

*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, 11 October, 1950.*

## New South Wales.



ANNO QUARTO DECIMO

## GEORGII VI REGIS.

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Act No. , 1950.

An Act to provide that the duration of any Legislative Assembly shall not be extended beyond three years until a Bill for the purpose has been approved by the electors on a referendum; for this purpose to amend the Constitution Act, 1902, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith.

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

1. This Act may be cited as the "Constitution Amendment (Legislative Assembly) Act, 1950." Short title.

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*Constitution Amendment (Legislative Assembly).*

2. The Constitution Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended by inserting next after section twenty-four the following new section:—

Amendment  
of Act No.  
32, 1902.

5           24A. (1) A Bill containing any provision to extend the time during which any such Legislative Assembly shall exist and continue beyond three years from the day of the return of the writs for choosing the same shall not be presented to the Governor for His Majesty's assent until the Bill has been approved by the electors in accordance with this section.

Special  
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as to  
referendum.

10                           (2) On a day not sooner than two months after the passage of the Bill through both Houses of the Legislature the Bill shall be submitted to the electors qualified to vote for the election of Members of the Legislative Assembly.

15                           Such day shall be appointed by the Governor under and in accordance with the Constitution Further Amendment (Referendum) Act, 1930, and any Act amending or replacing that Act.

20                           (3) When the Bill is submitted to the electors the vote shall be taken under and in accordance with the Constitution Further Amendment (Referendum) Act, 1930, and any Act amending or replacing that Act.

25                           (4) If a majority of the electors voting approve the Bill, it shall be presented to the Governor for His Majesty's assent.

30                           (5) The provisions of this section shall extend to any Bill for the repeal or amendment of this section.

35                           (6) Nothing contained in this section affects the operation of section 5B of this Act and a Bill to which this section would otherwise apply which has been submitted to the electors under and in accordance with section 5B of this Act and has been approved by a majority of the electors voting may be presented to the Governor for His Majesty's assent as if this section had not been enacted.

Constitution Amendment (Legislative Assembly).

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(2) On a day not sooner than two months after the passage of the Bill through both Houses of the Legislature the electors shall be summoned to electors qualified to vote for the election of Members

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[MR. JAMES MCGIRR;—4 October, 1950.]

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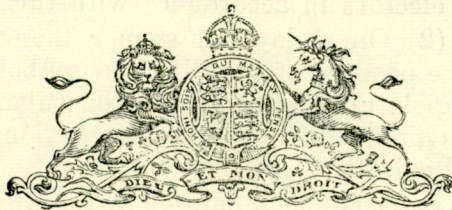
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New South Wales.



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Act No. 33, 1950.

An Act to provide that the duration of any Legislative Assembly shall not be extended beyond three years until a Bill for the purpose has been approved by the electors on a referendum; for this purpose to amend the Constitution Act, 1902, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith. [Reserved 2nd November, 1950.]

**B**E 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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Short  
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By Authority:

A. H. PETTIFER, Government Printer, Sydney, 1950.

*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, 18 October, 1950.*

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**B**E 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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**2.**

*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.*

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*Reserved for the signification of His Majesty's pleasure.*

J. NORTHCOTT,  
Governor.

Government House,  
Sydney, 2nd November, 1950.

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

J. NORTHCOTT,  
Governor.

Government House,  
Sydney, 1st February, 1951.