

2. Any member of the Naval Forces—
 - (a) who has been discharged “Run” ;
 - (b) who has been dismissed from His Majesty’s Service with disgrace ;
 - (c) who has been dismissed from His Majesty’s Service ;
 - (d) who has been discharged from the Naval Service as “Services no longer required” ;
 - (e) whose services have been dispensed with on account of misconduct ; or
 - (f) who has been invalided from the Naval Services for causes due to misconduct or within his control.
3. Any member of the Military Forces—
 - (a) who has been, by sentence of court-martial, discharged with ignominy from His Majesty’s Service or discharged from the Defence Force ;
 - (b) who has been discharged for any of the following reasons :—
 - (i) that he had been guilty of misconduct ;
 - (ii) that he had made a false answer on attestation ;
 - (iii) that he was considered unfit for the duties of his corps ; or
 - (iv) that it was considered his services were no longer required, and such discharge was, and was entered in Service records as being, on account of misconduct or discreditable service ;
 - (c) who has been discharged for any of the following reasons :—
 - (i) that by reason of numerous convictions he is deemed to be incorrigible ;
 - (ii) that he has been sentenced during his service to penal servitude or imprisonment by a civil court or by a court-martial ; or
 - (iii) that he has been sentenced by a court-martial to detention for a period of six months or more ; or
 - (d) who has been discharged for any of the following reasons :—
 - (i) that he was found to be not suitable for any military service ;
 - (ii) that he was considered unsuitable for any further military duty ; or
 - (iii) because his services, for any reason considered sufficient by the Military Board, were no longer required, and such discharge was, and was entered in Service records as being, on account of misconduct or discreditable service, or was because he had been sentenced to death by a civil court during his service.
4. Any member of the Air Force—
 - (a) who has been, by sentence of court-martial, discharged with ignominy from His Majesty’s Service or discharged from the Defence Force ; or
 - (b) whose appointment has been terminated or who has been discharged for reasons designated in the authority for termination of appointment or discharge as disciplinary.
5. Any other class prescribed by the regulations.

DROUGHT RELIEF.

No. 17 of 1945.

An Act to amend the *States Grants (Drought Relief) Act 1944*, and for other purposes.

[Assented to 3rd August, 1945.]

[Date of commencement, 31st August, 1945.]

Preamble.

BE it enacted by the King’s Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, for the purpose of appropriating the grant originated in the House of Representatives, as follows :—

Short title
and citation.

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *Drought Relief Act 1945*.

(2.) The *States Grants (Drought Relief) Act 1944**, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *States Grants (Drought Relief) Act 1944-1945*.

2. Section three of the *States Grants (Drought Relief) Act 1944* is amended by omitting the words "One million five hundred thousand pounds" and inserting in their stead the words "One million eight hundred and fifty-five thousand pounds".

Payment of financial assistance to certain States.

3. The Minister may apply, in such manner as he thinks fit, out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is hereby appropriated accordingly, amounts not exceeding in the whole the sum of One thousand five hundred pounds for the purpose of the alleviation of hardship suffered, in consequence of drought, by persons concerned in the production, in the Australian Capital Territory, of wheat, oats or barley, or wheaten or oaten hay.

Drought relief in Australian Capital Territory.

WAR PENSIONS APPROPRIATION.

No. 18 of 1945.

An Act to grant and apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund a sum for War Pensions.

[Assented to 3rd August, 1945.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, for the purpose of appropriating the grant originated in the House of Representatives, as follows:—

Preamble.

1. This Act may be cited as the *War Pensions Appropriation Act 1945*.

Short title.

2. This Act shall come into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

Commencement.

3. There shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is hereby appropriated accordingly, for the purposes of the Trust Account established under the *Audit Act 1901-1934* and known as the War Pensions Fund, the sum of Thirteen million pounds for war pensions.

Appropriation of £13,000,000 for war pensions.