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An Act to amend the Dairy Industry Act, 1928.

[Assented to 4 December 1986]

The Parliament of South Australia enacts as follows:

Short title.

- 1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Dairy Industry Act Amendment Act, 1986".
- (2) The Dairy Industry Act, 1928, is in this Act referred to as "the principal Act".

Commencement.

2. This Act shall come into operation on a day to be fixed by proclamation.

Amendment of s. 7— Licensing. 3. Section 7 of the principal Act is amended by striking out from subsection (2a) the passage "of this Act" and substituting the passage "or 8a,".

Insertion of new ss. 8a and 8b.

4. The following sections are inserted after section 8 of the principal Act:

Minister may direct that no further dairy farm licences be issued in certain circumstances.

- 8a. (1) Where the Minister, after consulting with the Dairy Industry Advisory Committee, is of the opinion that the establishment of further dairy farms would result in lower returns to dairy farmers thus rendering dairy farming uneconomic, the Minister may direct that no further licences be issued for dairy farms.
 - (2) A direction under subsection (1) shall not affect—
 - (a) an application for a fresh licence for a dairy farm in respect of which a licence was current at the time of the making of the application;
 - (b) an application for the transfer of a licence for a dairy farm from one person to another;

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(c) an application by a person who holds a licence for a dairy farm and who wishes to surrender the licence in respect of that farm and obtain a licence in respect of another.

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- (3) The Minister may, after consulting with the Dairy Industry Advisory Committee, revoke a direction under subsection (1).
- (4) No direction shall be made under subsection (1) on or after 30 June, 1988, and all directions made under that subsection shall expire on that date.
- 8b. (1) There shall be a committee entitled the "Dairy Industry Establishment of Advisory Committee".

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- (2) The committee shall consist of four members appointed by the Minister of whom-
 - (a) at least one must be a member of the South Australian Dairyfarmers Association Incorporated;
 - (b) at least one must be a member of the South Eastern Dairymen's Association of South Australia Incorporated;
 - (c) at least one must be a member of the United Farmers and Stockowners of South Australia Incorporated.
- (3) A member of the committee shall be appointed for a term of office, not exceeding 2 years, specified in the instrument of appointment.
- (4) The terms and conditions of appointment of the members will be as determined by the Minister.
- (5) The Minister shall appoint one of the members to preside at meetings of the committee.
- (6) The committee shall advise the Minister in relation to any direction proposed to be made by the Minister under section 8a of this Act or section 32 of the Metropolitan Milk Supply Act. 1946.

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

D. B. DUNSTAN, Governor