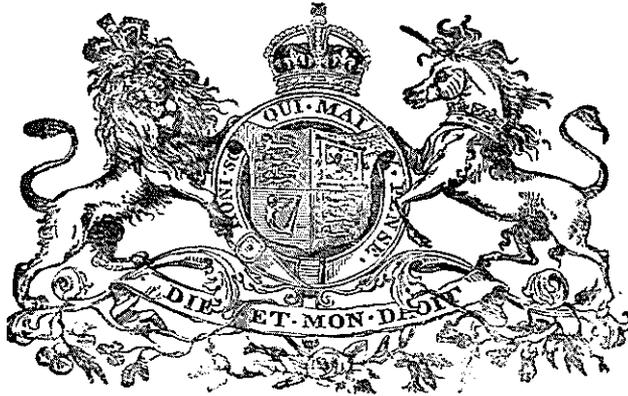


WESTERN AUSTRALIA.



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VIII.

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No. 12 of 1909.

AN ACT to further amend the Fire Brigades Act, 1898.

[Assented to 6th February, 1909.]

**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 :—

1. This Act may be cited as the *Fire Brigades Amendment Act, 1909*, and shall be read as one with the Fire Brigades Act, 1898, hereinafter referred to as the principal Act. Short title.

2. A Sinking Fund shall be created by the Board to liquidate every loan raised by the Board before or after the passing of this Act, in manner following :— Sinking fund.

(1.) The Board shall in every year pay to the Colonial Treasurer a sum not being at any time less than two per centum of the principal sum in which the Board is for the time being indebted in respect of every such loan which shall be invested by the Colonial Treasurer in inscribed stock or other Government securities of the State of Western Australia in the joint names of the Colonial Treasurer and the Board.

(2.) All interest on any inscribed stock or other securities for the time being standing to the credit of any account forming such sinking fund shall be invested in the purchase of inscribed stock or other securities as aforesaid.

(3.) When the principal money of any loan, or any part thereof, becomes payable, the sinking fund created in respect of such loan shall be applied by the Colonial Treasurer and the Board in payment thereof.

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**3.** All loans raised by the Board after the passing of this Act shall rank alike, and no such loan shall have any priority by reason of having been raised at any time prior to any other loan.

Repeal.

**4.** Sections three and six of the Fire Brigades Board Debenture Act, 1900, are repealed.