

Western Australia.

ANNO SEXAGESIMO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. XIV.

AN ACT for reducing the Duty on Unmanufactured Tobacco.

[Assented to, 30th September, 1896.]

E 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:—

THIS Act may be cited as the Tobacco (unmanufactured) Duty Act, 1896.

2. ON and after the coming into operation of this Act the Repeal of 54 Vic., Tobacco (unmanufactured) Duty Act, 1891, shall be repealed, and No. 15, and of duty the duty of two shillings per pound thereby, and by the Tariff Act, of 2s. per lb. charged by it and by the 1893, imposed on unmanufactured tobacco shall cease and determine, Tariff Act, 1893. and in lieu thereof there shall be charged, raised, collected and levied

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Tobacco (Unmanufactured) Duty Act, 1896.

a duty of one shilling and tenpence halfpenny per pound on all unmanufactured tobacco imported into Western Australia, whether by sea or land.

Commencement of Act.

3. THIS Act shall come into operation on the first day of October, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

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

GERARD SMITH, Governor.