

SUITORS' FUND.

No. 72 of 1969.

AN ACT to amend the Suitors' Fund Act, 1964.

[Assented to 27th October, 1969.]

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:—

Short title
and citation.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the *Suitors' Fund Act Amendment Act, 1969*.

(2) In this Act the Suitors' Fund Act, 1964, is referred to as the principal Act.

(3) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the *Suitors' Fund Act, 1964-1969*.

2. Section 3 of the principal Act is amended by adding after the word "law" in line five of the definition "appeal" the passage ", an order to review granted under section 197 of the Justices Act, 1902,".

Amendment to s. 3. (Interpretation.)

3. Subsection (1) of section 10 of the principal Act is amended—

Amendment to s. 10. (Power to Supreme Court to grant indemnity certificate.)

(a) by substituting for the word "civil" in line two the word "any"; and

(b) by adding after the word "behalf" in line fourteen the words "by any party to the proceedings".

4. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 14 of the principal Act is amended by adding after the word "indictment" in line three the words "or complaint".

Amendment to s. 14. (Abortive proceedings and new trials after proceedings discontinued.)

5. Section 15 of the principal Act is amended by adding the words "appeal or" before the word "motion" where it respectively occurs in—

Amendment to s. 15. (New trial on ground that damages awarded are excessive or inadequate.)

(a) line five of subsection (1);

(b) line two of paragraph (a) of subsection (1);

(c) line two of paragraph (b) of subsection (1);

(d) line two of paragraph (b) of subsection (2); and

(e) line two of subsection (3).
