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[MR K. J. STEWART—26 *March*, 1980.]

Public Hospitals (Amendment).

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 :—

5 **1.** This Act may be cited as the "Public Hospitals Short
(Amendment) Act, 1980". title.

2. (1) This section and section 1 shall commence on the date Commence-
of assent to this Act. ment.

 (2) Except as provided in subsection (1), this Act shall
10 commence on such day as may be appointed by the Governor in
respect thereof and as may be notified by proclamation published
in the Gazette.

3. The Public Hospitals Act, 1929, is amended in the manner Amendment
set forth in Schedule 1. of Act No.
8, 1929.

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SCHEDULE 1.

Sec. 3.

AMENDMENTS TO THE PUBLIC HOSPITALS ACT, 1929.

(1) (a) Section 29K, definition of "arbitrator"—
After "29L (1)", insert "or (3)".

(b) Section 29K, definition of "fee-for-service contract"—
20 After the definition of "Association", insert :—

 "fee-for-service contract" means a contract between
an incorporated hospital, a separate institution
or the governing body of a separate institution

Public Hospitals (Amendment).

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1929—*continued.*

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medical services or medical services of any
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consideration of remuneration on a fee-for-
service basis;

(c) Section 29K, definition of “visiting medical officer”—

15 After “under a”, insert “fee-for-service contract or a”.

(2) (a) Section 29L (1), (2)—

Omit “section 29M” wherever occurring, insert
instead “section 29M (1)”.

(b) Section 29L (3)—

20 After section 29L (2), insert :—

(3) The Attorney-General shall, upon receipt of an
application in the prescribed form made by—

(a) the Association and the Commission jointly;
or

25 (b) either the Association or the Commission,
appoint a member of the Industrial Commission of
New South Wales to be the arbitrator for the purposes
of making a determination under section 29M (1A).

Public Hospitals (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PUBLIC HOSPITALS ACT,
1929—*continued.*

(3) (a) Section 29M (1)—

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(b) Section 29M (1A)—

After section 29M (1), insert :—

10 (1A) The arbitrator shall, as soon as practicable
after his appointment under section 29L (3),
determine—

15 (a) the rates on a fee-for-service basis of
remuneration in respect of medical services
provided by visiting medical officers under
fee-for-service contracts; and

(b) the date or dates, not being a date or dates
earlier than the date of the determination,
on and from which any determination made
under paragraph (a) shall have effect.

20 (c) Section 29M (2)—

After “subsection (1)”, insert “or (1A)”.

(4) (a) Section 29R—

After “any provision of a”, insert “fee-for-service
contract or a”.

Public Hospitals (Amendment).

SCHEDULE 1—*continued.*

AMENDMENTS TO THE PUBLIC HOSPITALS ACT,
1929—*continued.*

(b) Section 29R—

- 5 Omit “sessional contract” where secondly occurring,
insert instead “fee-for-service contract or the sessional
contract, as the case may be.”.

BY AUTHORITY

D. WEST, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, NEW SOUTH WALES—1980

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF DALLAS

Shirley Ann Smith, Plaintiff,
vs.
The State of Texas, Defendant.

(b) Section 22—
That 'several' contract, which is a contract
between the State of Texas and the defendant,
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IT IS ORDERED that the defendant pay to the plaintiff the sum of \$100.00.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HUMAN RESOURCES
H. R. 1080 (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1980

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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2. (1) This section and section 1 shall commence on the date of assent to this Act. Commencement.

10 (2) Except as provided in subsection (1), this Act shall commence on such day as may be appointed by the Governor in respect thereof and as may be notified by proclamation published in the Gazette.

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BY AUTHORITY

D. WEST, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, NEW SOUTH WALES—1980

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SCHEDULE I - continued

APPENDIX TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH ACT

1979-continued

(a) Section 29A

On the written report of the Director of Health, the Board may, if it is satisfied that the Director's report is correct, direct the Director to take such steps as may be necessary to ensure that the provisions of this Act are complied with.

**PUBLIC HOSPITALS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1980,
No. 89**

New South Wales



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Act No. 89, 1980.

An Act to amend the Public Hospitals Act, 1929, to provide for the appointment of an arbitrator to determine the fees to be paid to medical practitioners performing fee-for-service work at incorporated hospitals or separate institutions within the meaning of that Act. [Assented to, 1st May, 1980.]

Public Hospitals (Amendment).

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

A. R. CUTLER,
Governor.

*Government House,
Sydney, 1st May, 1980.*

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