WESTERN AUSTRALIAN MARINE.

1° Elizabeth II., No. LXII.

No. 62 of 1952.

AN ACT to amend the Western Australian Marine Act, 1948.

[Assented to 23rd December, 1952.]

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:—

(1) This Act may be cited as the Western Short title and citation. Australian Marine Act Amendment Act, 1952.

- (2) In this Act the Western Australian Marine Act, 1948 (Act No. 72 of 1948) is referred to as the principal Act.
- (3) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Western Australian Marine Act. 1948-1952.
- 2. Section seventeen of the principal Act is amended. amended by adding the following paragraph—
 - (xviii) authorising the Department for the purpose of facilitating the carrying out of works, including dredging, in, or in connection with, a port, or for any other purpose, from time to time, to exempt

from compliance with any of the provisions of this Act or of a rule, regulation or proclamation made pursuant to the provisions of this Act

a person or vessel or class of person or class of vessel

either generally or in particular circumstances, localities, and cases or for particular purposes, unconditionally, or subject to such conditions as the Department thinks proper to impose;

and authorising

the Department, at any time, to cancel an exemption wholly or in part, and to cancel, and from time to time waive, add to, and otherwise vary the conditions of an exemption

and imposing

a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds for the breach of a condition so imposed.