CONSTRUCTION SAFETY.

No. 89 of 1984.

AN ACT to amend the Construction Safety Act 1972.

[Assented to 29 November 1984.]

 $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{E}$ it enacted by the Queen'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. (1) This Act may be cited as the Construction Short title and principal Act. Safety Amendment Act 1984.

(2) In this Act the Construction Safety Act 1972 Approved for reprint 26 June 1979. is referred to as the principal Act.

Section 35 amended.

2. Section 35 of the principal Act is amended by inserting after subsection (5) the following subsection—

" (6) Proceedings for an offence against subsection (1) may, where the accident concerned causes loss of life or serious bodily injury to any workman or other person, be commenced at any time within 2 years after the offence was committed and not afterwards. ".

Various penalties amended. 3. The principal Act is amended by deleting in the provisions referred to in column 1 of the table hereunder the penalties respectively set out in column 2 and substituting in each case the corresponding penalty set out in column 3.

Column 1. Provision.	Column 2. Deleted Penalty.	Column 3. New Penalty
section 9 (7)	"two hundred dollars"	"\$2 000"
section 13	"Two hundred dollars."	''\$2 000.''
section 20 (4)	"One hundred dollars."	"\$2 000."
section 24	"One hundred dollars."	'' \$1 000.''
section 25	"Two hundred dollars."	"\$1 000."
section 44 (2)	"four hundred dollars"	"\$1 000"
section 44 (2)	"six hundred dollars"	''\$3 000''
section 44 (2)	"one thousand dollars"	''\$5 000''
section 44 (2)	"twenty dollars"	"\$50"
section 46 (2) (b)	"four hundred dollars"	''\$2 000'' .

TABLE.