

MINE WORKERS' RELIEF.

No. 62 of 1973.

AN ACT to amend the Mine Workers' Relief Act, 1932.

[Assented to 19th November, 1973.]

BE 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 *Mine Workers' Relief Act Amendment Act, 1973*.

Short title and citation.

(2) In this Act the Mine Workers' Relief Act, 1932-1964 is referred to as the principal Act.

Reprinted in Vol. 16 of the Reprinted Acts and further amended by Act No. 96 of 1964.

(3) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Mine Workers' Relief Act, 1932-1973.

Commence-
ment.

2. This Act shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by proclamation.

S. 56B added.

3. The principal Act is amended by adding after section 56A a section as follows—

No fund
contribu-
tions from
person
receiving
benefits.

56B. (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Part a person who is—

(a) registered as a mine worker; and

(b) in receipt of benefits under this Act,

is not required to maintain contributions to the Fund while he is in receipt of benefits from the Fund under this Act.

(2) All contributions paid to or retained by the Fund before the commencement of the Mine Workers' Relief Act Amendment Act, 1973 in respect of a person while he was in receipt of benefits under the Act may be retained by the Fund. .

