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AN ACT to amend the Parliamentary Superannuation Act, 1948-1950.

[Assented to 20th December, 1951.]

B^E it enacted by the King'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 Parliamentary short utlo Superannuation Act Amendment Act, 1951, and shall be read as one with the Parliamentary Superannuation Act, 1948-1950 (Act No. 60 of 1948, as amended by Act No. 32 of 1950), referred to in this Act as the principal Act.

2. This Act shall come into operation on the first commenceday of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

3. The principal Act, as amended by this Act, Citation of principal Act may be cited as the Parliamentary Superannuation as amended by this Act. Act. 1948-1951.

4. Section ten of the principal Act is amended ^{S.10} amended. by-

(a) substituting for the words, "forty-eight pounds $(\pounds 48)$ " in line two of subsection (1), the words, "fifty-two pounds";

(b) adding the following subsection:---

(3) The Treasurer shall pay into the Fund an amount of four thousand one hundred and sixty pounds per annum from the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is hereby permanently appropriated accordingly.

- s. 11 amended. 5. Section eleven of the principal Act is amended by—
 - (a) substituting for the words, "subsection (4)" in lines seven and eight of paragraph (a) of subsection (5) the words, "subsection (5a)";
 - (b) adding the following subsection:—

(5a) (a) Payment of the pension referred to in paragraph (a) of the last preceding subsection shall not commence until the expiration of the period required to exhaust the benefit referred to in that paragraph, at the rate at which that pension is payable pursuant to the provisions of that paragraph.

(b) The provisions of the last preceding paragraph shall apply whether that benefit has been paid before, on or after the coming into operation of the Parliamentary Superannuation Act Amendment Act, 1951, namely, the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

S. 12 amended. 6. The following subsection is added to section twelve of the principal Act:—

(4) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, a member—

who has served as a member for an aggregate period of not less than twenty years; shall,

if he ceases to be a member, be entitled to a pension under this Act.