

Western Australia

# **Agent General Act 1895**

Reprint 2: The Act as at 15 August 2003

#### Guide for using this reprint

#### What the reprint includes



## Endnotes, Compilation table, and Table of provisions that have not come into operation

- 1. Details about the original Act and legislation that has amended its text are shown in the Compilation table in endnote 1, at the back of the reprint. The table also shows any previous reprint.
- 2. Validation, transitional, savings, or other provisions identified in the Compilation table may be important. The table may refer to another endnote setting out the text of these provisions in full.
- 3. A table of provisions that have not come into operation, to be found in endnote 1a if it is needed, lists any provisions of the Act being reprinted that have not come into operation and any amendments that have not come into operation. The full text is set out in another endnote that is referred to in the table.

#### Notes amongst text (italicised and within square brackets)

1. If the reprint includes a section that was inserted, or has been amended, since the Act being reprinted was passed, editorial notes at the foot of the section give some history of how the section came to be as it is. If the section replaced an earlier section, no history of the earlier section is given (the full history of the Act is in the Compilation table).

Notes of this kind may also be at the foot of Schedules or headings.

- 2. The other kind of editorial note shows something has been
  - removed (because it was repealed or deleted from the law); or
  - omitted under the *Reprints Act 1984* s. 7(4) (because, although still technically part of the text, it no longer has any effect).

The text of anything removed or omitted can be found in an earlier reprint (if there is one) or one of the written laws identified in the Compilation table.

#### Reprint numbering and date

- 1. The reprint number (in the footer of each page of the document) shows how many times the Act has been reprinted. For example, numbering a reprint as "Reprint 3" would mean that the reprint was the 3<sup>rd</sup> reprint since the Act was passed. Reprint numbering was implemented as from 1 January 2003.
- 2. The information in the reprint is current on the date shown as the date as at which the Act is reprinted. That date is not the date when the reprint was published by the State Law Publisher and it is probably not the date when the most recent amendment had effect.

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An Act to regulate the appointment, and the tenure of the office, of Agent General.

## 1. Appointment

The Governor may appoint any person to be Agent General for Western Australia.

## 2. Duties

It shall be the duty of the Agent General to do and perform all acts, matters, and things in the United Kingdom and elsewhere in relation to Western Australia, in accordance with such instructions as may from time to time be given or transmitted to him by such Minister as may from time to time be appointed by the Governor to be the channel of communication between the State and the Agent General.

#### 3. Salary

The Agent General shall on and after 1 March 1975 be paid such salary and allowances as are from time to time determined by the Governor.

[Section 3 inserted by No. 3 of 1975 s. 3.]

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## 4. Tenure and duration of office

Every person appointed Agent General, whether before or after the passing of this Act, may at any time be suspended or removed from office by the Governor, and shall in any event cease to hold office at the end of 3 years from the date of appointment, but shall be eligible for re-appointment.

# 5. No compensation to be claimed for loss of office or diminution of emoluments

No person who may be appointed to the office of Agent General shall have or be entitled to any compensation by reason of the loss of such office, or of the diminution of the emoluments thereof.

## 6. Agent General not to hold any office in company, etc.

No person who may be appointed to the office of Agent General shall, during his tenure of office, act as a director of, or hold any office in, any company or syndicate whatsoever, whether incorporated or not.

## 7. Short title

This Act may be cited for all purposes as the *Agent General Act 1895*<sup>1</sup>.

[Section 7 amended by No. 5 of 1957 s. 1(3).]

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#### Notes

<sup>1</sup> This reprint is a compilation as at 15 August 2003 of the *Agent General Act 1895* and includes the amendments made by the other written laws referred to in the following table. The table also contains information about any reprint.

Short title	Number and year	Assent	Commencement
The Agent General Act 1895 <sup>2</sup>	59 Vict. No. 7	28 Aug 1895	28 Aug 1895
Acts Amendment (Allowances and Salaries Adjustment) Act 1947 s. 2(3)	52 of 1947	19 Dec 1947	19 Dec 1947
Acts Amendment (Allowances and Salaries Adjustment) Act 1955 s. 2(3)	47 of 1955	5 Dec 1955	5 Dec 1955
The Agent General Act Amendment Act 1957	5 of 1957	19 Aug 1957	19 Aug 1957
Agent General Act Amendment Act 1969	39 of 1969	21 May 1969	21 May 1969
<b>Reprint of the</b> <i>Agent Gene</i> listed above)	<i>ral Act 1895</i> a	pproved 10 Jul	1970 (includes amendments
Agent General Act Amendment Act 1975	3 of 1975	9 May 1975	1 Mar 1975 (see s. 2)

#### **Compilation table**

above)

<sup>2</sup> Now known as the *Agent General Act 1895*; short title changed (see note under s. 7).