# JUVENILE MIGRANTS BILL.

SCHEDULE of Amendments referred to in Message of 10th December, 1925.

Page 1, clause 1, line 7. Omit "Apprenticeship (Repeal)"
Pages 2, 3, and 4. Insert new clauses 3 to 11 inclusive.
Page 4 Add Schedule.
Title. After "Act" insert "to provide for the care and well-being of juvenile "assisted migrants"



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Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 16 September, 1925.

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# GEORGII V REGIS.

# Act No. , 1925.

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B<sup>E</sup> it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority 5 of the same, as follows :--

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2. (1) The Juvenile Migrants Apprenticeship Act, Repeal of Act, 1923 No. 52. 1923, is hereby repealed.

(2) The repeal effected by the last preceding sub-Savings. section shall not affect the future operation of that Act 5 in respect of any juvenile who, prior to the commence-

ment of this Act, signed the statement referred to in section three of that Act.

(3) Nothing in this section shall limit or abridge any saving contained in the Interpretation Act, 1897.

10 3. In this Act, unless the context otherwise Definitions. requires, -

"Employer" means a person with whom a juvenile is placed for employment under this Act.

"Employment" means rural or domestic employment.

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"Juvenile" means a minor who comes to New South Wales with the assistance of the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia or of the State, and who is over the age of fourteen years and under the age of nineteen years at the date of arrival in the State.

"Minister" means Minister for Labour and Industry.

4. With respect to any juvenile who, either before Powers of the 25 or after coming to the State, signs a statement in or to Minister.

the effect of the form in the Schedule to this Act the Minister—

> (a) may appoint Government training farms for the reception, control, and training of juveniles for rural employment, and may make such provisions as he deems necessary for their control, maintenance, training, and employment in such institutions or in connection therewith;

(b) shall have the care and control of the person of the juvenile before he is placed for training or employment under this Act, and at any time when he ceases to be so placed;

(c) may place the juvenile for training and employment in a Government training farm;

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(d) may place the juvenile for employment with an employer by finding a fit and proper person to employ the juvenile, and shall have the supervision of the juvenile while so placed.

5. (1) The wages or earnings due by any person to Recovery of -5 a juvenile may be sued for and recovered by the juvenile wages. or in the name of the Minister by some person authorised by him.

(2) An authority purporting to be signed by the 10 Minister shall be admitted as evidence without proof of the signature

6. If a juvenile placed for employment with an Notice of employer under this Act dies, or suffers or sustains any death, injury, serious illness or injury, or leaves the employment, the illness, or

- 15 employer shall immediately give notice to the Minister leaving employment and do all such further acts and things as may be required of him by the Minister, and in default thereof he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds for every such offence.
- 7. (1) No employer shall transfer or make over to Notice to 20 any other person the services or care of the juvenile or the Minister discharge or dismiss such juvenile unless or until the transfer or Minister has first received seven days' notice in writing dismissal. thereof.

(2) Any employer who contravenes this section 25 shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

8. (1) The Minister may at any time transfer the Transfer by juvenile to another employer, or may require the the Minister. juvenile to return to any training farm to be named by

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(2) The Minister may at any time, by notice in writing, require the employer forthwith to deliver the juvenile to some person named therein.

(3) Any person who fails to comply with any 35 requirement under this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

9. Any person who-

Penalties.

- (a) without the authority of the Minister takes or removes any juvenile from the employer with
  - whom the juvenile is placed for employment under this Act before the expiration of the (b) term of service; or

- (b) directly or indirectly aids, abets, counsels, or induces any such juvenile to leave his employment before the expiration of his service; or
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(c) prevents any such juvenile from returning to his employer,

shall be liable, on conviction, to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

10. In all proceedings in respect of offences against Evidence.

10 this Act, the onus of showing that any juvenile described in any information as a juvenile placed for employment with an employer under this Act, is not a juvenile so placed, shall be upon the defendant.

15 may be taken in a summary manner before a stipendiary for breach of a proceedings or police or industrial magistrate or any two justices in petty sessions.

## SCHEDULE.

I, , do hereby declare that I am desirous of 20 coming under the provisions of the Juvenile Migrants Act, 1925, of the State of New South Wales. It has been explained to me that \* during my passage to that State I shall be under the control of a person appointed by or on behalf of the Minister for Labour and Industry of that State and that \* when I am in that

25 State I shall, until I attain the age of twenty-one years, be under the control of the Minister for Labour and Industry of that State, and under the provisions of the abovementioned Act. The following particulars are true and correct :---

#### My name is

30 My address is

#### My age is

## Dated the day of

# (Signature).....

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(\*Note. - Strike out words between asterisks when the form is signed in New 35 South Wales.)

#### PARENT'S OR GUARDIAN'S ENDORSEMENT.

I, the undersigned, being the of the said hereby consent to my proceeding to New South Walesunder the provisions of the above Act.

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(As amended and agreed to in Select Committee.)

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3. In this Act, unless the context otherwise Definitions. 10 requires,-

"Employer" means a person with whom a juvenile is placed for employment under this Act.

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"Minister" means Minister for Labour and Industry.

4. With respect to any juvenile who, either before Powers of the Minister. 25 or after coming to the State, signs a statement in or to the effect of the form in the Schedule to this Act the

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the reception, control, and training of juveniles for rural employment, and may make such provisions as he deems necessary for their control, maintenance, training, and employment in such institutions or in connection therewith;

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