

**MOTOR VEHICLE (THIRD
PARTY INSURANCE
SURCHARGE).**

11° Elizabeth II., No. LVI.

No. 56 of 1962.

AN ACT to impose a Surcharge upon Insurance Premiums paid in respect of Policies of Insurance with The Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust in accordance with the Motor Vehicle (Third Party Insurance) Act, 1943.

[Assented to 30th November, 1962.]

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.

1. This Act may be cited as the *Motor Vehicle (Third Party Insurance Surcharge) Act, 1962.*

2. In this Act, unless the contrary intention appears,— Interpretation.

“motor vehicle” has the same meaning as that expression has in the Insurance Act;

“policy of insurance” means a contract of insurance with the Trust that complies with the requirements of the Insurance Act;

“the Insurance Act” means the Motor Vehicle (Third Party Insurance) Act, 1943;

“the Trust” means The Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust constituted under the Insurance Act.

3. (1) Subject to this Act, there shall be paid for the use of Her Majesty with each appropriate insurance premium payable under the Insurance Act, in respect of any policy of insurance that is effected or renewed after the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and sixty-two, a surcharge of one pound where the policy of insurance is effected or renewed for a period of twelve months and where the policy of insurance is effected or renewed for a period of less than twelve months a surcharge of one shilling and eight pence for each month or part thereof for which the policy of insurance is effected or renewed. Surcharge imposed on insurance premiums.

(2) No surcharge is required to be paid in respect of the appropriate premium payable under the Insurance Act in respect of a policy of insurance relating to any motor vehicle that is—

- (a) used or intended to be used solely for interstate trade, commerce or intercourse;
- (b) a caravan (trailer type) as described in the Second Schedule to the Traffic Act, 1919;
- (c) a trailer as so described;
- (d) a tractor (other than a prime mover type) as so described; or
- (e) a motorised wheelchair designed for the use of or by incapacitated or crippled persons only.