

(2.) The *Dairy Produce Export Charges Act* 1924-1929\* is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

(3.) The Principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Dairy Produce Export Charges Act* 1924-1937.

2. Section two of the Principal Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following definition :—

“ ‘the Board’ means the Australian Dairy Produce Board constituted under the *Dairy Produce Export Control Act* 1924-1936.”

3. Section three A of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the words “ Dairy Produce Control Board constituted under the *Dairy Produce Export Control Act* 1924 ” and inserting in their stead the word “ Board ”.

4. Section four of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the words “ Dairy Produce Control Board constituted under the *Dairy Produce Export Control Act* 1924 ” and inserting in their stead the word “ Board ”.

5. The regulations contained in Statutory Rules 1936, No. 108, being regulations purporting to have been made under the *Dairy Produce Export Charges Act* 1924-1929, shall be deemed to be, and at all times to have been, as valid and effectual for all purposes as if this Act had been in force on the date when they were made.

\* Act No. 39, 1924, as amended by No. 15, 1929.

## COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC SERVICE.

### No. 41 of 1937.

An Act to amend the *Commonwealth Public Service Act* 1922-1936 in relation to the Recognition of certain prior Service as Commonwealth Service.

[Assented to 16th September, 1937.]

**B**E it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows :—

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *Commonwealth Public Service Act* 1937.

(2.) The *Commonwealth Public Service Act* 1922-1936,\* as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Commonwealth Public Service Act* 1922-1937.

\* Act No. 21, 1922, as amended by No. 46, 1924; No. 41, 1928; No. 19, 1930; No. 21, 1931; No. 72, 1932; No. 38, 1933; Nos. 45 and 46, 1934; and No. 72, 1934.

Certain prior  
service reckoned  
as  
Commonwealth  
Service.

2. After section forty-eight of the *Commonwealth Public Service Act 1922-1936* the following section is inserted:—

“48AA. Where a person who was appointed under section fifteen of the *Development and Migration Act 1926* as an officer of the Commission constituted under that Act is, at the commencement of this section, an officer of the Commonwealth Service and his service in the Commonwealth Service is continuous with a period of continuous service which is the aggregate of—

- (a) a period of service under the *Development and Migration Act 1926*;
- (b) a period of service (if any) in pursuance of the *Development and Migration Act 1930*;
- (c) a period of permanent service in the Public Service of a State; and
- (d) a period of prior service or employment (if any) in the Public Service of the Commonwealth, whether before or after service under the *Development and Migration Act 1926*,

that period of continuous service shall be reckoned for the purposes of this Act as service in a permanent capacity in the Commonwealth Service.”

## AUSTRALIAN SOLDIERS' REPATRIATION (No. 3).

No. 42 of 1937.

An Act to amend sections twenty-two and thirty-nine of the *Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Act 1920-1937*.

[Assented to 13th December, 1937.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:—

Short title  
and citation.

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Act (No. 3) 1937*.

(2.) The *Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Act 1920-1936\**, as amended by the *Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Act 1937†* and by the *Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Act (No. 2) 1937‡*, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

\* Act No. 6, 1920, as amended by No. 34, 1921; No. 23, 1922; No. 14, 1929; No. 74, 1930; Nos. 10 and 47, 1931; No. 17, 1933; Nos. 16 and 32, 1934; No. 58, 1935; Nos. 29 and 67, 1936.

† Act No. 12, 1937.

‡ Act No. 24, 1937.