

Harbours and Pilotage

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

ANNO TRIGESIMO QUARTO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ

No. 22

An Act for the Regulation of Coasting Vessels and Cargo
and other Boats entering the Ports and Harbours of
this Colony. [Assented to 16th January, 1871.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to enable the Harbour Masters to
direct the movements of coasting vessels and of cargo and
other boats in any of the ports or harbours in this Colony : Be it there-
fore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Western Australia
and its Dependencies, by and with the advice and consent of the Legis-
lative Council thereof, as follows :—

Preamble

1. That the Harbour Master or his deputy is hereby empowered,
whenever it appears necessary to such Harbour Master or deputy, to
appoint the place of moorage or anchorage of all coasting vessels, cargo
and other boats entering any of the ports or harbours in this Colony,
and from time to time, when necessary, to direct the removal of any
such coasting vessel, cargo or other boat therefrom to some other place
of moorage or anchorage.

Harbour Master
may appoint
place of moorage
for vessels

2. That no coasting vessel or cargo or other boats shall moor or
anchor within one hundred and fifty yards of any public jetty, unless
for the purpose of mooring thereto in order to take in or discharge
cargo, without the special permission of the Harbour Master.

No Coasting
Vessel, Cargo or
other Boat to
moor or anchor
within 150 yards
of Public Jetty
without per-
mission

3. That any master or person in charge of any such coasting
vessel, cargo or other boat, acting in contravention of the second sec-
tion of this Act, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty
pounds. And any person who shall oppose or obstruct the Harbour
Master or his deputy in the performance of any duty imposed by this
Act shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

Penalties

FREDK. A. WELD,

GOVERNOR AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.