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ROYAL COMMISSION.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved—

The Honourable William Charles Angwin, M.L.A.,
Horace Benson Jackson, Esquire, and
Dr. William Ernest Jones.

Greeting:

KNOW ye that We do by these Our Letters Patent, issued in Our Name by Our Governor in and over the State of Western Australia, in the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, appoint you to be Commissioners to inquire into and report upon—

1. The accommodation for patients in hospitals for the insane; and whether additional accommodation is necessary, and if so whether it should be provided—

- (a) by enlarging an existing institution; or
- (b) by establishing a new institution;

and, if it is deemed advisable that additions should be made to an existing institution, as to the character of such additions; or, if it is deemed advisable that additional accommodation should be provided elsewhere, whether such accommodation should be provided near to the Hospital for the Insane at Claremont, or at Whitby Falls, or elsewhere in the country.

2. Administration, with regard particularly to—

- (a) the control of institutions;
- (b) the treatment of patients;
- (c) the rights of, and the means afforded to, patients to apply for their discharge;
- (d) finance;

and generally into matters of administration.

3. Legislation relating to the insane, with a view to such amendments of the law as may be deemed advisable.

And We appoint you the said Dr. William Ernest Jones to be Chairman.

And We require you to report as soon as possible to Our Governor in and over the said State of Western Australia the result of your inquiries into the matters entrusted to you by these Our Letters Patent, which We declare to be a Royal Commission to which "The Royal Commissioners' Powers Act, 1902," applies.

Witness Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Sir Francis Alexander Newdegate, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Governor in and over the State of Western Australia and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, this 28th day of September, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

[L.S.]

F. A. NEWDEGATE,
Governor.

By His Excellency's Command,

JAMES MITCHELL,
Premier.

ROYAL COMMISSION.

GEORGE V., by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved William Warren Kerr, C.B.E.; John Joseph Garvan; John Jolly; John Gibson Farleigh; William Thomas Missingham; John Thomson; Stephen Mills, C.M.G.; and Maurice Boyce Duffy.

Greeting:

WHEREAS by Letters Patent (hereinafter referred to as "the said Letters Patent") issued in Our name by Our Governor in and over the State of Western Australia, in the Commonwealth of Australia, on the eleventh day of May, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, We did with the advice of Our Executive Council, appoint you, the said William Warren Kerr, C.B.E., John Joseph Garvan, John Jolly, John Gibson Farleigh, William Thomas Missingham, John

Thomson, and Stephen Mills, C.M.G., to be Commissioners to inquire into and report upon the incidence of Commonwealth taxation and the other matters which are more particularly specified in the said Letters Patent: And whereas it is desirable to appoint you, the said Maurice Boyce Duffy, to be one of the Commissioners to inquire into and report upon the incidence of Commonwealth taxation and the other matters which are more particularly specified in the said Letters Patent: And whereas it is desirable—

- (a) that at any meeting of the Commissioners appointed in pursuance of the said Letters Patent and these Letters Patent (hereinafter referred to as "the said Commissioners"), five Commissioners shall be sufficient to constitute a quorum and may proceed with the inquiry under the said Letters Patent notwithstanding the absence of the other Commissioners;
- (b) that in the event of the absence of the Chairman from any meeting of the said Commissioners, the Commissioners present may appoint one of their number to act as Chairman during such absence; and
- (c) that, in the event of the votes given on any question at any meeting of the said Commissioners being equal, the Chairman, if present, and, if the Chairman is not present, then the Commissioner appointed to act as Chairman in his absence shall have a second or casting vote:

Now, therefore, Know ye that We do by these Our Letters Patent issued in Our name by Our said Governor, acting with the advice of the Executive Council,

appoint you, the said Maurice Boyce Duffy, to be one of the Commissioners to inquire into and report upon the incidence of Commonwealth taxation and the other matters which are more particularly specified in the said Letters Patent: And We direct that at any meeting of the said Commissioners five Commissioners shall be sufficient to constitute a quorum and may proceed with the inquiry under the said Letters Patent notwithstanding the absence of the other Commissioners: And We further direct that in the event of the absence of the Chairman from any meeting of the said Commissioners, the Commissioners present may appoint one of their number to act as Chairman during such absence: And We further direct that, in the event of the votes given on any question at any meeting of the said Commissioners being equal, the Chairman, if present, and, if the Chairman is not present, then the Commissioner appointed to act as Chairman in his absence shall have a second or casting vote.

Witness Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Sir Francis Alexander Newdegate, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and St. George, Governor in and over the State of Western Australia and its Dependencies, in the Commonwealth of Australia, this twenty-eighth day of September, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

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F. A. NEWDEGATE,
Governor.

By His Excellency's Command,

JAMES MITCHELL,
Premier.

GOD SAVE THE KING!!!