This Public Bill originated in the Legislative Assembly, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

W. R. McCOURT,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 23 August, 1939.

New South Wales.



ANNO TERTIO

GEORGII VI REGIS.

Act No. , 1939.

An Act to amend the Inclosed Lands Protection Act, 1901, in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith.

BE 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 of the same, as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Inclosed Lands Short His Protection (Amendment) Act, 1939."

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New South Wales.



ANNO TERTIO

GEORGII VI REGIS.

Act No. 9, 1939.

An Act to amend the Inclosed Lands Protection Act, 1901, in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 6th September, 1939.]

BE 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 of the same, as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Inclosed Lands Short title. Protection (Amendment) Act, 1939."

(2) The Inclosed Lands Protection Act, 1901, as amended by this Act may be cited as the Inclosed Lands Protection Act, 1901-1939.

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Amendment of Act No. 33, 1901. Sec. 3.

(Interpreta-

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- 2. The Inclosed Lands Protection Act, 1901, is amended—
 - (a) (i) by inserting in the definition of "Inclosed lands" in section three, after the word "erection," the words "or partly by a fence, wall or other erection, and partly by a canal or by some natural feature such as a river or cliff";
 - (ii) by omitting the word "and" at the end of the same definition and inserting in lieu thereof the following words:—

Where a road is lawfully inclosed with the lands of any person such lands of such person but not the road shall be deemed for the purposes of this Act the inclosed lands of such person.

- (iii) by inserting after the definition of "Justice" the following definition:—
 - "Road" means any land proclaimed, dedicated, resumed or otherwise provided as a public thoroughfare or way or any land defined, reserved or left as a road in any subdivision of lands.

(b) by inserting at the end of section four the following words and new subsection:—

Without prejudice to the generality of the expression "lawful excuse" a drover or person in charge of stock being driven upon a road lawfully inclosed with the lands of any person shall be deemed to have lawful excuse for entering such lands for the purpose of preventing the stock from straying or of regaining control of stock which have strayed from such road.

In this subsection "stock" includes horses, cattle, sheep, goats, pigs and camels.

(2) Where a road is lawfully inclosed with the lands of any person, and such road is not clearly defined but there is a reasonably defined track commonly used by persons passing through

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I certify that this Public Bill, which originated in the Legislative Assembly, has finally passed the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales.

W. R. McCOURT, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber. Sydney, 31 August, 1939.

New South Wales.



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- (2) The Inclosed Lands Protection Act, 1901, as amended by this Act may be cited as the Inclosed Lands Protection Act, 1901-1939.

2.

I have examined this Bill, and find it to correspond in all respects with the Bill as finally passed by both Houses.

W. W. HEDGES,

Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly.

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In the name and on behalf of His Majesty I assent to this Act.

> WAKEHURST, Governor.

Government House, Sydney, 6th September, 1939.

