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.

#### F. B. LANGLEY,

Clerk Assistant for Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. Legislative Assembly Chamber. Sydney, 12 December, 1946.

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#### ANNO UNDECIMO

#### GEORGI VI REGIS.

## Act No. , 1946.

An Act to amend the Mining Act, 1906-1935; and for purposes connected therewith.

**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 of 5 the same, as follows :---

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Mining (Amend- Short title, ment) Act, 1946."

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(2) The Mining Act, 1906, as amended by subse-mencement. quent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Mining 10 Act, 1906-1946.

(3) This Act shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

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		Mining (Amendment).	
	2. Th	e Mining Act, 1906-1935, is amended—	Amendment of Act No. 49, 1906.
	(a)	<ul><li>(i) by omitting from subsection two of section thirty-eight the word "a" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "any";</li></ul>	Sec. 38. (Term of renewal of leases.)
5		<ul><li>(ii) by inserting at the end of the same sub- section the words "or where the term of the lease does not exceed five years during the last year of such term";</li></ul>	
10	(b)	by inserting in section 39A after the word "may" where firstly occurring the words "with the consent of the Governor";	Sec. 39A. (Renewal of Crown lands lease for further term.)
	(c)	by inserting next after section 39s the following new section:	New sec. 39c.
15		39c. (1) A lease of Crown lands granted under this Act or any Act hereby repealed, the term of which has been renewed pursuant to section 39A of this Act, or a lease of Crown lands to which section 39B of this Act applies,	Renewals of Crown lands leases for further terms.
20 25	1	the term of which has been renewed pursuant to that section, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years and subject to such rents, royalties and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.	
		(2) Notwithstanding any other provi- sions of this Act application for any such renewal may be made at any time during the term of any such lease.	
30	(d)	(i) by omitting subsection one of section sixty- two and by inserting in lieu thereof the	Sec. 62. (Term of

lease.) following subsection :-

(1) A lease granted under this Part may be for any term not exceeding twenty years. (ii)

(ii) by omitting subsection three of the same section and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsections :-

(3) Any such lease may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed for any term not exceeding twenty years.

(4) The renewal shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(e) by inserting next after section sixty-two the New sec. 62A. following new section :---

62A. (1) Any lease granted under this Part of Renewal this Act, or any lease of private lands granted further under any Act repealed by this Act, the term of term. which has been renewed whether before or after the commencement of the Mining (Amendment) Act, 1946, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years as the Governor may approve.

(2) Any renewal granted in pursuance of this section shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(f) by inserting at the end of subsection one of Sec. 70c. section 70c the following words:-

(Royalty payable.)

Provided that upon any renewal of a lease under this Division the Governor may in respect of such renewal vary the amount payable by way of royalty under paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this subsection in such manner as he may determine.

For the purposes of subsection two of this section the amount determined by the Governor in respect of any such renewal pursuant to the foregoing provision shall, in respect of such renewal, be deemed to be the amount prescribed by paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this subsection, as the case may be.

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(3) A lease granted under this Part may be etc.) for any term not exceeding twenty years.

(4) Any such lease may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed for any further term not exceeding twenty years.

(5) The renewal shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(h) by inserting next after section eighty-six the New sec. following new section:— 86A.

86A. (1) Any lease granted under this Part of Renewal this Act, or any dredging lease granted under of leases any Act repealed by this Act, the term of which term. has been renewed whether before or after the commencement of the Mining (Amendment) Act, 1946, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years as the Governor may approve.

(2) Any renewal granted in pursuance of this section shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

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### Mining (Amendment) Bill, 1946.

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE.**

THE objects of this Bill are-

- (a) to provide that the period for which mining leases under the Mining Act or Acts repealed thereby may be renewed shall be such period not exceeding twenty years as the Governor may approve;
- (b) to remove restrictions on the number of renewals of any such leases that may be granted;
- (c) to enable leases of privately owned minerals to be renewed on conditions as to royalty similar to those on which leases of private lands containing minerals owned by the Crown may be renewed.

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#### No. , 1946.

# A BILL

To amend the Mining Act, 1906-1935; and for purposes connected therewith.

[MR. BADDELEY;—10 December, 1946.]

**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 of 5 the same, as follows :--

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Mining (Amend- short title, ment) Act, 1946."

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(2) The Mining Act, 1906, as amended by subsemencement.
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 10 Act, 1906-1946.

(3) This Act shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

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	Mining (Amendment).	
	<b>2.</b> The Mining Act, 1906-1935, is amended—	Amendment of Act No. 49, 1906.
	<ul><li>(a) (i) by omitting from subsection two of section thirty-eight the word "a" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "any";</li></ul>	
5	<ul><li>(ii) by inserting at the end of the same sub- section the words "or where the term of the lease does not exceed five years during the last year of such term";</li></ul>	
10		Sec. 39A. (Renewal of Crown lands lease for further term.)
	(c) by inserting next after section 39 <sup>B</sup> the following new section:	New sec. 39c.
15	under this Act or any Act hereby repealed, the term of which has been renewed pursuant to	Renewals of Crown lands leases for further terms.
20 25	to that section, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years and subject to such rents, royalties and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.	
	(2) Notwithstanding any other provi- sions of this Act application for any such renewal may be made at any time during the term of any such lease.	
30	(d) (i) by omitting subsection one of section sixty- s two and by inserting in lieu thereof the ( following subsection:	

(1) A lease granted under this Part may be for any term not exceeding twenty years.

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following new section :---

(ii) by omitting subsection three of the same section and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsections :-

(3) Any such lease may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed for any term not exceeding twenty years.

(4) The renewal shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(e) by inserting next after section sixty-two the Newsec. 62A.

62A. (1) Any lease granted under this Part of Renewal this Act, or any lease of private lands granted further under any Act repealed by this Act, the term of term. which has been renewed whether before or after the commencement of the Mining (Amendment) Act, 1946, may, with the consent of the Governor. be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years as the Governor may approve.

(2) Any renewal granted in pursuance of this section shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(f) by inserting at the end of subsection one of Sec. 70c. section 70c the following words:-

(Royalty payable.)

Provided that upon any renewal of a lease under this Division the Governor may in respect of such renewal vary the amount payable by way of royalty under paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this subsection in such manner as he may determine.

For the purposes of subsection two of this section the amount determined by the Governor in respect of any such renewal pursuant to the foregoing provision shall, in respect of such renewal, be deemed to be the amount prescribed by paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this subsection, as the case may be.

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dredging, (3) A lease granted under this Part may be etc.) for any term not exceeding twenty years.

(4) Any such lease may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed for any further term not exceeding twenty years.

(5) The renewal shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(h) by inserting next after section eighty-six the New sec. 86A. following new section :--

86A. (1) Any lease granted under this Part of Renewal this Act, or any dredging lease granted under of leases for further any Act repealed by this Act, the term of which term. has been renewed whether before or after the commencement of the Mining (Amendment) Act, 1946, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years as the Governor may approve.

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# Act No. 53, 1946.

An Act to amend the Mining Act, 1906-1935; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 24th December, 1946.]

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 of the same, as follows :---

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Mining (Amend- short title, ment) Act, 1946."

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(2) The Mining Act, 1906, as amended by subse- mencement. quent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Mining Act, 1906-1946.

(3) This Act shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

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#### Mining (Amendment).

2. The Mining Act, 1906-1935, is amended—

Amendment of Act No. 49, 1906.

Sec. 38.

(Term of renewal of leases.)

Sec. 39A. (Renewal of Orown lands lease for further term.)

New sec. 39C.

Renewals of Crown lands leases for further terms.

Sec. 62. (Term of lease.)  (a) (i) by omitting from subsection two of section thirty-eight the word "a" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "any";

- (ii) by inserting at the end of the same subsection the words "or where the term of the lease does not exceed five years during the last year of such term";
- (b) by inserting in section 39A after the word "may" where firstly occurring the words "with the consent of the Governor";
- (c) by inserting next after section 39<sup>B</sup> the following new section:—

39c. (1) A lease of Crown lands granted under this Act or any Act hereby repealed, the term of which has been renewed pursuant to section 39A of this Act, or a lease of Crown lands to which section 39B of this Act applies, the term of which has been renewed pursuant to that section, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years and subject to such rents, royalties and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(2) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act application for any such renewal may be made at any time during the term of any such lease.

(d) (i) by omitting subsection one of section sixtytwo and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsection:—

> (1) A lease granted under this Part may be for any term not exceeding twenty years.

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(ii) by omitting subsection three of the same section and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsections :--

(3) Any such lease may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed for any term not exceeding twenty years.

(4) The renewal shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(e) by inserting next after section sixty-two the Newsec. following new section :---

62A. (1) Any lease granted under this Part of Renewal this Act, or any lease of private lands granted further under any Act repealed by this Act, the term of term. which has been renewed whether before or after the commencement of the Mining (Amendment) Act, 1946, may, with the consent of the Governor. be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years as the Governor may approve.

(2) Any renewal granted in pursuance of this section shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(f) by inserting at the end of subsection one of Sec. 70c. section 70c the following words:-

Provided that upon any renewal of a lease under this Division the Governor may in respect of such renewal vary the amount payable by way of royalty under paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this subsection in such manner as he may determine.

For the purposes of subsection two of this section the amount determined by the Governor in respect of any such renewal pursuant to the foregoing provision shall, in respect of such renewal, be deemed to be the amount prescribed by paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this subsection, as the case may be.

(Royalty payable.)

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Sec. 86. (Governor may grant leases for dredging, etc.)

New sec. 86A.

Renewal of leases for further term. (g) by omitting subsections three and four of section eighty-six and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsections:—

(3) A lease granted under this Part may be for any term not exceeding twenty years.

(4) Any such lease may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed for any further term not exceeding twenty years.

(5) The renewal shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(h) by inserting next after section eighty-six the following new section:--

86A. (1) Any lease granted under this Part of this Act, or any dredging lease granted under any Act repealed by this Act, the term of which has been renewed whether before or after the commencement of the Mining (Amendment) Act, 1946, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years as the Governor may approve.

(2) Any renewal granted in pursuance of this section shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

By Authority:

THOMAS HENRY TENNANT, Government Printer, Sydney, 1947. [3d.]

I certify that this PUBLIC BILL, which originated in the LEGIS-LATIVE ASSEMBLY, has finally passed the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL and the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of NEW SOUTH WALES.

F. B. LANGLEY.

Clerk Assistant for Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 19 December, 1946.





# ANNO UNDECIMO GEORGII VI REGIS.

## Act No. 53, 1946.

An Act to amend the Mining Act, 1906-1935; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 24th December, 1946.]

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 of the same, as follows :---

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Mining (Amend- short title, ment) Act, 1946."

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(2) The Mining Act, 1906, as amended by subse-mencement. quent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Mining Act, 1906-1946.

(3) This Act shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

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

G. BOOTH.

Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly.

	Mining (Amendment).
Amendment of Act No. 49, 1906.	2. The Mining Act, 1906-1935, is amended—
Sec. 38. (Term of renewal of leases.)	<ul> <li>(a) (i) by omitting from subsection two of section thirty-eight the word "a" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "any";</li> </ul>
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Sec. 39A. (Renewal of Drown lands lease for 'urther ierm.)	(b) by inserting in section 39A after the word "may" where firstly occurring the words "with the consent of the Governor";
New sec. 390.	(c) by inserting next after section 39 <sup>B</sup> the following new section :
Renewals of Crown lands leases for further terms.	39c. (1) A lease of Crown lands granted under this Act or any Act hereby repealed, the term of which has been renewed pursuant to section 39A of this Act, or a lease of Crown lands to which section 39B of this Act applies, the term of which has been renewed pursuant to that section, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years and subject to such rents, royalties and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.
	(2) Notwithstanding any other provi- sions of this Act application for any such renewal may be made at any time during the term of any such lease.
Sec. 62. (Term of lease.)	(d) (i) by omitting subsection one of section sixty- two and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsection:—
	(1) A lease granted under this Part may be for any term not exceeding twenty years. (ii)

#### Mining (Amendment).

(ii) by omitting subsection three of the same section and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsections :---

(3) Any such lease may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed for any term not exceeding twenty years.

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(2) Any renewal granted in pursuance of this section shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(f) by inserting at the end of subsection one of Sec. 70c. section 70c the following words:-

(Royalty payable.)

Provided that upon any renewal of a lease under this Division the Governor may in respect of such renewal vary the amount payable by way of royalty under paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this subsection in such manner as he may determine.

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Sec. 86. (Governor may grant leases for dredging, etc.)

New sec. 86A.

Renewal of leases for further term. (g) by omitting subsections three and four of section eighty-six and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsections:—

(3) A lease granted under this Part may be for any term not exceeding twenty years.

(4) Any such lease may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed for any further term not exceeding twenty years.

(5) The renewal shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

(h) by inserting next after section eighty-six the following new section:—

86A. (1) Any lease granted under this Part of this Act, or any dredging lease granted under any Act repealed by this Act, the term of which has been renewed whether before or after the commencement of the Mining (Amendment) Act, 1946, may, with the consent of the Governor, be renewed from time to time for such further term not exceeding twenty years as the Governor may approve.

(2) Any renewal granted in pursuance of this section shall be subject to such rents, royalties, and other covenants and conditions as the Governor may approve.

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

NORTHCOTT, Governor.

Government House, Sydney, 24th December, 1946.