

“(5.) Where the official receiver is appointed to act as trustee or a new trustee is appointed in accordance with this section—

- (a) all property the subject of the deed of arrangement shall, from and including the date from which the appointment takes effect or is deemed to have taken effect, vest in the official receiver or the new trustee solely or jointly with any continuing trustee, as the case requires, and the official receiver or the new trustee shall have the same rights and powers and perform the same duties and be subject to the same liabilities as if the official receiver or the new trustee had been an original trustee; and
- (b) no personal liability shall attach to the official receiver or the new trustee, as the case may be, in respect of any act done, default made or liability incurred by any prior trustee.

“(6.) If the official receiver is appointed to act as trustee in pursuance of this section, he shall not be required to give any security in respect of that appointment.”

6. All sales and transfers of any property the subject of a composition, scheme of arrangement or deed of assignment under Part XI., or a deed of arrangement under Part XII., of the *Bankruptcy Act* 1924, or of that Act as amended, made and effected, prior to the commencement of this section, by an official receiver purporting to act as trustee under that composition, scheme or deed, as the case may be, shall be as valid and effectual to all intents and purposes as if the official receiver had been the trustee under that composition, scheme or deed.

Validation of
certain
transactions.

TUBERCULOSIS.

No. 44 of 1945.

An Act to amend the *Tuberculosis Act* 1945.

[Assented to 15th August, 1946.]

BE 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 *Tuberculosis Act* 1946.

Short title
and citation.

(2.) The *Tuberculosis Act* 1945*, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Tuberculosis Act* 1945–1946.

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

Commencement.

* Act No. 46, 1945.

3. Section six of the *Tuberculosis Act* 1945 is repealed and the following section inserted in its stead:—

Grants to States, and payments in respect of Territories, for benefit of sufferers.

“6.—(1.) An amount determined in accordance with this section shall be payable in every year to each State upon the condition that the amount is applied by the State during that year in making payments to or in respect of sufferers from tuberculosis, or the dependants of such sufferers, with the objects of—

- (a) encouraging such sufferers to refrain from working and to take treatment;
- (b) minimizing the spread of tuberculosis; and
- (c) promoting the better treatment of tuberculosis.

“(2.) The amounts payable to the States under this section shall be determined by the Minister, but shall not exceed in the aggregate, in any year, the sum of Two hundred and fifty thousand pounds.

“(3.) The Treasurer may pay to the Minister such amounts as are agreed upon between the Treasurer and the Minister for the purpose of the making of payments to or in respect of sufferers from tuberculosis, or the dependants of such sufferers, in the Australian Capital Territory and the Northern Territory with the same objects as are specified in this section in relation to payments by the States, and the Minister may make payments accordingly out of the sums so paid to him by the Treasurer.

“(4.) A payment received by a person out of moneys—

- (a) paid to a State or to the Minister under this section; or
- (b) provided by a State for the objects for which payments may be made by a State under this section,

shall be deemed not to be income for the purposes of the *Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act* 1908–1946, the *Widows' Pensions Act* 1942–1946 and the *Unemployment and Sickness Benefits Act* 1944.”

Payments to be made from National Welfare Fund.

4. Section seven of the *Tuberculosis Act* 1945 is amended by inserting after the word “Payments” the words “by the Commonwealth or the Treasurer”.

IMMIGRATION (GUARDIANSHIP OF CHILDREN).

No. 45 of 1946.

An Act to make provision for and in connexion with the Guardianship of certain Children from outside Australia.

[Assented to 15th August, 1946.]

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.

1. This Act may be cited as the *Immigration (Guardianship of Children) Act* 1946.