

METROPOLITAN WATER,
SEWERAGE, AND DRAINAGE
AMENDMENT (ELECTIONS) ACT.

Act No. 16, 1935.

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An Act to alter the law relating to elections of members of the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Board, and to make further provisions in relation thereto; to amend the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1935, in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 21st March, 1935.]

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BE 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 :—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Amendment (Elections) Act, 1935." Short title.

(2) This Act shall be read and construed with the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1932-1935, in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

(3) The Principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Acts, 1932-1935.

2. (1) (a) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Principal Act, no election of a member or members of the Board shall be held during the month of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five. Elections of members of the Board.

(b) All Acts and proceedings done and taken for the purposes of or in relation to elections of members of the Board proposed to be held during the said month are hereby annulled.

(c) Every person to whom a ballot-paper for such proposed elections has been issued shall forthwith return the same to the Returning Officer in the envelope provided for that purpose.

(d) The Returning Officer shall forthwith destroy all ballot-papers so returned to him.

(2) The Principal Act is amended—

Amendment of Act No. 50, 1924.

(a) by omitting from subsection (1A) of section seven the words "thirty-first day of March" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirtieth day of April"; Sec. 7 (1A).

(b) by omitting from paragraph (e) of subsection two of section seven the words "thirty-first day of March" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirtieth day of April"; Sec. 7 (2).

(c)

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Sec. 10 (1). (c) by inserting in subsection one of section ten after the word "officers" the words "and may establish such polling-places";

Sec. 11 (1). (d) by omitting from subsection one of section eleven the word "March" wherever occurring and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "April";

Sec. 11 (2). (c) (i) by omitting from subsection two of section eleven the word "March" where firstly occurring and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "April";

(ii) by omitting from the same subsection the word "thirty-first" where firstly occurring and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirtieth";

(iii) by omitting from the same subsection the words "thirty-first day of March" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirtieth day of April."

Amendment
of Act No.
4, 1935,
s. 3 (2).

(3) The Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage (Amendment) Act, 1935, is amended by omitting from subsection two of section three the words "thirty-first day of March" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirtieth day of April."

Existing
members of
Board.

(4) The persons who immediately before the commencement of this Act hold office as members of the Board shall, subject to the provisions of the Principal Act, continue to hold such office until the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five and shall then retire from office, but shall, if otherwise qualified, be eligible for appointment or election in pursuance of the Principal Act as amended by this Act.