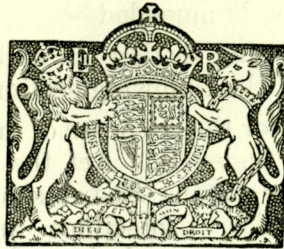


New South Wales.



ANNO SECUNDO

ELIZABETHÆ II REGINÆ

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Act No. 1, 1953.

An Act to make provisions relating to inquiries and investigations under the Public Service Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts; for this purpose to amend the said Act, as so amended, in certain respects; to validate certain matters; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 18th September, 1953.]

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

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Public Service (Inquiries) Amendment Act, 1953".

Short title and commencement.

(2) This Act shall be deemed to have commenced on the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

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*Public Service (Inquiries) Amendment.*

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Amendment  
of Act No.  
31, 1902.

Subst. sec.  
10.

Application  
of Royal  
Commissions  
Acts.

**2.** The Public Service Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

(a) by omitting section ten and by inserting in lieu thereof the following section:—

10. For the purposes of any inquiry or investigation under this Act the Chairman and each Member of the Board shall have the powers, authorities, protections and immunities conferred on a commissioner by Division 1 of Part II of the Royal Commissions Acts, 1923-1934, and the Chairman or Member presiding shall have the powers and authorities conferred on the Chairman of a commission within the meaning of that Act.

The provisions of the Royal Commissions Acts, 1923-1934, with the exception of section thirteen and Division 2 of Part II, shall mutatis mutandis apply to and in respect of any such inquiry or investigation and to and in respect of any witness or person summoned by or appearing before the Board.

Sec. 11.  
(For purpose  
of inquiry  
Board may  
delegate  
powers.)

(b) by inserting in subsection one of section eleven after the word "present" the words "the Board may be constituted by two members, or".

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By Authority:

A. H. PETTIFER, Government Printer, Sydney, 1953.

[4d.]

*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, 16 September, 1953.*

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**B**E it enacted by the Queen'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 title  
and  
commence-  
ment.

(2) This Act shall be deemed to have commenced on the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

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

J. NORTHCOTT,  
*Governor.*

*Government House,  
Sydney, 18th September, 1953.*

*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, 10 September, 1953.*

## New South Wales.



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Short title  
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*Public Service (Inquiries) Amendment.*

2. The Public Service Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

Amendment of Act No. 31, 1902.

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Subst. sec. 10.

5 10. For the purposes of any inquiry or investigation under this Act the Chairman and each Member of the Board shall have the powers, authorities, protections and immunities conferred on a commissioner by Division 1 of Part II of the Royal Commissions Acts, 1923-1934, and the Chairman or Member presiding shall have the powers and authorities conferred on the Chairman of a commission within the meaning of that Act.

Application of Royal Commissions Acts.

15 The provisions of the Royal Commissions Acts, 1923-1934, with the exception of section thirteen and Division 2 of Part II, shall mutatis mutandis apply to and in respect of any such inquiry or investigation and to and in respect of any witness or person summoned by or appearing before the Board.

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Sec. 11. (For purpose of inquiry Board may delegate powers.)

[6d.]

# PUBLIC SERVICE (INQUIRIES) AMENDMENT BILL, 1953.

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE.

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- (a) the Chairman and members of the Public Service Board conducting any inquiry or investigation under the Public Service Act shall have the powers, authorities, protections and immunities conferred on Royal Commissioners;
- (b) the Chairman or member presiding shall have the powers and authorities of the Chairman of a Royal Commission;
- (c) certain provisions of the Royal Commissions Acts shall apply to any such inquiry or investigation.

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