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GEORGII VI REGIS.

Act No. 17, 1950.

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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:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title, construction, and division into Parts.

- 1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Bread Manufacture and Delivery Act, 1950."
- (2) This Act shall be read and construed subject to the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.
 - (3) This Act is divided into Parts as follows:—PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

PART II.—Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards and Trade Supplies.

PART III.—Bread—Weights.

SCHEDULE.

Definitions.

- 2. (1) In this Act, unless the context or subject matter otherwise indicates or requires:—
 - "Bakehouse" means any building or place in which any bread is manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale, and any place or room used in connection with any such building or place for storing bread when manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale or any material to be used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread for trade or sale.
 - "Bread manufacturer" means a person who carries on the business of manufacturing, preparing or baking bread for trade or sale.

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- "Distribution centre", in relation to any bread manufacturer, means any building or premises to which bread is conveyed directly or indirectly from a bakehouse and at which bread is sold or from which bread is delivered to the premises of customers.
- "Prescribed" means prescribed by this Act or the regulations made thereunder.
- "Shop" means any building or place in which goods are sold or exposed or offered for sale by retail.
- "Trade supplier" means a person carrying on the business of supplying trade supplies to bread manufacturers.
- "Trade supplies" means flour, yeast or any other ingredient or substance used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread, or any machine, implement or thing used in connection with the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread or any service in respect of any such flour, yeast, ingredient, substance, machine, implement or thing.
- "Under Secretary" means Under Secretary,
 Department of Labour and Industry and Social
 Welfare.
- (2) Any reference in Part II of this Act to the supplying of any trade supplies shall be deemed to include a reference to the rendering of any service mentioned in the definition of "Trade supplies."

PART II.

Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards and Trade Supplies.

3. This Part of this Act shall, except where otherwise Commence-expressly provided, commence upon a day to be appointed ment. by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

Bread manufacturers to deliver bread to premises within three miles of bakehouse, etc.

- 4. (1) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread manufacturer shall, if so required verbally or in writing by any person,
 - (a) sell to that person; and
 - (b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place situated not more than three miles (measured by the nearest practicable route) from any bakehouse or distribution centre of such bread manufacturer for the time being in use,

bread in such reasonable quantities and at such reasonable intervals as may from time to time be stipulated in any usual and sufficient manner and on such terms and conditions as are usual in respect of bread so sold and delivered.

- (2) Nothing in subsection one of this section shall operate to require—
 - (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;
 - (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, for the commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters;
 - (c) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread at any place if the respective bakehouses or distribution centres

centres of three other bread manufacturers are closer to such place than the bakehouse or distribution centre of such first mentioned bread manufacturer;

(d) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person if such bread manufacturer is the holder of a certificate of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of this section (which certificate the Under Secretary is hereby authorised to grant) which has not expired or been revoked.

The Under Secretary may at any time revoke any certificate granted by him in pursuance of

this paragraph.

(3) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, increase or decrease the distance referred to in subsection one of this section in relation to bakehouses and distribution centres situated in any area specified in such proclamation and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to such bakehouses and distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

(4) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, amend the provisions of subsection one of this section in respect of their application to any bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres specified in the proclamation by substituting a reference to an area or areas specified in the proclamation for the reference to the distance referred to in the said subsection and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to the specified bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended, and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.

The Minister may require delivery of bread.

5. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given to any bread manufacturer require such bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person at any place within such area and in accordance with such terms and conditions as may be specified in the notice.

Without limiting the generality of the foregoing provisions of this section such terms and conditions may include terms and conditions as to quantities of bread to be sold and delivered and the times of delivery.

- (2) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given shall, if so required verbally or in writing by any person—
 - (a) sell to that person; and
- (b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place within the area specified in such notice bread in accordance with the terms and conditions specified in such notice.
- (3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may determine.

- (4) Nothing in subsections one and two of this section shall operate to require—
 - (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;
 - (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, for the commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters.
- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) The provisions of this section shall have effect notwithstanding anything contained in section four of this Act.
- (7) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
- 6. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given The Minister such bread may require bread manufacturer require any bread manufacturer to manufacture, prepare or bake for trade manufacor sale bread in such types or varieties or types and turer varieties, in such quantities and at such intervals and different for such period of time as may be specified in such types or notice.

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- (2) Any bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given who fails to comply with the requirements of such notice shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.
- (3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary the requirements of such notice in such manner as he may determine.

Trade suppliers to supply bread manufacturers with necessary trade supplies.

- 7. (1) Notwithstanding any contract, agreement or arrangement with any other trade supplier, bread manufacturer or other person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act) a trade supplier who, at the commencement of this Part of this Act or at any time thereafter, is carrying on business as such shall, when required by notice in writing by the Minister, supply to any bread manufacturer or any person proposing to commence business as a bread manufacturer named in such notice such trade supplies (being trade supplies in which the trade supplier ordinarily deals in the course of his business) as may be specified in such notice and in such quantities, at such times and intervals and subject to such terms and conditions as may be specified in such notice.
- (2) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may determine.
- (3) Nothing contained in subsection one of this section shall operate to require a trade supplier to supply trade supplies to any bread manufacturer or other person who, after being required so to do by the trade supplier, refuses to pay cash on delivery for any trade supplies supplied or required to be supplied to him.
- (4) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.

(5) Any person who contravenes or fails to observe the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand pounds or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months.

8. (1) All bread manufactured, prepared or baked Standard for trade or sale or sold or exposed for sale shall be made loaf. from such ingredients and processed in such manner and shall conform to such standard or standards as to quality

as may be prescribed.

- (2) In recommending the making of any regulation prescribing any matter permitted to be prescribed by subsection one of this section, the Minister shall have due regard to the recommendations of a committee appointed by the Minister and consisting representatives of the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Public Health, the Department of Labour and Industry and Social Welfare and such other persons as the Minister may determine.
- (3) Sections three and four of the Bread Act. 1901, as amended by subsequent Acts, are hereby repealed.
- (4) This section shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.
- 9. A flour miller shall not sell or deliver flour to a Flour trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person proposing miller to to commence business as a bread manufacturer unless description there is conspicuously appended in manner the prescribed to every bag or other container in which such flour is sold or delivered such specification setting out such description as may be prescribed relating to the protein and maltose content of the flour and such other description of the ingredients contained in such flour and such other particulars relating to the use of such flour in the manufacture of bread as may be prescribed.

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10. (1) Any inspector authorised in that behalf by Inspection. the Minister shall have power—

(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any premises of any trade supplier

or bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act and the regulations thereunder are being complied with;

- (b) to require the production of any books, documents and papers referring to the manufacture, distribution and sale of bread or trade supplies and to examine, make copies of or extracts from the same;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread or trade supplies and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder;
- (e) to seize and take any adulterated, impure or unwholesome dough or ingredient in or upon such premises which appears to be intended to be used for the purpose of manufacture of bread; and
- (f) to seize and take any sample or samples of any dough, bread, meal or flour in or upon such premises.
- (2) (a) Every trade supplier, bread manufacturer and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder is refused or unreasonably

unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed requisite.

(c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such power as aforesaid, or to produce any books, documents or papers which he is required to produce or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:

Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) (a) Every inspector shall be furnished with an authority and on applying for admission to any premises, or exercising any powers conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, shall, if required, produce such authority to the occupier or person concerned.
- (b) Every person who forges or counterfeits any such authority or makes use of any forged, counterfeited, or false authority, or personates the inspector named in any such authority, or falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act, shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
- (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector within the meaning of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 11. (1) Any person who contravenes or fails to Offences. comply with the provisions of this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.

- (2) Any person who is guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act shall, where no other penalty is provided, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.
- (3) Where a person convicted of an offence against this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person who at the time of the commission of the offence was a director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed to have committed the like offence and be liable to the pecuniary penalty or imprisonment provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

Refusal or cancellation of registration of bakehouses. 12. (1) The registration as a factory of any bakehouse pursuant to the provisions of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts, may be suspended by the Under Secretary for such period as he may think fit or may be cancelled by him or the registration or the renewal of registration as a factory of any bakehouse pursuant to that Act may be refused by him where he is satisfied that the occupier of such bakehouse has been convicted of an offence against this Part of this Act. During the period of such suspension such bakehouse shall be deemed not to be kept in conformity with Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

In this subsection "factory" and "occupier" have the meanings respectively ascribed thereto by Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

(2) If any person is dissatisfied with the decision of the Under Secretary in respect of any suspension, cancellation or refusal to register or renew registration pursuant to the provisions of subsection one of this section he may appeal against the decision of the Under Secretary in the manner prescribed to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales.

13. (1) Proceedings for an offence against this Part Proceedof this Act or the regulations thereunder may be taken by any person acting with the authority of the Minister.

- (2) On a prosecution for any such offence an authority to prosecute purporting to be signed by the Minister shall be evidence of such authority without proof of the Minister's signature.
- (3) All proceedings for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder may be disposed of summarily before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate appointed under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- (4) The provisions of the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, and the regulations thereunder, relating to proceedings before an industrial magistrate and to appeals from an industrial magistrate to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to proceedings before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- 14. (1) The Governor may make regulations not Regulations. inconsistent with this Part of this Act prescribing all matters which by this Part of this Act are required or permitted to be prescribed or which are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to this Part of this Act.

Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power the Governor may make regulations-

- (a) prescribing the form of accounts to be kept by bread manufacturers and trade suppliers:
- (b) prescribing the forms and particulars to be supplied when applications are made for certificates of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of section three of this Act;

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- (c) prescribing the standard or standards to be maintained by bread manufacturers in respect of ingredients used in the manufacture of doughs and the making or baking of bread.
- (2) The regulations may impose a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds for any breach thereof.
 - (3) The regulations shall—
 - (a) be published in the Gazette;
 - (b) take effect from the date of publication or from a later date to be specified in the regulations;
 and
 - (c) be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen sitting days after the publication thereof if Parliament is in session, and if not, then within fourteen sitting days after the commencement of the next session.

If either House of Parliament passes a resolution of which notice has been given at any time within fifteen sitting days after the regulations have been laid before such House disallowing any regulation or part thereof, such regulation or part shall thereupon cease to have effect.

PART III.

BREAD-WEIGHTS.

Commencement. 15. This Part of this Act shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

Repeal

16. The Acts mentioned in the Schedule to this Act are to the extent therein expressed hereby repealed.

Bread to be made in loaves of certain weight. ef. Act No. 35, 1901, s. 5. 17. (1) All bread made or baked for trade or sale within the State shall be made into loaves weighing not less than one pound, two pounds and four pounds respectively according to the standard weight by law established.

- (2) Every person, who makes or bakes for trade or sale—
 - (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,

shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, for a second offence to a penalty not exceeding two hundred pounds and for a third or subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds.

- (3) Every person who sells or offers for sale—
- (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
- (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,

shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

- (4) It shall be a sufficient defence to any prosecution under this section for making or baking for trade or sale or selling or offering for sale any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector if the defendant proves that such loaf was not made or baked within the period of twenty-four hours of its being so weighed.
- (5) In this section, "bread" does not include bread rolls not exceeding six ounces in weight.

18. (1) Any inspector shall have power—

Powers of inspectors.

(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or any bakehouse for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act are being complied with;

- (b) to view, weigh and try all bread in any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or in any bakehouse;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act; and
- (e) to seize and take any sample or samples of any bread in or upon such bakehouse or shop.
- (2) (a) Every bread manufacturer and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this section.
- (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this section is refused or unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed requisite.
- (c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this section, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such power as aforesaid or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:

Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) Every person who falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
- (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector of weights and measures appointed under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 19. All proceedings for offences against this Part of Proceedings this Act shall be disposed of summarily before a court offences. of petty sessions.
- 20. Where a person convicted of an offence against Provisions this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person to offences who at the time of the commission of the offence was a by director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed corporate. to have committed the like offence and be liable to the penalty provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

SCHEDULE.

Sec. 16.

No. of Act.	Name of Act.	Extent of Repeal.
1901, No. 35	Bread Act, 1901	Sections one, two, five to nine, both inclusive, and sections eleven to nineteen, both
1923, No. 19	Bread (Amend- ment) Act, 1923.	inclusive. The unrepealed portion.

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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.

H. ROBBINS, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 2 May, 1950,

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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.

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:—

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PRELIMINARY.

Short title, construction, and division into Parts.

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- (2) This Act shall be read and construed subject to the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.
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PART III.—Bread—Weights.

SCHEDULE.

Definitions.

- 2. (1) In this Act, unless the context or subject matter otherwise indicates or requires:—
 - "Bakehouse" means any building or place in which any bread is manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale, and any place or room used in connection with any such building or place for storing bread when manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale or any material to be used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread for trade or sale.
 - "Bread manufacturer" means a person who carries on the business of manufacturing, preparing or baking bread for trade or sale.

"Distribution

- "Distribution centre", in relation to any bread manufacturer, means any building or premises to which bread is conveyed directly or indirectly from a bakehouse and at which bread is sold or from which bread is delivered to the premises of customers.
- "Prescribed" means prescribed by this Act or the regulations made thereunder.
- "Shop" means any building or place in which goods are sold or exposed or offered for sale by retail.
- "Trade supplier" means a person carrying on the business of supplying trade supplies to bread manufacturers.
- "Trade supplies" means flour, yeast or any other ingredient or substance used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread, or any machine, implement or thing used in connection with the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread or any service in respect of any such flour, yeast, ingredient, substance, machine, implement or thing.
- "Under Secretary" means Under Secretary,
 Department of Labour and Industry and Social
 Welfare.
- (2) Any reference in Part II of this Act to the supplying of any trade supplies shall be deemed to include a reference to the rendering of any service mentioned in the definition of "Trade supplies."

PART II.

Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards and Trade Supplies.

3. This Part of this Act shall, except where otherwise Commence expressly provided, commence upon a day to be appointed ment. by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

Bread manufacturers to deliver bread to premises within three miles of bakehouse, etc.

- 4. (1) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread manufacturer shall, if so required verbally or in writing by any person,
 - (a) sell to that person; and
 - (b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place situated not more than three miles (measured by the nearest practicable route) from any bakehouse or distribution centre of such bread manufacturer for the time being in use,

bread in such reasonable quantities and at such reasonable intervals as may from time to time be stipulated in any usual and sufficient manner and on such terms and conditions as are usual in respect of bread so sold and delivered.

- (2) Nothing in subsection one of this section shall operate to require—
 - (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;
 - (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, for the commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters;
 - (c) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread at any place if the respective bakehouses or distribution centres

centres of three other bread manufacturers are closer to such place than the bakehouse or distribution centre of such first mentioned bread manufacturer;

(d) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person if such bread manufacturer is the holder of a certificate of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of this section (which certificate the Under Secretary is hereby authorised to grant) which has not expired or been revoked.

The Under Secretary may at any time revoke any certificate granted by him in pursuance of

this paragraph.

- (3) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, increase or decrease the distance referred to in subsection one of this section in relation to bakehouses and distribution centres situated in any area specified in such proclamation and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to such bakehouses and distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.
- (4) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, amend the provisions of subsection one of this section in respect of their application to any bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres specified in the proclamation by substituting a reference to an area or areas specified in the proclamation for the reference to the distance referred to in the said subsection and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to the specified bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended, and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.

The Minister may require delivery of bread.

5. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given to any bread manufacturer require such bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person at any place within such area and in accordance with such terms and conditions as may be specified in the notice.

Without limiting the generality of the foregoing provisions of this section such terms and conditions may include terms and conditions as to quantities of bread to be sold and delivered and the times of delivery.

- (2) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given shall, if so required verbally or in writing by any person—
 - (a) sell to that person; and
- (b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place within the area specified in such notice bread in accordance with the terms and conditions specified in such notice.
- (3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may determine.

- (4) Nothing in subsections one and two of this section shall operate to require—
 - (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;
 - (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, for the commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters.
- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) The provisions of this section shall have effect notwithstanding anything contained in section four of this Act.
- (7) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
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- (2) Any bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given who fails to comply with the requirements of such notice shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.
- (3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary the requirements of such notice in such manner as he may determine.

Trade suppliers to supply bread manufacturers with necessary trade supplies.

- 7. (1) Notwithstanding any contract, agreement or arrangement with any other trade supplier, bread manufacturer or other person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act) a trade supplier who, at the commencement of this Part of this Act or at any time thereafter, is carrying on business as such shall, when so required by notice in writing by the Minister, supply to any bread manufacturer or any person proposing to commence business as a bread manufacturer named in such notice such trade supplies (being trade supplies in which the trade supplier ordinarily deals in the course of his business) as may be specified in such notice and in such quantities, at such times and intervals and subject to such terms and conditions as may be specified in such notice.
- (2) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may determine.
- (3) Nothing contained in subsection one of this section shall operate to require a trade supplier to supply trade supplies to any bread manufacturer or other person who, after being required so to do by the trade supplier, refuses to pay cash on delivery for any trade supplies supplied or required to be supplied to him.
- (4) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.

(5) Any person who contravenes or fails to observe the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand pounds or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months.

8. (1) All bread manufactured, prepared or baked Standard for trade or sale or sold or exposed for sale shall be made from such ingredients and processed in such manner and shall conform to such standard or standards as to quality

as may be prescribed.

(2) In recommending the making of any regulation prescribing any matter permitted to be prescribed by subsection one of this section, the Minister shall have due regard to the recommendations of a committee appointed by the Minister and consisting representatives of the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Public Health, the Department of Labour and Industry and Social Welfare and such other persons as the Minister may determine.

(3) Sections three and four of the Bread Act. 1901, as amended by subsequent Acts, are hereby

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(4) This section shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation

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10. (1) Any inspector authorised in that behalf by Inspection. the Minister shall have power—

(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any premises of any trade supplier

or bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act and the regulations thereunder are being complied with;

- (b) to require the production of any books, documents and papers referring to the manufacture, distribution and sale of bread or trade supplies and to examine, make copies of or extracts from the same;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread or trade supplies and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder;
- (e) to seize and take any adulterated, impure or unwholesome dough or ingredient in or upon such premises which appears to be intended to be used for the purpose of manufacture of bread; and
- (f) to seize and take any sample or samples of any dough, bread, meal or flour in or upon such premises.
- (2) (a) Every trade supplier, bread manufacturer and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder is refused or unreasonably

unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed requisite.

(c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such power as aforesaid, or to produce any books, documents or papers which he is required to produce or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:

Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) (a) Every inspector shall be furnished with an authority and on applying for admission to any premises, or exercising any powers conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, shall, if required, produce such authority to the occupier or person concerned.
- (b) Every person who forges or counterfeits any such authority or makes use of any forged, counterfeited, or false authority, or personates the inspector named in any such authority, or falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act, shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
- (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector within the meaning of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 11. (1) Any person who contravenes or fails to Offences. comply with the provisions of this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.

- (2) Any person who is guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act shall, where no other penalty is provided, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months.
- (3) Where a person convicted of an offence against this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person who at the time of the commission of the offence was a director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed to have committed the like offence and be liable to the pecuniary penalty or imprisonment provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

Refusal or cancellation of registration of bakehouses. 12. (1) The registration as a factory of any bakehouse pursuant to the provisions of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts, may be suspended by the Under Secretary for such period as he may think fit or may be cancelled by him or the registration or the renewal of registration as a factory of any bakehouse pursuant to that Act may be refused by him where he is satisfied that the occupier of such bakehouse has been convicted of an offence against this Part of this Act. During the period of such suspension such bakehouse shall be deemed not to be kept in conformity with Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

In this subsection "factory" and "occupier" have the meanings respectively ascribed thereto by Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

(2) If any person is dissatisfied with the decision of the Under Secretary in respect of any suspension, cancellation or refusal to register or renew registration pursuant to the provisions of subsection one of this section he may appeal against the decision of the Under Secretary in the manner prescribed to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales.

13. (1) Proceedings for an offence against this Part Proceedof this Act or the regulations thereunder may be taken ings. by any person acting with the authority of the Minister.

- (2) On a prosecution for any such offence an authority to prosecute purporting to be signed by the Minister shall be evidence of such authority without proof of the Minister's signature.
- (3) All proceedings for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder may be disposed of summarily before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate appointed under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- (4) The provisions of the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, and the regulations thereunder, relating to proceedings before an industrial magistrate and to appeals from an industrial magistrate to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to proceedings before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.

14. (1) The Governor may make regulations not Regulations. inconsistent with this Part of this Act prescribing all matters which by this Part of this Act are required or permitted to be prescribed or which are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to this Part of this Act.

Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power the Governor may make regulations-

- (a) prescribing the form of accounts to be kept by bread manufacturers and trade suppliers;
- (b) prescribing the forms and particulars to be supplied when applications are made for certificates of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of section three of this Act;

- (c) prescribing the standard or standards to be maintained by bread manufacturers in respect of ingredients used in the manufacture of doughs and the making or baking of bread.
- (2) The regulations may impose a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds for any breach thereof.
 - (3) The regulations shall—
 - (a) be published in the Gazette;
 - (b) take effect from the date of publication or from a later date to be specified in the regulations; and
 - (c) be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen sitting days after the publication thereof if Parliament is in session, and if not, then within fourteen sitting days after the commencement of the next session.

If either House of Parliament passes a resolution of which notice has been given at any time within fifteen sitting days after the regulations have been laid before such House disallowing any regulation or part thereof, such regulation or part shall thereupon cease to have effect.

PART III.

· Bread—Weights.

Commencement. 15. This Part of this Act shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

Repeal

16. The Acts mentioned in the Schedule to this Act are to the extent therein expressed hereby repealed.

Bread to be made in loaves of certain weight. cf. Act No. 35, 1901, s. 5. 17. (1) All bread made or baked for trade or sale within the State shall be made into loaves weighing not less than one pound, two pounds and four pounds respectively according to the standard weight by law established.

- (2) Every person, who makes or bakes for trade or sale—
 - (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,

shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, for a second offence to a penalty not exceeding two hundred pounds and for a third or subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds.

- (3) Every person who sells or offers for sale—
- (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
- (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,

shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

- (4) It shall be a sufficient defence to any prosecution under this section for making or baking for trade or sale or selling or offering for sale any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector if the defendant proves that such loaf was not made or baked within the period of twenty-four hours of its being so weighed.
- (5) In this section, "bread" does not include bread rolls not exceeding six ounces in weight.

18. (1) Any inspector shall have power—

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(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or any bakehouse for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act are being complied with;

- (b) to view, weigh and try all bread in any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or in any bakehouse;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act; and
- (e) to seize and take any sample or samples of any bread in or upon such bakehouse or shop.
- (2) (a) Every bread manufacturer and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this section.
- (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this section is refused or unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed requisite.
- (c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this section, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such power as aforesaid or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:

Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) Every person who falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
- (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector of weights and measures appointed under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 19. All proceedings for offences against this Part of Proceedings this Act shall be disposed of summarily before a court offences. of petty sessions.
- 20. Where a person convicted of an offence against Provisions this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person relating to offences who at the time of the commission of the offence was a by director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed corporate. to have committed the like offence and be liable to the penalty provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

SCHEDULE.

Sec. 16.

No. of Act.	Name of Act.	Extent of Repeal.
1901, No. 35	Bread Act, 1901	Sections one, two, five to nine, both inclusive, and sections eleven to nineteen, both
1923, No. 19	Bread (Amend- ment) Act, 1923.	inclusive. The unrepealed portion.

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

J. NORTHCOTT, Governor.

Government House. Sydney, 10th May, 1950.

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BREAD MANUFACTURE AND DELIVERY BILL.

Schedule of an amendment referred to in Legislative Council's Message of 27th April, 1950.

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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.

H. ROBBINS, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 19 April, 1950.

The Legislative Council has this day agreed to this Bill with an Amendment.

W. K. CHARLTON, Clerk of the Parliaments.

Legislative Council Chamber, Sydney, 27th April, 1950.

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Act No. , 1950.

An Act to require bread manufacturers to deliver bread within prescribed distances from their bakehouses or distribution centres or within prescribed areas; to require trade suppliers to supply trade supplies to bread manufacturers; to regulate the manufacture of bread; to require flour millers to append certain information to bags and containers in which flour is delivered to trade suppliers and bread manufacturers; to repeal the Bread Act, 1901, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith or incidental thereto.

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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 5 the same, as follows:

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Bread Short title, Manufacture and Delivery Act, 1950."

- (2) This Act shall be read and construed subject division into to the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance 15 is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.
 - (3) This Act is divided into Parts as follows:— PART I.—PRELIMINARY.
- PART II.—Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards 20 and Trade Supplies.

PART III.—Bread—Weights.

SCHEDULE.

2. (1) In this Act, unless the context or subject Definitions. 25 matter otherwise indicates or requires:—

"Bakehouse" means any building or place in which any bread is manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale, and any place or room used in connection with any such building or place for storing bread when manufactured, prepared 30 or baked for trade or sale or any material to be used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread for trade or sale.

"Bread manufacturer" means a person who carries on the business of manufacturing, preparing 35 or baking bread for trade or sale.

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- "Distribution centre", in relation to any bread manufacturer, means any building or premises to which bread is conveyed directly or indirectly from a bakehouse and at which bread is sold or from which bread is delivered to the premises of customers.
- "Prescribed" means prescribed by this Act or the regulations made thereunder.
- "Shop" means any building or place in which goods are sold or exposed or offered for sale by retail.

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- "Trade supplier" means a person carrying on the business of supplying trade supplies to bread manufacturers.
- "Trade supplies" means flour, yeast or any other ingredient or substance used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread, or any machine, implement or thing used in connection with the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread or any service in respect of any such flour, yeast, ingredient, substance, machine, implement or thing.
 - "Under Secretary" means Under Secretary,
 Department of Labour and Industry and Social
 Welfare.
- 25 (2) Any reference in Part II of this Act to the supplying of any trade supplies shall be deemed to include a reference to the rendering of any service mentioned in the definition of "Trade supplies."

PART II.

- 30 Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards and Trade Supplies.
- 3. This Part of this Act shall, except where otherwise commence expressly provided, commence upon a day to be appointed ment. by the Governor and notified by proclamation published 35 in the Gazette.

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(a) sell to that person; and

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(b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place situated not more than three miles (measured by the nearest practicable route) from any bakehouse or distribution centre of such bread manufacturer for the time being in use,

bread in such reasonable quantities and at such reasonable intervals as may from time to time be stipulated in 15 any usual and sufficient manner and on such terms and conditions as are usual in respect of bread so sold and delivered.

- (2) Nothing in subsection one of this section shall operate to require—
- (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or 20 cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;
- (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any 25 time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, 30 as amended by subsequent Acts, for the commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters; 35
 - (c) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread at any place if the respective bakehouses or distribution centres

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centres of three other bread manufacturers are closer to such place than the bakehouse or distribution centre of such first mentioned bread manufacturer;

(d) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person if such bread manufacturer is the holder of a certificate of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of this section (which certificate the Under Secretary is hereby authorised to grant) which has not expired or been revoked.

The Under Secretary may at any time revoke any certificate granted by him in pursuance of

this paragraph.

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15 (3) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, increase or decrease the distance referred to in subsection one of this section in relation to bakehouses and distribution centres situated in any area specified in such proclamation and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to such bakehouses and distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

(4) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, amend the provisions of subsection one of this section in respect of their application to any bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres specified in the proclamation by substituting a reference to an area or areas specified in the proclamation for the reference to the distance referred to in the said subsection and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to the specified bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended, and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor 40 may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary

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- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
- 5. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given to The 10 any bread manufacturer require such bread manufacturer may require to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any delivery of person at any place within such area and in accordance bread. with such terms and conditions as may be specified in the notice.

- 15 Without limiting the generality of the foregoing provisions of this section such terms and conditions may include terms and conditions as to quantities of bread to be sold and delivered and the times of delivery.
- (2) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, 20 agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given shall, if so required verbally or in writing by any 25 person-
 - (a) sell to that person; and
 - (b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place within the area specified in such notice

bread in accordance with the terms and conditions 30 specified in such notice.

(3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may 35 determine.

- (4) Nothing in subsections one and two of this section shall operate to require—
 - (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand:

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- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with 20 the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) The provisions of this section-shall have effect notwithstanding anything contained in section four of 25 this Act.
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- (2) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may 30 determine.
- (3) Nothing contained in subsection one of this section shall operate to require a trade supplier to supply trade supplies to any bread manufacturer or other person who, after being required so to do by the trade supplier, 35 refuses to pay cash on delivery for any trade supplies
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(5) Any person who contravenes or fails to observe the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand pounds or to 5 imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months.

8. (1) All bread manufactured, prepared or baked Standard for trade or sale or sold or exposed for sale shall be made from such ingredients and processed in such manner and shall conform to such standard or standards as to quality

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(2) In recommending the making of any regulation prescribing any matter permitted to be prescribed by subsection one of this section, the Minister shall have due regard to the recommendations of a committee 15 appointed by the Minister and consisting of representatives of the Department of Agriculture, the

Department of Public Health, the Department of Labour and Industry and Social Welfare and such other persons as the Minister may determine.

(3) Sections three and four of the Bread Act, 1901, as amended by subsequent Acts, are hereby repealed.

(4) This section shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation

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or bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act and the regulations thereunder are being complied with;

- (b) to require the production of any books, documents and papers referring to the manufacture, distribution and sale of bread or trade supplies and to examine, make copies of or extracts from the same;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread or trade supplies and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder;
 - (e) to seize and take any adulterated, impure or unwholesome dough or ingredient in or upon such premises which appears to be intended to be used for the purpose of manufacture of bread; and
 - (f) to seize and take any sample or samples of any dough, bread, meal or flour in or upon such premises.
- (2) (a) Every trade supplier, bread manufacturer 30 and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- 35 (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder is refused or unreasonably

unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed requisite.

(c) Every person who wilfully delays or 5 obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such power as aforesaid, or to produce any books, documents or papers which he is required to produce or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty 15 pounds:

Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) (a) Every inspector shall be furnished with an authority and on applying for admission to any premises, 20 or exercising any powers conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, shall, if required, produce such authority to the occupier or person concerned.
- (b) Every person who forges or counterfeits 25 any such authority or makes use of any forged, counterfeited, or false authority, or personates the inspector named in any such authority, or falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act, shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this 30 Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
 - (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector within the meaning of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 35 11. (1) Any person who contravenes or fails to offences. comply with the provisions of this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.

- (2) Any person who is guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act shall, where no other penalty is provided, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term not 5 exceeding six months.
- (3) Where a person convicted of an offence against this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person who at the time of the commission of the offence was a director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed 10 to have committed the like offence and be liable to the pecuniary penalty or imprisonment provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent 15 the commission of the offence.
- 12. (1) The registration as a factory of any Refusalor bakehouse pursuant to the provisions of the Factories cancellaand Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts, registration may be suspended by the Under Secretary for such period of 20 as he may think fit or may be cancelled by him or the registration or the renewal of registration as a factory of any bakehouse pursuant to that Act may be refused by him where he is satisfied that the occupier of such bakehouse has been convicted of an offence against this 25 Part of this Act. During the period of such suspension such bakehouse shall be deemed not to be kept in conformity with Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

In this subsection "factory" and "occupier" have the 30 meanings respectively ascribed thereto by Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

(2) If any person is dissatisfied with the decision of the Under Secretary in respect of any suspension, 35 cancellation or refusal to register or renew registration pursuant to the provisions of subsection one of this section he may appeal against the decision of the Under Secretary in the manner prescribed to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales.

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13. (1) Proceedings for an offence against this Part Proceed-of this Act or the regulations thereunder may be taken ings. by any person acting with the authority of the Minister.

- (2) On a prosecution for any such offence an 5 authority to prosecute purporting to be signed by the Minister shall be evidence of such authority without proof of the Minister's signature.
- (3) All proceedings for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder may be 10 disposed of summarily before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate appointed under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- (4) The provisions of the Industrial Arbitration 15 Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, and the regulations thereunder, relating to proceedings before an industrial magistrate and to appeals from an industrial magistrate to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to proceedings 20 before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.

14. (1) The Governor may make regulations not Regulations. inconsistent with this Part of this Act prescribing all 25 matters which by this Part of this Act are required or permitted to be prescribed or which are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to this Part of this Act.

Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing 30 power the Governor may make regulations—

- (a) prescribing the form of accounts to be kept by bread manufacturers and trade suppliers;
- (b) prescribing the forms and particulars to be supplied when applications are made for certificates of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of section three of this Act;

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- (c) prescribing the standard or standards to be maintained by bread manufacturers in respect of ingredients used in the manufacture of doughs and the making or baking of bread.
- (2) The regulations may impose a penalty not 5 exceeding twenty pounds for any breach thereof.
 - (3) The regulations shall—
 - (a) be published in the Gazette:

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- (b) take effect from the date of publication or from a later date to be specified in the regulations; 10
 - (c) be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen sitting days after the publication thereof if Parliament is in session, and if not, then within fourteen sitting days after the commencement of the next session.

If either House of Parliament passes a resolution of which notice has been given at any time within fifteen sitting days after the regulations have been laid before 20 such House disallowing any regulation or part thereof, such regulation or part shall thereupon cease to have effect.

PART III.

Bread-Weights.

- 15. This Part of this Act shall commence upon a day Commenceto be appointed by the Governor and notified by ment. proclamation published in the Gazette.
 - 16. The Acts mentioned in the Schedule to this Act Repeal. are to the extent therein expressed hereby repealed.
- 17. (1) All bread made or baked for trade or sale Bread to within the State shall be made into loaves weighing not be made less than one pound, two pounds and four pounds loaves respectively according to the standard weight by law of certain established.

cf. Act No. 35, 1901,

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- (2) Every person, who makes or bakes for trade or sale—
 - (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,

shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not 10 exceeding one hundred pounds, for a second offence to a penalty not exceeding two hundred pounds and for a third or subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds.

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- (3) Every person who sells or offers for sale—
- 15 (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,
- 20 shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.
- (4) It shall be a sufficient defence to any prosecution under this section for making or baking for trade or 25 sale or selling or offering for sale any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector if the defendant proves that such loaf was not made or baked within the period of twenty-four hours of its being so weighed.
- 30 (5) In this section, "bread" does not include bread rolls not exceeding six ounces in weight.

18. (1) Any inspector shall have power—

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(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or any bakehouse for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act are being complied with;

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- (b) to view, weigh and try all bread in any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or in any bakehouse;
- 5 (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act; and
 - (e) to seize and take any sample or samples of any bread in or upon such bakehouse or shop.
- (2) (a) Every bread manufacturer and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this section.
- 20 (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this section is refused or unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed 25 requisite.
- (c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this section, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such 30 power as aforesaid or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an
- person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:
- Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) Every person who falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
- (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector of weights and measures appointed under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 19. All proceedings for offences against this Part of Proceedings this Act shall be disposed of summarily before a court for offences. 10 of petty sessions.
- 20. Where a person convicted of an offence against Provisions this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person relating who at the time of the commission of the offence was a by director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed bodies

15 to have committed the like offence and be liable to the penalty provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

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SCHEDULE.

Sec. 16.

No. of Act.	Name of Act.	Extent of Repeal.
1901, No. 35	Bread Act, 1901	Sections one, two, five to nine, both inclusive, and sections eleven to nineteen, both
25, 1923, No. 19	Bread (Amend- ment) Act, 1923.	inclusive. The unrepealed portion.

Sydney: Alfred Henry Pettifer, Government Printer-1950. [1s..3d.]

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.

H. ROBBINS, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 19 April, 1950.

The Legislative Council has this day agreed to this Bill with an Amendment.

Clerk of the Parliaments.

Legislative Council Chamber, Sydney, April, 1950.

New South Wales.



ANNO QUARTO DECIMO

GEORGII VI REGIS.

Act No. , 1950.

An Act to require bread manufacturers to deliver bread within prescribed distances from their bakehouses or distribution centres or within prescribed areas; to require trade suppliers to supply trade supplies to bread manufacturers; to regulate the manufacture of bread; to require flour millers to append certain information to bags and containers in which flour is delivered to trade suppliers and bread manufacturers; to repeal the Bread Act, 1901, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith or incidental thereto.

BE

E it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, D 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:

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Bread short title, Manufacture and Delivery Act, 1950."

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- (2) This Act shall be read and construed subject division into to the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance 15 is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.
 - (3) This Act is divided into Parts as follows:— PART I.—PRELIMINARY.
- PART II.—Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards 20 and TRADE SUPPLIES.

PART III.—BREAD—WEIGHTS.

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2. (1) In this Act, unless the context or subject Definitions. 25 matter otherwise indicates or requires:

"Bakehouse" means any building or place in which any bread is manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale, and any place or room used in connection with any such building or place for storing bread when manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale or any material to be used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread for trade or sale.

"Bread manufacturer" means a person who carries on the business of manufacturing, preparing or baking bread for trade or sale.

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- "Distribution centre", in relation to any bread manufacturer, means any building or premises to which bread is conveyed directly or indirectly from a bakehouse and at which bread is sold or from which bread is delivered to the premises of customers.
- "Prescribed" means prescribed by this Act or the regulations made thereunder.
- "Shop" means any building or place in which goods are sold or exposed or offered for sale by retail.

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- "Trade supplier" means a person carrying on the business of supplying trade supplies to bread manufacturers.
- "Trade supplies" means flour, yeast or any other ingredient or substance used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread, or any machine, implement or thing used in connection with the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread or any service in respect of any such flour, yeast, ingredient, substance, machine, implement or thing.
 - "Under Secretary" means Under Secretary, Department of Labour and Industry and Social Welfare.
- 25 (2) Any reference in Part II of this Act to the supplying of any trade supplies shall be deemed to include a reference to the rendering of any service mentioned in the definition of "Trade supplies."

PART II.

- 30 Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards and Trade Supplies.
- 3. This Part of this Act shall, except where otherwise Commence-expressly provided, commence upon a day to be appointed ment. by the Governor and notified by proclamation published 35 in the Gazette.

4. (1) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, Bread agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacmanufacturer or person (whether made before or after to deliver the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread bread to premises 5 manufacturer shall, if so required verbally or in writing within three by any person.

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(a) sell to that person; and

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(b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place situated not more than three miles (measured by the nearest practicable route) from any bakehouse or distribution centre of such bread manufacturer for the time being in use.

bread in such reasonable quantities and at such reasonable intervals as may from time to time be stipulated in 15 any usual and sufficient manner and on such terms and conditions as are usual in respect of bread so sold and delivered.

- (2) Nothing in subsection one of this section shall operate to require—
- (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or 20 cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand:
- (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any 25 time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, 30 as amended by subsequent Acts, for the commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters: 35
 - (c) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread at any place if the respective bakehouses or distribution was the centres

centres of three other bread manufacturers are closer to such place than the bakehouse or tunam distribution centre of such first mentioned of the bread manufacturer;

(d) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person if such bread manufacturer is the holder of a certificate of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of this section (which certificate the Under Secretary is hereby authorised to grant) which has not expired or been revoked.

The Under Secretary may at any time revoke any certificate granted by him in pursuance of

this paragraph.

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15 (3) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, increase or decrease the distance referred to in subsection one of this section in relation to bakehouses and distribution centres situated in any area specified in such proclamation and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to such bakehouses and distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

(4) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, amend the provisions of subsection one of this section in respect of 30 their application to any bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres specified in the proclamation by substituting a reference to an area or areas specified in the proclamation for the reference to the distance referred to in the said subsection 35 and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to the specified bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended, and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary

any such proclamation as aforesaid.

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- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) In this section, "place" includes any house. shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
- 5. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given to The 10 any bread manufacturer require such bread manufacturer Minister to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any delivery of person at any place within such area and in accordance bread. with such terms and conditions as may be specified in the notice.

- Without limiting the generality of the foregoing provisions of this section such terms and conditions may include terms and conditions as to quantities of bread to be sold and delivered and the times of delivery.
- (2) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, 20 agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given shall, if so required verbally or in writing by any 25 person-
 - (a) sell to that person; and
 - (b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place within the area specified in such notice

bread in accordance with the terms and conditions 30 specified in such notice.

(3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may determine.

- (4) Nothing in subsections one and two of this section shall operate to require—
- (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person 5 who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;
- (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement 10 of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, for the 15 commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters.
- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with 20 the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) The provisions of this section shall have effect notwithstanding anything contained in section four of 25 this Act.
 - (7) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
- 6. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given The Minister to any bread manufacturer require such bread may require bread manufacturer to manufacture, prepare or bake for trade manufacor sale bread in such types or varieties or types and turer to bake varieties, in such quantities and at such intervals and different 35 for such period of time as may be specified in such types or varieties notice.

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- (2) Any bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given who fails to comply with the requirements of such notice shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.
- (3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary the requirements of such notice in such manner as he may determine.
- 7. (1) Notwithstanding any contract, agreement or Trade arrangement with any other trade supplier, bread suppliers to manufacturer or other person (whether made before bread manufacturer) or after the commencement of this Part of this facturers with Act) a trade supplier who, at the commencement necessary

15 of this Part of this Act or at any time thereafter, is carrying on business as such shall, when so required by notice in writing by the Minister, supply to any bread manufacturer or any person proposing to commence business as a bread manufacturer named in

- 20 such notice such trade supplies (being trade supplies in which the trade supplier ordinarily deals in the course of his business) as may be specified in such notice and in such quantities, at such times and intervals and subject to such terms and conditions as may be specified in such 25 notice.
- (2) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may 30 determine.
- (3) Nothing contained in subsection one of this section shall operate to require a trade supplier to supply trade supplies to any bread manufacturer or other person who, after being required so to do by the trade supplier, 35 refuses to pay cash on delivery for any trade supplies supplied or required to be supplied to him.
- (4) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or 40 arrangement.

(5) Any person who contravenes or fails to observe the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand pounds or to 5 imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months.

8. (1) All bread manufactured, prepared or baked Standard for trade or sale or sold or exposed for sale shall be made loaf. from such ingredients and processed in such manner and shall conform to such standard or standards as to quality

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(2) In recommending the making of any regulation prescribing any matter permitted to be prescribed by subsection one of this section, the Minister shall have due regard to the recommendations of a committee 15 appointed by the Minister and consisting of representatives of the Department of Agriculture, the

Department of Public Health, the Department of Labour and Industry and Social Welfare and such other persons as the Minister may determine.

20 (3) Sections three and four of the Bread Act. 1901, as amended by subsequent Acts, are hereby repealed.

(4) This section shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation

25 published in the Gazette.

9. A flour miller shall not sell or deliver flour to a trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person proposing miller to to commence business as a bread manufacturer unless specify there is conspicuously appended in the manner description of ingredi-30 prescribed to every bag or other container in which such ents. flour is sold or delivered such specification setting out such description as may be prescribed relating to the protein and maltose content of the flour and such other description of the ingredients contained in such 35 flour and such other particulars relating to the use of such flour in the manufacture of bread as may be prescribed.

10. (1) Any inspector authorised in that behalf by Inspection. the Minister shall have power—

(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by 40 day or night any premises of any trade supplier

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or bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act and the regulations thereunder are being complied with;

- (b) to require the production of any books, documents and papers referring to the manufacture, distribution and sale of bread or trade supplies and to examine, make copies of or extracts from the same;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread or trade supplies and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder;
 - (e) to seize and take any adulterated, impure or unwholesome dough or ingredient in or upon such premises which appears to be intended to be used for the purpose of manufacture of bread; and
 - (f) to seize and take any sample or samples of any dough, bread, meal or flour in or upon such premises.
- (2) (a) Every trade supplier, bread manufacturer 30 and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- 35 (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder is refused or unreasonably

unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed requisite.

(c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such power as aforesaid, or to produce any books, documents or papers which he is required to produce or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty 15 pounds:

Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) (a) Every inspector shall be furnished with an authority and on applying for admission to any premises,
 20 or exercising any powers conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, shall, if required, produce such authority to the occupier or person concerned.
- (b) Every person who forges or counterfeits 25 any such authority or makes use of any forged, counterfeited, or false authority, or personates the inspector named in any such authority, or falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act, shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this 30 Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
 - (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector within the meaning of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 35 11. (1) Any person who contravenes or fails to Offences. comply with the provisions of this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.

- (2) Any person who is guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act shall, where no other penalty is provided, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term not 5 exceeding six months.
- (3) Where a person convicted of an offence against this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person who at the time of the commission of the offence was a director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed 10 to have committed the like offence and be liable to the pecuniary penalty or imprisonment provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent 15 the commission of the offence.
- 12. (1) The registration as a factory of any Refusalor bakehouse pursuant to the provisions of the Factories cancellation of and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts, registration may be suspended by the Under Secretary for such period of 20 as he may think fit or may be cancelled by him or the registration or the renewal of registration as a factory of any bakehouse pursuant to that Act may be refused by him where he is satisfied that the occupier of such bakehouse has been convicted of an offence against this 25 Part of this Act. During the period of such suspension such bakehouse shall be deemed not to be kept in conformity with Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

In this subsection "factory" and "occupier" have the 30 meanings respectively ascribed thereto by Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

(2) If any person is dissatisfied with the decision of the Under Secretary in respect of any suspension, 35 cancellation or refusal to register or renew registration pursuant to the provisions of subsection one of this section he may appeal against the decision of the Under Secretary in the manner prescribed to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales.

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- 13. (1) Proceedings for an offence against this Part Proceedof this Act or the regulations thereunder may be taken ings. by any person acting with the authority of the Minister.
- (2) On a prosecution for any such offence an **5** authority to prosecute purporting to be signed by the Minister shall be evidence of such authority without proof of the Minister's signature.
- (3) All proceedings for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder may be 10 disposed of summarily before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate appointed under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- (4) The provisions of the Industrial Arbitration 15 Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, and the regulations thereunder, relating to proceedings before an industrial magistrate and to appeals from an industrial magistrate to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to proceedings 20 before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- 14. (1) The Governor may make regulations not necessary inconsistent with this Part of this Act prescribing all matters which by this Part of this Act are required or permitted to be prescribed or which are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to this Part of this Act.

Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing 30 power the Governor may make regulations—

- (a) prescribing the form of accounts to be kept by bread manufacturers and trade suppliers;
- (b) prescribing the forms and particulars to be leaded as supplied when applications are made for supplied certificates of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of section three of this Act;

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- (c) prescribing the standard or standards to be maintained by bread manufacturers in respect of ingredients used in the manufacture of doughs and the making or baking of bread.
- (2) The regulations may impose a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds for any breach thereof.
 - (3) The regulations shall—
 - (a) be published in the Gazette;

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- (b) take effect from the date of publication or from a later date to be specified in the regulations; 10 and
 - (c) be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen sitting days after the publication thereof if Parliament is in session, and if not, then within fourteen sitting days after the commencement of the next session.

If either House of Parliament passes a resolution of which notice has been given at any time within fifteen sitting days after the regulations have been laid before 20 such House disallowing any regulation or part thereof, such regulation or part shall thereupon cease to have effect.

PART III.

Bread—Weights.

- 15. This Part of this Act shall commence upon a day commenceto be appointed by the Governor and notified by ment. proclamation published in the Gazette.
 - 16. The Acts mentioned in the Schedule to this Act Repeal. are to the extent therein expressed hereby repealed.
- 30 17. (1) All bread made or baked for trade or sale Bread to within the State shall be made into loaves weighing not be made less than one pound, two pounds and four pounds loaves respectively according to the standard weight by law of certain established.

weight. cf. Act No. 35, 1901,

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- (2) Every person, who makes or bakes for trade or sale—
 - (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,

shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, for a second offence to a penalty not exceeding two hundred pounds and for a third or subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds.

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- (3) Every person who sells or offers for sale—
- 15 (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,
- 20 shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.
- (4) It shall be a sufficient defence to any prosecution under this section for making or baking for trade or 25 sale or selling or offering for sale any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector if the defendant proves that such loaf was not made or baked within the period of twenty-four hours of its being so weighed.
- 30 (5) In this section, "bread" does not include bread rolls not exceeding six ounces in weight.

18. (1) Any inspector shall have power—

Powers of inspectors.

(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or any bakehouse for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act are being complied with;

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- (b) to view, weigh and try all bread in any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or in any bakehouse;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act; and
 - (e) to seize and take any sample or samples of any bread in or upon such bakehouse or shop.
- (2) (a) Every bread manufacturer and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this section.
- 20 (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this section is refused or unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed 25 requisite.
- (c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this section, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such 30 power as aforesaid or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:
- Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) Every person who falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
- (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector of weights and measures appointed under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 19. All proceedings for offences against this Part of Proceedings this Act shall be disposed of summarily before a court for offences. 10 of petty sessions.

20. Where a person convicted of an offence against Provisions this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person relating who at the time of the commission of the offence was a by director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed bodies 15 to have committed the like offence and be liable to the penalty provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

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SCHEDULE.

Sec. 16.

	No. of Act. Name of Act.		Extent of Repeal.	
	1901, No. 35	Bread Act, 1901	Sections one, two, five to nine, both inclusive, and sections eleven to nineteen, both	
25	1923, No. 19	Bread (Amend- ment) Act, 1923.	inclusive. The unrepealed portion.	

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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.

H. ROBBINS,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 19 April, 1950.

New South Wales.



ANNO QUARTO DECIMO

GEORGII VI REGIS.

Act No. , 1950.

An Act to require bread manufacturers to deliver bread within prescribed distances from their bakehouses or distribution centres or within prescribed areas; to require trade suppliers to supply trade supplies to bread manufacturers; to regulate the manufacture of bread; to require flour millers to append certain information to bags and containers in which flour is delivered to trade suppliers and bread manufacturers; to repeal the Bread Act, 1901, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith or incidental thereto.

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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:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Bread Short title, Manufacture and Delivery Act, 1950."

Short title, construction, and division into Parts.

- 10 (2) This Act shall be read and construed subject to the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.
 - (3) This Act is divided into Parts as follows:—PART I.—PRELIMINARY.
- PART II.—Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards and Trade Supplies.

PART III.—Bread—Weights.

SCHEDULE.

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2. (1) In this Act, unless the context or subject Definitions. 25 matter otherwise indicates or requires:—

"Bakehouse" means any building or place in which any bread is manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale, and any place or room used in connection with any such building or place for storing bread when manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale or any material to be used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread for trade or sale.

"Bread manufacturer" means a person who carries on the business of manufacturing, preparing or baking bread for trade or sale.

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- "Distribution centre", in relation to any bread manufacturer, means any building or premises to which bread is conveyed directly or indirectly from a bakehouse and at which bread is sold or from which bread is delivered to the premises of customers.
- "Prescribed" means prescribed by this Act or the regulations made thereunder.
- "Shop" means any building or place in which goods are sold or exposed or offered for sale by retail.

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- "Trade supplier" means a person carrying on the business of supplying trade supplies to bread manufacturers.
- "Trade supplies" means flour, yeast or any other ingredient or substance used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread, or any machine, implement or thing used in connection with the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread or any service in respect of any such flour, yeast, ingredient, substance, machine, implement or thing.
 - "Under Secretary" means Under Secretary,
 Department of Labour and Industry and Social
 Welfare.
- 25 (2) Any reference in Part II of this Act to the supplying of any trade supplies shall be deemed to include a reference to the rendering of any service mentioned in the definition of "Trade supplies."

PART II.

- 30 Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards and Trade Supplies.
- 3. This Part of this Act shall, except where otherwise Commence expressly provided, commence upon a day to be appointed ment. by the Governor and notified by proclamation published 35 in the Gazette.

4. (1) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, Bread agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after to deliver the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread bread to 5 manufacturer shall, if so required verbally or in writing within three by any person,

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(a) sell to that person; and

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(b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place situated not more than three miles (measured by the nearest practicable route) from any bakehouse or distribution centre of such bread manufacturer for the time being in use,

bread in such reasonable quantities and at such reasonable intervals as may from time to time be stipulated in 15 any usual and sufficient manner and on such terms and conditions as are usual in respect of bread so sold and delivered.

- (2) Nothing in subsection one of this section shall operate to require—
- (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or 20 cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;
- (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any 25 time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, 30 as amended by subsequent Acts, for the commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters; 35
 - (c) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread at any place if the respective bakehouses or distribution centres

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centres of three other bread manufacturers are closer to such place than the bakehouse or distribution centre of such first mentioned bread manufacturer;

(d) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person if such bread manufacturer is the holder of a certificate of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of this section (which certificate the Under Secretary is hereby authorised to grant) which has not expired or been revoked.

The Under Secretary may at any time revoke

any certificate granted by him in pursuance of this paragraph.

15 (3) The Governor may, from time to time, by meddle proclamation published in the Gazette, increase or decrease the distance referred to in subsection one of this section in relation to bakehouses and distribution centres situated in any area specified in such proclamation and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to such bakehouses and distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

(4) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, amend the provisions of subsection one of this section in respect of 30 their application to any bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres specified in the proclamation by substituting a reference to an area or areas specified in the proclamation for the reference to the distance referred to in the said subsection 35 and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to the specified bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended, and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor 40 may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

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- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
- 5. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given to The 10 any bread manufacturer require such bread manufacturer Minister to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any delivery of person at any place within such area and in accordance bread. with such terms and conditions as may be specified in the notice.

- Without limiting the generality of the foregoing provisions of this section such terms and conditions may include terms and conditions as to quantities of bread to be sold and delivered and the times of delivery.
- (2) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, 20 agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given shall, if so required verbally or in writing by any 25 person-
 - (a) sell to that person; and
 - (b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place within the area specified in such notice

bread in accordance with the terms and conditions 30 specified in such notice.

(3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may 35 determine.

- (4) Nothing in subsections one and two of this section shall operate to require—
- (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;

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- (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any time before the time fixed in respect of that area by 10 an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940. as amended by subsequent Acts, for the 15 commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters.
- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with 20 the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) The provisions of this section shall have effect notwithstanding anything contained in section four of 25 this Act.
 - (7) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
- 30 6. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given The Minister to any bread manufacturer require such bread may require manufacturer to manufacture, prepare or bake for trade manufacor sale bread in such types or varieties or types and turer to bake varieties, in such quantities and at such intervals and different

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- (2) Any bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given who fails to comply with the requirements of such notice shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.
- (3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary the requirements of such notice in such manner as he may determine.
- 7. (1) Notwithstanding any contract, agreement or Trade arrangement with any other trade supplier, bread suppliers to manufacturer or other person (whether made before bread manuor after the commencement of this Part of this facturers with Act) a trade supplier who, at the commencement necessary

15 of this Part of this Act or at any time thereafter, is carrying on business as such shall, when so required by notice in writing by the Minister, supply to any bread manufacturer or any person proposing to commence business as a bread manufacturer named in

- 20 such notice such trade supplies (being trade supplies in which the trade supplier ordinarily deals in the course of his business) as may be specified in such notice and in such quantities, at such times and intervals and subject to such terms and conditions as may be specified in such 25 notice.
- (2) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may 30 determine.
- (3) Nothing contained in subsection one of this section shall operate to require a trade supplier to supply trade supplies to any bread manufacturer or other person who, after being required so to do by the trade supplier, 35 refuses to pay cash on delivery for any trade supplies
- supplied or required to be supplied to him. (4) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or

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(5) Any person who contravenes or fails to observe the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand pounds or to 5 imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months.

8. (1) All bread manufactured, prepared or baked Standard for trade or sale or sold or exposed for sale shall be made from such ingredients and processed in such manner and shall conform to such standard or standards as to quality

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(2) In recommending the making of any regulation prescribing any matter permitted to be prescribed by subsection one of this section, the Minister shall have due regard to the recommendations of a committee 15 appointed by the Minister and consisting of representatives of the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Public Health, the Department of Labour and Industry and Social Welfare and such other persons as the Minister may determine.

20 (3) Sections three and four of the Bread Act, 1901, as amended by subsequent Acts, are hereby

repealed.

(4) This section shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation 25 published in the Gazette.

9. A flour miller shall not sell or deliver flour to a Flour trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person proposing miller to to commence business as a bread manufacturer unless description there is conspicuously appended in the manner of ingredi-30 prescribed to every bag or other container in which such flour is sold or delivered such specification setting out the protein and maltose content of the flour and such other description of the ingredients contained in such flour and such other particulars relating to the use of 35 such flour in the manufacture of bread as may be prescribed.

- 10. (1) Any inspector authorised in that behalf by Inspection. the Minister shall have power—
- (a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by 40 day or night any premises of any trade supplier

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or bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act and the regulations thereunder are being compiled with;

- (b) to require the production of any books, documents and papers referring to the manufacture, distribution and sale of bread or trade supplies and to examine, make copies of or extracts from the same;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread or trade supplies and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder;
 - (e) to seize and take any adulterated, impure or unwholesome dough or ingredient in or upon such premises which appears to be intended to be used for the purpose of manufacture of bread; and
 - (f) to seize and take any sample or samples of any dough, bread, meal or flour in or upon such premises.
- (2) (a) Every trade supplier, bread manufacturer 30 and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- 35 (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder is refused or unreasonably

unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed requisite.

(c) Every person who wilfully delays or 5 obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such power as aforesaid, or to produce any books, documents or 10 papers which he is required to produce or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty 15 pounds:

Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) (a) Every inspector shall be furnished with an authority and on applying for admission to any premises, 20 or exercising any powers conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, shall, if required, produce such authority to the occupier or person concerned.
- (b) Every person who forges or counterfeits 25 any such authority or makes use of any forged, counterfeited, or false authority, or personates the inspector named in any such authority, or falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act, shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this 30 Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
 - (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector within the meaning of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 35 11. (1) Any person who contravenes or fails to offences. comply with the provisions of this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.

- (2) Any person who is guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act shall, where no other penalty is provided, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term not 5 exceeding six months.
- (3) Where a person convicted of an offence against this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person who at the time of the commission of the offence was a director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed 10 to have committed the like offence and be liable to the pecuniary penalty or imprisonment provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent 15 the commission of the offence.
- 12. (1) The registration as a factory of any Refusalor bakehouse pursuant to the provisions of the Factories cancellation of and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts, registration may be suspended by the Under Secretary for such period of bakehouses. 20 as he may think fit or may be cancelled by him or the registration or the renewal of registration as a factory of any bakehouse pursuant to that Act may be refused by him where he is satisfied that the occupier of such bakehouse has been convicted of an offence against this 25 Part of this Act. During the period of such suspension such bakehouse shall be deemed not to be kept in conformity with Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

In this subsection "factory" and "occupier" have the 30 meanings respectively ascribed thereto by Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

(2) If any person is dissatisfied with the decision of the Under Secretary in respect of any suspension, 35 cancellation or refusal to register or renew registration pursuant to the provisions of subsection one of this section he may appeal against the decision of the Under Secretary in the manner prescribed to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales.

13. (1) Proceedings for an offence against this Part Proceedof this Act or the regulations thereunder may be taken by any person acting with the authority of the Minister.

- (2) On a prosecution for any such offence an 5 authority to prosecute purporting to be signed by the Minister shall be evidence of such authority without proof of the Minister's signature.
- (3) All proceedings for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder may be 10 disposed of summarily before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate appointed under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- (4) The provisions of the Industrial Arbitration 15 Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, and the regulations thereunder, relating to proceedings before an industrial magistrate and to appeals from an industrial magistrate to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to proceedings 20 before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.

14. (1) The Governor may make regulations not Regulations. inconsistent with this Part of this Act prescribing all 25 matters which by this Part of this Act are required or permitted to be prescribed or which are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to this Part of this Act.

Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing 30 power the Governor may make regulations—

- (a) prescribing the form of accounts to be kept by bread manufacturers and trade suppliers;
- (b) prescribing the forms and particulars to be supplied when applications are made for 35 certificates of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of section three of this Act;

- (c) prescribing the standard or standards to be maintained by bread manufacturers in respect of ingredients used in the manufacture of doughs and the making or baking of bread.
- (2) The regulations may impose a penalty not 5 exceeding twenty pounds for any breach thereof.
 - (3) The regulations shall—
 - (a) be published in the Gazette;

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- (b) take effect from the date of publication or from a later date to be specified in the regulations; 10
 - (c) be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen sitting days after the publication thereof if Parliament is in session, and if not, then within fourteen sitting days after the commencement of the next session.

If either House of Parliament passes a resolution of which notice has been given at any time within fifteen sitting days after the regulations have been laid before 20 such House disallowing any regulation or part thereof, such regulation or part shall thereupon cease to have effect.

PART III.

Bread-Weights.

- 15. This Part of this Act shall commence upon a day commenceto be appointed by the Governor and notified by ment. proclamation published in the Gazette.
 - 16. The Acts mentioned in the Schedule to this Act Repeal. are to the extent therein expressed hereby repealed.
- 30 17. (1) All bread made or baked for trade or sale Bread to within the State shall be made into loaves weighing not be made in less than one pound, two pounds and four pounds loaves respectively according to the standard weight by law of certain weight. established.

cf. Act No. 35, 1901,

(2)s. 5.

- (2) Every person, who makes or bakes for trade or sale—
 - (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,

shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not 10 exceeding one hundred pounds, for a second offence to a penalty not exceeding two hundred pounds and for a third or subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds.

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- (3) Every person who sells or offers for sale—
- (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,
- 20 shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.
- (4) It shall be a sufficient defence to any prosecution under this section for making or baking for trade or 25 sale or selling or offering for sale any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector if the defendant proves that such loaf was not made or baked within the period of twenty-four hours of its being so weighed.
- 30 (5) In this section, "bread" does not include bread rolls not exceeding six ounces in weight.
 - 18. (1) Any inspector shall have power—

Powers of inspectors.

(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or any bakehouse for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act are being complied with;

(b)

- (b) to view, weigh and try all bread in any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or in any bakehouse;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act; and
 - (e) to seize and take any sample or samples of any bread in or upon such bakehouse or shop.
- (2) (a) Every bread manufacturer and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this section.
- 20 (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this section is refused or unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed 25 requisite.
 - (c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this section, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such
- 30 power as aforesaid or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:
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- (3) Every person who falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
- (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector of weights and measures appointed under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 19. All proceedings for offences against this Part of Proceedings this Act shall be disposed of summarily before a court for offences. 10 of petty sessions.
- 20. Where a person convicted of an offence against Provisions this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person relating who at the time of the commission of the offence was a by director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed bodies 15 to have committed the like offence and be liable to the penalty provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

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Sec. 16.

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[Mr. Finnan;—13 April, 1950.]

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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:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Bread Short title, Manufacture and Delivery Act, 1950."

Short title, construction, and division into Parts.

- (2) This Act shall be read and construed subject to the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.
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PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

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PART III.—Bread—Weights.

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2. (1) In this Act, unless the context or subject Definitions. 25 matter otherwise indicates or requires:—

"Bakehouse" means any building or place in which any bread is manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale, and any place or room used in connection with any such building or place for storing bread when manufactured, prepared or baked for trade or sale or any material to be used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread for trade or sale.

"Bread manufacturer" means a person who carries on the business of manufacturing, preparing or baking bread for trade or sale.

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- "Distribution centre", in relation to any bread manufacturer, means any building or premises to which bread is conveyed directly or indirectly from a bakehouse and at which bread is sold or from which bread is delivered to the premises of customers.
- "Prescribed" means prescribed by this Act or the regulations made thereunder.
- "Shop" means any building or place in which goods are sold or exposed or offered for sale by retail.
 - "Trade supplier" means a person carrying on the business of supplying trade supplies to bread manufacturers.
- "Trade supplies" means flour, yeast or any other ingredient or substance used in the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread, or any machine, implement or thing used in connection with the manufacture, preparation or baking of bread or any service in respect of any such flour, yeast, ingredient, substance, machine, implement or thing.
 - "Under Secretary" means Under Secretary,
 Department of Labour and Industry and Social
 Welfare.
- 25 (2) Any reference in Part II of this Act to the supplying of any trade supplies shall be deemed to include a reference to the rendering of any service mentioned in the definition of "Trade supplies."

PART II.

- 30 Bread—Delivery, Variety, Standards and Trade Supplies.
- 3. This Part of this Act shall, except where otherwise Commence-expressly provided, commence upon a day to be appointed ment, by the Governor and notified by proclamation published 35 in the Gazette.

4. (1) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, Bread agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacmanufacturer or person (whether made before or after to deliver the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread bread to 5 manufacturer shall, if so required verbally or in writing within three by any person,

miles of bakehouse,

(a) sell to that person; and

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(b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place situated not more than three miles (measured by the nearest practicable route) from any bakehouse or distribution centre of such bread manufacturer for the time being in use,

bread in such reasonable quantities and at such reasonable intervals as may from time to time be stipulated in 15 any usual and sufficient manner and on such terms and conditions as are usual in respect of bread so sold and delivered.

- (2) Nothing in subsection one of this section shall operate to require—
- (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or 20 cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;
- (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any 25 time before the time fixed in respect of that area by an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, 30 as amended by subsequent Acts, for the commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters; 35
 - (c) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread at any place if the respective bakehouses or distribution centres

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centres of three other bread manufacturers are closer to such place than the bakehouse or distribution centre of such first mentioned bread manufacturer:

(d) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person if such bread manufacturer is the holder of a certificate of exemption from the provisions of subsection one of this section (which certificate the Under Secretary is hereby authorised to grant) which has not expired or been revoked.

The Under Secretary may at any time revoke any certificate granted by him in pursuance of this paragraph.

15 (3) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, increase or decrease the distance referred to in subsection one of this section in relation to bakehouses and distribution centres situated in any area specified in such proclamation and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to such bakehouses and distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

(4) The Governor may, from time to time, by proclamation published in the Gazette, amend the provisions of subsection one of this section in respect of 30 their application to any bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres specified in the proclamation by substituting a reference to an area or areas specified in the proclamation for the reference to the distance referred to in the said subsection 35 and upon publication of any such proclamation the said subsection, so far as it relates to the specified bakehouse or distribution centre or group or class of bakehouses or distribution centres, shall be deemed to be amended, and as so amended shall apply accordingly; and the Governor 40 may at any time in like manner revoke, amend or vary any such proclamation as aforesaid.

- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) In this section, "place" includes any house, shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
- 5. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given to The 10 any bread manufacturer require such bread manufacturer may require may require to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any delivery of person at any place within such area and in accordance bread. with such terms and conditions as may be specified in the notice.

- Without limiting the generality of the foregoing 15 provisions of this section such terms and conditions may include terms and conditions as to quantities of bread to be sold and delivered and the times of delivery.
- (2) Notwithstanding the terms of any contract, 20 agreement or arrangement with any other bread manufacturer or person (whether made before or after the commencement of this Part of this Act), a bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given shall, if so required verbally or in writing by any 25 person-
 - (a) sell to that person; and
 - (b) deliver or cause to be delivered at any place within the area specified in such notice

bread in accordance with the terms and conditions 30 specified in such notice.

(3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may 35 determine.

- (4) Nothing in subsections one and two of this section shall operate to require—
 - (a) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread to any person who upon tender of delivery fails to pay the lawful retail price for such bread upon demand;

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- (b) a bread manufacturer to sell and deliver or cause to be delivered bread in any area at any time before the time fixed in respect of that area by 10 an award (whether in force at the commencement of this Part of this Act or made after such commencement) for the time being in force under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940. as amended by subsequent Acts, for the 15 commencement of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters, or after the time so fixed for cessation of the ordinary hours of work by bread carters.
- (5) Any act or thing done in order to comply with 20 the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or arrangement.
- (6) The provisions of this section shall have effect notwithstanding anything contained in section four of 25 this Act.
 - (7) In this section, "place" includes any house. shop, structure, building or any land or premises whatsoever, and any part of any such place which is separately occupied.
- 6. (1) The Minister may by notice in writing given The Minister to any bread manufacturer require such bread may require manufacturer to manufacture, prepare or bake for trade manufacor sale bread in such types or varieties or types and turer to bake varieties, in such quantities and at such intervals and different

35 for such period of time as may be specified in such types or varieties notice.

of bread.

(2) Any bread manufacturer to whom any such notice has been given who fails to comply with the requirements of such notice shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.

(3) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary the requirements of such notice in such manner as he may determine.

7. (1) Notwithstanding any contract, agreement or Trade arrangement with any other trade supplier, bread suppliers to manufacturer or other person (whether made before bread manuor after the commencement of this Part of this facturers with Act) a trade supplier who, at the commencement necessary

15 of this Part of this Act or at any time thereafter, trade supplies. is carrying on business as such shall, when so required by notice in writing by the Minister, supply to any bread manufacturer or any person proposing to commence business as a bread manufacturer named in

20 such notice such trade supplies (being trade supplies in which the trade supplier ordinarily deals in the course of his business) as may be specified in such notice and in such quantities, at such times and intervals and subject to such terms and conditions as may be specified in such 25 notice.

(2) The Minister may revoke any such notice or suspend any such notice for such period or periods as he may think fit or may from time to time vary any terms and conditions of such notice in such manner as he may 30 determine.

(3) Nothing contained in subsection one of this section shall operate to require a trade supplier to supply trade supplies to any bread manufacturer or other person who, after being required so to do by the trade supplier, 35 refuses to pay cash on delivery for any trade supplies supplied or required to be supplied to him.

(4) Any act or thing done in order to comply with the provisions of this section shall be deemed not to be a breach or contravention of any contract, agreement or 40 arrangement.

(5) Any person who contravenes or fails to observe the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand pounds or to 5 imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months.

8. (1) All bread manufactured, prepared or baked Standard for trade or sale or sold or exposed for sale shall be made from such ingredients and processed in such manner and shall conform to such standard or standards as to quality

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(2) In recommending the making of any regulation prescribing any matter permitted to be prescribed by subsection one of this section, the Minister shall have due regard to the recommendations of a committee 15 appointed by the Minister and consisting of

representatives of the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Public Health, the Department of Labour and Industry and Social Welfare and such other persons as the Minister may determine.

(3) Sections three and four of the Bread Act, 1901, as amended by subsequent Acts, are hereby repealed.

(4) This section shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation 25 published in the Gazette.

9. A flour miller shall not sell or deliver flour to a Flour trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person proposing miller to to commence business as a bread manufacturer unless specify description there is conspicuously appended in the manner of ingredi-30 prescribed to every bag or other container in which such flour is sold or delivered such specification setting out the protein and maltose content of the flour and such other description of the ingredients contained in such flour and such other particulars relating to the use of 35 such flour in the manufacture of bread as may be prescribed.

10. (1) Any inspector authorised in that behalf by Inspection. the Minister shall have power—

(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any premises of any trade supplier

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or bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act and the regulations thereunder are being compiled with;

- (b) to require the production of any books, documents and papers referring to the manufacture, distribution and sale of bread or trade supplies and to examine, make copies of or extracts from the same;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread or trade supplies and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
- (d) to interrogate any trade supplier, bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder;
 - (e) to seize and take any adulterated, impure or unwholesome dough or ingredient in or upon such premises which appears to be intended to be used for the purpose of manufacture of bread; and
 - (f) to seize and take any sample or samples of any dough, bread, meal or flour in or upon such premises.
- (2) (a) Every trade supplier, bread manufacturer 30 and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- 35 (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder is refused or unreasonably

unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed requisite.

(c) Every person who wilfully delays or 5 obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such power as aforesaid, or to produce any books, documents or papers which he is required to produce or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:

Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) (a) Every inspector shall be furnished with an authority and on applying for admission to any premises, 20 or exercising any powers conferred on him by this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder, shall, if required, produce such authority to the occupier or person concerned.
- (b) Every person who forges or counterfeits 25 any such authority or makes use of any forged, counterfeited, or false authority, or personates the inspector named in any such authority, or falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act, shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this 30 Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
 - (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector within the meaning of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 35 11. (1) Any person who contravenes or fails to Offences. comply with the provisions of this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act.

- (2) Any person who is guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act shall, where no other penalty is provided, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term not 5 exceeding six months.
- (3) Where a person convicted of an offence against this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person who at the time of the commission of the offence was a director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed 10 to have committed the like offence and be liable to the pecuniary penalty or imprisonment provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent 15 the commission of the offence.
- 12. (1) The registration as a factory of any Refusalor bakehouse pursuant to the provisions of the Factories cancellation of and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts, registration may be suspended by the Under Secretary for such period of bakehouses. 20 as he may think fit or may be cancelled by him or the registration or the renewal of registration as a factory of any bakehouse pursuant to that Act may be refused by him where he is satisfied that the occupier of such bakehouse has been convicted of an offence against this 25 Part of this Act. During the period of such suspension such bakehouse shall be deemed not to be kept in conformity with Part II of the Factories and Shops Act,

In this subsection "factory" and "occupier" have the 30 meanings respectively ascribed thereto by Part II of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts.

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(2) If any person is dissatisfied with the decision of the Under Secretary in respect of any suspension, 35 cancellation or refusal to register or renew registration pursuant to the provisions of subsection one of this section he may appeal against the decision of the Under Secretary in the manner prescribed to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales.

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13. (1) Proceedings for an offence against this Part Proceedof this Act or the regulations thereunder may be taken by any person acting with the authority of the Minister.

- (2) On a prosecution for any such offence an 5 authority to prosecute purporting to be signed by the Minister shall be evidence of such authority without proof of the Minister's signature.
- (3) All proceedings for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder may be 10 disposed of summarily before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate appointed under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- (4) The provisions of the Industrial Arbitration 15 Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, and the regulations thereunder, relating to proceedings before an industrial magistrate and to appeals from an industrial magistrate to the Industrial Commission of New South Wales shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to proceedings 20 before a stipendiary magistrate or an industrial magistrate for offences against this Part of this Act or the regulations thereunder.
- 14. (1) The Governor may make regulations not Regulations. inconsistent with this Part of this Act prescribing all 25 matters which by this Part of this Act are required or permitted to be prescribed or which are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to this Part of this Act.

Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing 30 power the Governor may make regulations—

- (a) prescribing the form of accounts to be kept by bread manufacturers and trade suppliers;
- (b) prescribing the forms and particulars to be supplied when applications are made for certificates of exemption from the provisions of 35 subsection one of section three of this Act;

- (c) prescribing the standard or standards to be maintained by bread manufacturers in respect of ingredients used in the manufacture of doughs and the making or baking of bread.
- 5 (2) The regulations may impose a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds for any breach thereof.
 - (3) The regulations shall—
 - (a) be published in the Gazette;
- (b) take effect from the date of publication or from a later date to be specified in the regulations; and
- (c) be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen sitting days after the publication thereof if Parliament is in session, and if not, then within fourteen sitting days after the commencement of the next session.

If either House of Parliament passes a resolution of which notice has been given at any time within fifteen sitting days after the regulations have been laid before 20 such House disallowing any regulation or part thereof, such regulation or part shall thereupon cease to have effect.

PART III.

BREAD-WEIGHTS.

- 25 15. This Part of this Act shall commence upon a day commence to be appointed by the Governor and notified by ment. proclamation published in the Gazette.
 - 16. The Acts mentioned in the Schedule to this Act Repeal. are to the extent therein expressed hereby repealed.
- 30 17. (1) All bread made or baked for trade or sale Bread to within the State shall be made into loaves weighing not less than one pound, two pounds and four pounds loaves respectively according to the standard weight by law of certain weight established.

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- (2) Every person, who makes or bakes for trade or sale—
 - (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section;
 or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,

shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not 10 exceeding one hundred pounds, for a second offence to a penalty not exceeding two hundred pounds and for a third or subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds.

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- (3) Every person who sells or offers for sale-
- 15 (a) bread of any denomination or size other than those specified in subsection one of this section; or
 - (b) any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector,
- 20 shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.
- (4) It shall be a sufficient defence to any prosecution under this section for making or baking for trade or 25 sale or selling or offering for sale any loaf which is found deficient of its due weight when weighed by an inspector if the defendant proves that such loaf was not made or baked within the period of twenty-four hours of its being so weighed.
- 30 (5) In this section, "bread" does not include bread rolls not exceeding six ounces in weight.

18. (1) Any inspector shall have power—

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(a) to enter and inspect at all reasonable hours by day or night any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or any bakehouse for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Part of this Act are being complied with;

(b)

- (b) to view, weigh and try all bread in any shop in which bread is sold or offered for sale or in any bakehouse;
- (c) to stop any person engaged in the distribution or delivery of bread and search any vehicle, basket or other means used in connection with such distribution or delivery;
 - (d) to interrogate any bread manufacturer or person carrying on the business of selling bread and any of their employees with respect to any matter coming within the provisions of this Part of this Act; and

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- (e) to seize and take any sample or samples of any bread in or upon such bakehouse or shop.
- (2) (a) Every bread manufacturer and person carrying on the business of selling bread, their agents or servants, shall furnish the means required by an inspector for an entry, inspection, examination and inquiry, or the exercise of his powers under this section.
- 20 (b) If the admission of an inspector into any premises in the exercise of his powers under this section is refused or unreasonably delayed, such inspector, if accompanied by a member of the police force, may enter such premises with such assistance as may be deemed 25 requisite.
- (c) Every person who wilfully delays or obstructs an inspector in the exercise of any power conferred on him by this section, or who fails to comply with a requisition of an inspector made under any such 30 power as aforesaid or who conceals or prevents any person from appearing before or being examined by an inspector in the execution of his powers shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds:
- Provided that no person shall be required to answer any question or give any evidence incriminating himself.

- (3) Every person who falsely pretends to be an inspector under this Part of this Act shall be guilty of an offence against this Part of this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.
- (4) In this section, "inspector" means inspector of weights and measures appointed under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended by subsequent Acts.
- 19. All proceedings for offences against this Part of Proceedings this Act shall be disposed of summarily before a court for offences. 10 of petty sessions.
- 20. Where a person convicted of an offence against Provisions this Part of this Act is a body corporate, every person relating who at the time of the commission of the offence was a by director or officer of the body corporate shall be deemed bodies 15 to have committed the like offence and be liable to the penalty provided by this Part of this Act for such offence accordingly, unless he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he used all due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

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SCHEDULE.

Sec. 16.

	No. of Act.	Name of Act.	Extent of Repeal.
	1901, No. 35	Bread Act, 1901	Sections one, two, five to nine, both inclusive, and sections eleven to nineteen, both
25	1923, No. 19	Bread (Amend- ment) Act, 1923.	inclusive. The unrepealed portion.

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