## CONSTITUTION.

12° GEO. VI., No. XII.

No. 12 of 1948.

AN ACT to amend sections thirty-seven and thirtyeight of the Constitution Acts Amendment Act, 1899.

[Assented to 11th November, 1948.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and 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 Constitution Acts Short title. Amendment Act (No. 1), 1948, and shall be read as one with the Constitution Acts Amendment Act, 1899 (63 Vict., No. 19), and its amendments, hereinafter referred to as the principal Act.
- 2. Section thirty-seven of the principal Act is Amendment of s, 37. amended by inserting at the commencement thereof the words "Subject to the second proviso to section thirtyeight of this Act."
- 3. Section thirty-eight of the principal Act is amended Amendment of s. 38. by adding at the end thereof a further proviso as follows:-

Provided further that, for the purposes of this and the last preceding section, the holding or acceptance of the offices following, or either of them, shall not of itself constitute the holding of an office of profit under the Crown or the acceptance of an office of profit from the Crown:-

- (a) The office of an approved pharmaceutical chemist under and for the purposes of the Pharmaceutical Benefits Act, 1947, of the Commonwealth.
- (b) The office of a medical practitioner approved under section eleven of the said Pharmaceutical Benefits Act, 1947.

Retrospective operation of this Act.

4. This Act shall be deemed to have come tion on the twelfth day of June, 1947.