#### LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Schedule of Amendments referred to in Legislative Council's Message of 24 November, 1960.

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### ALLAN PICKERING,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 22 November, 1960.

The LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL has this day agreed to this Bill with Amendments.

J. R. STEVENSON, Clerk of the Parliaments.

Legislative Council Chamber, Sydney, 24 November, 1960.

## New South Wales



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## ELIZABETHÆ II REGINÆ

Act No. , 1960.

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**B**<sup>E</sup> 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 "Landlord and Short title and Citation.

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- (2) The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited 10 as the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899-1960.

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- (3) The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948-1960.
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  of Act No.
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  - (a) by inserting next after section two the following new New sec. 2A. section:—
  - 2A. (1) No action of ejectment in the Supreme Restriction Court or a District Court, or proceedings under of ejectment section seventeen of this Act, for the recovery of and any land or premises or part of any land or premises proceedings under from the tenant or any person claiming under him section who is actually occupying such land or premises or seventeen part shall be commenced by the landlord if there is situated on the land, or the premises are or include, a dwelling-house and—
    - (a) where the term or interest of such tenant or person has not expired or been determined, if—
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(2) In any case where by reason only of the provisions of subsection one of this section a landlord is precluded from commencing any action or proceedings, referred to in that subsection, he may take proceedings under Part IV of this Act for the recovery of possession of the land or premises concerned and the provisions of that Part shall where applicable apply, mutatis mutandis, to any such proceedings.

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

- 25 3. The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as Amendment amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

  of Act No.
  25, 1948
  - (a) by inserting in paragraph (u) of subsection five of Sec. 62. section sixty-two after the words "residential (Restriction purposes" the words "and has an estate in the land on eviction.) on which that accommodation is situated";
  - (b) by omitting from subsections one and (1A) of section Sec. 65. sixty-five the words "one thousand nine hundred and (Notice to sixty-one" wherever occurring and by inserting in dwelling-lieu thereof the words "one thousand nine hundred house sold.) and sixty-three sixty-two"; (c)

- (c) by omitting from subsection two of section seventy Sec. 70. the words "one thousand nine hundred and sixty- (Court to one" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hardship.) thousand nine hundred and sixty-three sixty-two".
- 5 **4.** The order made on the fifth day of August, one Rescission thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, by the Governor of order pursuant to the provisions of subsection two of section six of section six the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948-1958, and of this Act. published in Gazette No. 86 of the seventh day of August, 10 one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, is hereby rescinded.

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.

#### ALLAN PICKERING.

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 22 November, 1960.

The LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL has this day agreed to this Bill with Amendments.

Clerk of the Parliaments.

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## New South Wales



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Act No. , 1960.

An Act to amend the law relating to landlord and tenant; for this purpose to amend the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899–1958, and the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948–1958; and for purposes connected therewith.

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 5 follows:—

- 1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Landlord and Short title and citation.
- (2) The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited 10 as the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899-1960.

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  - 2A. (1) No action of ejectment in the Supreme Restriction Court or a District Court, or proceedings under on actions of ejectment section seventeen of this Act, for the recovery of and any land or premises or part of any land or premises under from the tenant or any person claiming under him section who is actually occupying such land or premises or seventeen part shall be commenced by the landlord if there is situated on the land, or the premises are or include, a dwelling-house and—
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- 5 4. The order made on the fifth day of August, one Rescission thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, by the Governor of order pursuant to the provisions of subsection two of section six of section six the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948-1958, and of this Act. published in Gazette No. 86 of the seventh day of August, 10 one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, is hereby rescinded.

Sydney: V. C. N. Blight, Government Printer-1960

# A BILL

To amend the law relating to landlord and tenant; for this purpose to amend the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899–1958, and the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948–1958; and for purposes connected therewith.

[Mr. Mannix;—26 October, 1960.]

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 5 follows:—

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### LANDLORD AND TENANT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1960.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE.

THE objects of this Bill are-

- (a) to amend the Landlord and Tenant Act of 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts, so that justices will have exclusive jurisdiction to make orders for the recovery of possession of premises by landlords where the premises are or include a dwelling-house rented at £12 12s. 0d. per week or less;
- (b) to omit as a prescribed ground for a notice to quit paragraph (u) of section 62 (5) of the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as amended by subsequent Acts, the operation of that paragraph having been suspended by order under that Act, as so amended, since 7th August, 1959;
- (c) to extend to 1st January, 1963—
  - (i) the operation of the provisos to subsections (1) and (1A) of section 65 of the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as amended by subsequent Acts, relating to the period of notices to quit where a dwelling-house is required for occupation by the purchaser;
  - (ii) the operation of subsection (2) of section 70 of the said Act, as so amended, relating to matters to be taken into consideration by the court where recovery of a dwelling-house is sought on certain specified grounds;
- (d) to make other amendments of a consequential or ancillary nature.

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[MR. MANNIX; -26 October, 1960.]

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- 3. The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as Amendment of Act No. 25, 1948. amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—
  - (a) by omitting paragraph (u) of subsection five of Sec. 62. section sixty-two; on eviction.)
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    (Protection of protected person claiming under lessee where tenancy determined.)

Sydney: V. C. N. Blight, Government Printer-1960

## New South Wales



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## ELIZABETHÆ II REGINÆ

Act No. 55, 1960.

An Act to amend the law relating to landlord and tenant; for this purpose to amend the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899–1958, and the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948–1958; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 1st December, 1960.]

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 "Landlord and Short title and citation.

  Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1960".
- (2) The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899-1960.

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Amendment of Act No. 18, 1899.

2. (1) The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

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(a) by inserting next after section two the following new section:—

Restriction on actions of ejectment and proceedings under section seventeen of this Act.

- 2A. (1) No action of ejectment in the Supreme Court or a District Court, or proceedings under section seventeen of this Act, for the recovery of any land or premises or part of any land or premises from the tenant or any person claiming under him who is actually occupying such land or premises or part shall be commenced by the landlord if there is situated on the land, or the premises are or include, a dwelling-house and—
  - (a) where the term or interest of such tenant or person has not expired or been determined, if—
    - (i) such tenant or person is liable to the payment of rent; and
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of small tenements may be recovered in District Court by landlords for nonpayment of rent.)

- (c) by inserting at the end of section twenty-six the Sec. 26. following new subsection:— (Execution
  - (3) This section does not apply where there is to be situated on the land in question a dwelling-house suspended upon and the rent payable in respect of the land does not security to exceed twelve pounds twelve shillings per week, or action for an equivalent sum calculated in respect of any other recovery of the land.)
- (2) This section shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.
- 3. The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as Amendment amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

  of Act No. 25, 1948.
  - (a) by inserting in paragraph (u) of subsection five of Sec. 62. section sixty-two after the words "residential (Restriction purposes" the words "and has an estate in the land on which that accommodation is situated";
  - (b) by omitting from subsections one and (1A) of section Sec. 65. sixty-five the words "one thousand nine hundred and (Notice to sixty-one" wherever occurring and by inserting in quit where lieu thereof the words "one thousand nine hundred house sold.) and sixty-two";
    (c)

Sec, 70. (Court to consider hardship.) (c) by omitting from subsection two of section seventy the words "one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two".

Rescission of order under section six of this Act. 4. The order made on the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, by the Governor pursuant to the provisions of subsection two of section six of the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948-1958, and published in Gazette No. 86 of the seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, is hereby rescinded.

By Authority:

V. C. N. BLIGHT, Government Printer, Sydney, 1960

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.

ALLAN PICKERING, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 24 November, 1960.

## New South Wales



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Act No. 55, 1960.

An Act to amend the law relating to landlord and tenant; for this purpose to amend the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899–1958, and the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948–1958; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 1st December, 1960.]

**B**<sup>E</sup> 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 "Landlord and Short title and citation.
- (2) The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1899-1960.

(3)

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

HOWARD T. FOWLES,

Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly.

(3) The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948-1960.

Amendment of Act No. 18, 1899.

2. (1) The Landlord and Tenant Act of 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

New sec. 2A.

(a) by inserting next after section two the following new section:—

Restriction on actions of ejectment and proceedings under section seventeen of this Act.

- 2A. (1) No action of ejectment in the Supreme Court or a District Court, or proceedings under section seventeen of this Act, for the recovery of any land or premises or part of any land or premises from the tenant or any person claiming under him who is actually occupying such land or premises or part shall be commenced by the landlord if there is situated on the land, or the premises are or include, a dwelling-house and—
  - (a) where the term or interest of such tenant or person has not expired or been determined, if—
    - (i) such tenant or person is liable to the payment of rent; and
    - (ii) such rent does not exceed twelve pounds twelve shillings per week, or an equivalent sum calculated in respect of any other period; or
  - (b) where the term or interest of such tenant or person has expired or been determined, if—
    - (i) such tenant or person was immediately before the expiration or determination of such term or interest liable to the payment of rent; and
    - (ii) such rent did not immediately before such expiration or determination exceed twelve pounds twelve shillings per week, or an equivalent sum calculated in respect of any other period.

(2)

- (2) In any case where by reason only of the provisions of subsection one of this section a landlord is precluded from commencing any action or proceedings, referred to in that subsection, he may take proceedings under Part IV of this Act for the recovery of possession of the land or premises concerned and the provisions of that Part shall where applicable apply, mutatis mutandis, to any such proceedings.
- (b) by inserting at the end of section eighteen the follow- Sec. 18. (Possession ing new subsection: -
  - (6) This section does not apply where the tenements premises are or include a dwelling-house.

of small may be recovered in District Court by landlords for nonpayment of

- (c) by inserting at the end of section twenty-six the Sec. 26. following new subsection: -(Execution
  - (3) This section does not apply where there is to be situated on the land in question a dwelling-house suspended and the rent payable in respect of the land does not security to exceed twelve pounds twelve shillings per week, or defend an action for an equivalent sum calculated in respect of any other recovery of the land.) period.

- (2) This section shall commence upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.
- 3. The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as Amendment amended by subsequent Acts, is amended-
  - (a) by inserting in paragraph (u) of subsection five of Sec. 62. section sixty-two after the words "residential (Restriction purposes" the words "and has an estate in the land on eviction.) on which that accommodation is situated";
  - (b) by omitting from subsections one and (1A) of section Sec. 65. sixty-five the words "one thousand nine hundred and (Notice to sixty-one" wherever occurring and by inserting in quit where lieu thereof the words "one thousand nine hundred house sold.) and sixty-two"; (c)

Sec. 70. (Court to consider hardship.) (c) by omitting from subsection two of section seventy the words "one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two".

Rescission of order under section six of this Act. 4. The order made on the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, by the Governor pursuant to the provisions of subsection two of section six of the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948-1958, and published in Gazette No. 86 of the seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, is hereby rescinded.

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

K. W. STREET,

By Deputation from

His Excellency the Governor.

Government House, Sydney 1st December, 1960.