

Western Australia.

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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. XII.

AN ACT to facilitate the Investment in Western Australian Government Securities of Trust and other Funds in the United Kingdom.

[Assented to, 5th December, 1900.]

BE it enacted by the Queen'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 Trustees Colonial Investment Short title. Act, 1900.

2. THIS Act shall apply to all bonds, debentures, scrip, inscribed stock, and other securities heretofore or hereafter created Act applies. or issued on behalf of the Government of Western Australia and secured by or charged upon the public revenues, or forming part of

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the public debt of Western Australia, in respect of money borrowed under the authority of any Act heretofore or hereafter passed by the Parliament of Western Australia, each and all of which securities are hereinafter referred to as "Western Australian Government securities."

Authority for payments under judg-Court without further appropriation.

- 3. (1.) WHENEVER by the final judgment, decree, rule, or order of any Court of competent jurisdiction in the United Kingdom ments or orders of any sum of money is adjudged or declared to be payable by the Government of Western Australia in respect of any Western Australian Government securities, the Colonial Treasurer shall forthwith pay the same in London without further appropriation than this Act.
 - (2.) For the purposes of this section "final judgment, decree, rule, or order" means, in case of appeal, the final judgment, decree, rule, or order of the ultimate Court hearing the appeal.
 - (3.) Without in any way limiting the foregoing provisions of this section, it is hereby declared that, in the case of such Western Australian Government securities as are colonial stock to which the Imperial Act intituled "The Colonial Stock Act, 1877," applies, the Colonial Treasurer shall, without further appropriation than this Act, forthwith pay in London whatever sums may from time to time be required in order to enable the registrar of such stock to forthwith comply with any judgment, decree, rule, or order with which, under section twenty of the Imperial Act aforesaid, the registrar is required to comply.

In the name and on behalf of the Queen I hereby assent to this Act.

ALEX. C. ONSLOW, Administrator.