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, 9 December, 1964.

New South Wales

ANNO TERTIO DECIMO

ELIZABETHÆ II REGINÆ

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Act No. , 1964.

An Act to abolish the office of Deputy Commissioner of Police and to authorise the appointment of not more than three Assistant Commissioners of Police ; for these purposes to amend the Police Regulation Act, 1899, and certain other Acts ; 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 follows : —

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Police Regulation (Assistant Commissioners) Amendment Act, 1964". Short title, citation and commencement.

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(2) The Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Police Regulation Act, 1899-1964.

(3) This Act shall commence upon the twenty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four.

2. The Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended— Amendment of Act No. 20, 1899.

(a) by omitting from section three the words "Deputy Commissioner" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "an Assistant Commissioner"; Sec. 3. (Interpretation.)

(b) by omitting section 4A and by inserting in lieu thereof the following section:— Subst. sec. 4A.

4A. (1) The Governor may from time to time appoint not more than three Assistant Commissioners of Police who shall assist the Commissioner generally in the superintendence of the police force of New South Wales. Appointment and authority of Assistant Commissioners.

(2) An Assistant Commissioner shall, subject to the control and authority, and on behalf, of the Commissioner, discharge, exercise and perform such responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties and functions as he is from time to time directed to discharge, exercise and perform by the Commissioner.

(3) The Commissioner may from time to time by instrument in writing under his hand delegate to any Assistant Commissioner either generally or in any particular case or class of cases such of the responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties or functions conferred or imposed upon the Commissioner by this or any other Act, or by any regulations, ordinances, rules or by-laws made under any Act, as are specified in the instrument, except this power of delegation.

(4) Any responsibility, power, authority, duty or function discharged, exercised or performed by an Assistant Commissioner, who is acting within the

the scope of any such delegation to him, shall be as valid and effectual as if discharged, exercised or performed by the Commissioner.

(5) A delegation under this section shall be revocable at the will of the Commissioner and any such delegation shall not prevent the discharge, exercise or performance by the Commissioner of any responsibility, power, authority, duty or function so delegated.

(6) An Assistant Commissioner shall, when discharging, exercising or performing any responsibility, power, authority, duty or function referred to in subsection three of this section, be presumed, in the absence of evidence to the contrary, to be acting within the scope of any such delegation to him.

(7) The Governor may appoint a member of the police force to act as Commissioner during the absence of the Commissioner from duty by reason of illness, suspension or any other cause or during any vacancy in the office of Commissioner, and such person, while he so acts, shall have and may discharge, exercise and perform all the responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties and functions conferred or imposed upon the Commissioner by this or any other Act.

(c) by omitting from subsection two of section five the words "and the Deputy Commissioner"; Sec. 5. (Appointment and authority of superintendent, &c.)

(d) by inserting in section nine after the word "Commissioner" where firstly occurring the words ", Assistant Commissioner". Sec. 9. (Oaths to be taken by members of the police force.)

BY AUTHORITY:
V. C. N. BLIGHT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES—1964
[4*d*.]

No. , 1964.

A BILL

To abolish the office of Deputy Commissioner of Police and to authorise the appointment of not more than three Assistant Commissioners of Police ; for these purposes to amend the Police Regulation Act, 1899, and certain other Acts ; and for purposes connected therewith.

[MR. RENSHAW ;—8 *December*, 1964.]

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 :—

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(2) The Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Police Regulation Act, 1899-1964.

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(3) The Commissioner may from time to time by instrument in writing under his hand delegate to any Assistant Commissioner either generally or in any particular case or class of cases such of the responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties or functions conferred or imposed upon the Commissioner by this or any other Act, or by any regulations, ordinances, rules or by-laws made under any Act, as are specified in the instrument, except this power of delegation.

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(c) by omitting from subsection two of section five the words "and the Deputy Commissioner"; Sec. 5. (Appointment and authority of superintendent, &c.)

(d) by inserting in section nine after the word "Commissioner" where firstly occurring the words ", Assistant Commissioner". Sec. 9. (Oaths to be taken by members of the police force.)

BY AUTHORITY:
V. C. N. BLIGHT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES—1964
[4*d*.]

POLICE REGULATION (ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS) AMENDMENT BILL, 1964.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

THE objects of this Bill are—

(a) to abolish the office of Deputy Commissioner of Police;

(b) to authorise the appointment of not more than three Assistant Commissioners of Police;

(c) to make other provisions consequential or ancillary to the foregoing.

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No. , 1964.

A BILL

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[MR. RENSHAW ;—8 *December*, 1964.]

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 "Police Regulation (Assistant Commissioners) Amendment Act, 1964". **Short title, citation and commencement.**

(2) The Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Police Regulation Act, 1899-1964.

(3) This Act shall commence upon the twenty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four.

2. The Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended— Amendment of Act No. 20, 1899.

(a) by omitting from section three the words "Deputy Commissioner" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "an Assistant Commissioner"; Sec. 3. (Interpretation.)

(b) by omitting section 4A and by inserting in lieu thereof the following section:— Subst. sec. 4A.

4A. (1) The Governor may from time to time appoint not more than three Assistant Commissioners of Police who shall assist the Commissioner generally in the superintendence of the police force of New South Wales. Appointment and authority of Assistant Commissioners.

(2) An Assistant Commissioner shall, subject to the control and authority, and on behalf, of the Commissioner, discharge, exercise and perform such responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties and functions as he is from time to time directed to discharge, exercise and perform by the Commissioner.

(3) The Commissioner may from time to time by instrument in writing under his hand delegate to any Assistant Commissioner either generally or in any particular case or class of cases such of the responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties or functions conferred or imposed upon the Commissioner by this or any other Act, or by any regulations, ordinances, rules or by-laws made under any Act, as are specified in the instrument, except this power of delegation.

(4) Any responsibility, power, authority, duty or function discharged, exercised or performed by an Assistant Commissioner, who is acting within the

the scope of any such delegation to him, shall be as valid and effectual as if discharged, exercised or performed by the Commissioner.

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(7) The Governor may appoint a member of the police force to act as Commissioner during the absence of the Commissioner from duty by reason of illness, suspension or any other cause or during any vacancy in the office of Commissioner, and such person, while he so acts, shall have and may discharge, exercise and perform all the responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties and functions conferred or imposed upon the Commissioner by this or any other Act.

(c) by omitting from subsection two of section five the words "and the Deputy Commissioner"; Sec. 5. (Appointment and authority of superintendent, &c.)

(d) by inserting in section nine after the word "Commissioner" where firstly occurring the words ", Assistant Commissioner". Sec. 9. (Oaths to be taken by members of the police force.)

BY AUTHORITY:
V. C. N. BLIGHT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES—1964

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, 9 *December*, 1964.

New South Wales

ANNO TERTIO DECIMO

ELIZABETHÆ II REGINÆ

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Act No. 63, 1964.

An Act to abolish the office of Deputy Commissioner of Police and to authorise the appointment of not more than three Assistant Commissioners of Police ; for these purposes to amend the Police Regulation Act, 1899, and certain other Acts ; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 16th December, 1964.]

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 "Police Regulation (Assistant Commissioners) Amendment Act, 1964". Short title, citation and commencement.

(2)

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.

(2) The Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Police Regulation Act, 1899-1964.

(3) This Act shall commence upon the twenty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four.

Amendment of Act No. 20, 1899.

2. The Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

Sec. 3. (Interpretation.)

(a) by omitting from section three the words "Deputy Commissioner" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "an Assistant Commissioner";

Subst. sec. 4A.

(b) by omitting section 4A and by inserting in lieu thereof the following section:—

Appointment and authority of Assistant Commissioners.

4A. (1) The Governor may from time to time appoint not more than three Assistant Commissioners of Police who shall assist the Commissioner generally in the superintendence of the police force of New South Wales.

(2) An Assistant Commissioner shall, subject to the control and authority, and on behalf, of the Commissioner, discharge, exercise and perform such responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties and functions as he is from time to time directed to discharge, exercise and perform by the Commissioner.

(3) The Commissioner may from time to time by instrument in writing under his hand delegate to any Assistant Commissioner either generally or in any particular case or class of cases such of the responsibilities, powers, authorities, duties or functions conferred or imposed upon the Commissioner by this or any other Act, or by any regulations, ordinances, rules or by-laws made under any Act, as are specified in the instrument, except this power of delegation.

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the scope of any such delegation to him, shall be as valid and effectual as if discharged, exercised or performed by the Commissioner.

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(c) by omitting from subsection two of section five the words "and the Deputy Commissioner"; Sec. 5. (Appointment and authority of superintendent, &c.)

(d) by inserting in section nine after the word "Commissioner" where firstly occurring the words ", Assistant Commissioner". Sec. 9. (Oaths to be taken by members of the police force.)

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

E. W. WOODWARD,
Governor.

Government House,
Sydney, 16*th December,* 1964.