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No. 44 of 1949.

An Act to amend the Electricity Trust of South Australia Act, 1946.

[Assented to 1st December, 1949.]

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows:

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- 1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Electricity Trust of South Australia Act Amendment Act, 1949".
- (2) The Electricity Trust of South Australia Act, 1946, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Electricity Trust of South Australia Act, 1946-1949".
- (3) The Electricity Trust of South Australia Act, 1946, is hereinafter called "the principal Act".

Incorporation.

2. This Act is incorporated with the principal Act and that Act and this Act shall be read as one Act.

Enactment of s. 43da of principal Act--- 3. The following section is enacted and inserted in the principal Act after section 43d thereof:—

Clubs and refreshment rooms.

- 43da. (1) The trust may on the Leigh Creek coalfield-
 - (a) establish and maintain premises for use as club rooms and refreshment rooms;
 - (b) at any such premises conduct clubs and refreshment rooms.
- (2) The power to conduct clubs and refreshment rooms under this section shall include power to sell and supply

refreshments, including liquor, to provide such accommodation conveniences and amenities as the trust thinks fit, and to do all things incidental to the conduct of clubs and refreshment rooms.

(3) The Trust shall not sell any liquor as defined in the Licensing Act, 1932-1945, at any time except during such hours as are prescribed by the Governor by regulations, or if no hours are so prescribed, during the hours in which it is lawful for the holder of a publican's licence to sell such liquor. The Governor may by regulation from time to time fix the hours during which the Trust may sell liquor under this section. Any regulations so made may fix different hours for different premises.

Except as provided in this subsection the Trust, in selling and supplying liquor under this section, shall not be subject to the Licensing Act, 1932-1945.

- (4) The profits derived by the trust from the conduct of clubs and refreshment rooms under this section shall be applied for such purposes beneficial to the inhabitants of the Leigh Creek coalfield as are approved by the Treasurer.
- (5) After the close of each financial year the trust shall submit to the Treasurer—
 - (a) a copy of its accounts for that financial year relating to the conduct of clubs and refreshment rooms under this section:
 - (b) recommendations by the trust as to the purposes to which the profit derived by the trust during that financial year from the conduct of clubs and refreshment rooms are to be applied, and the amount to be applied to each purpose.
- (6) The Treasurer may approve of the said purposes either with or without additions or alterations, and when the purposes are so approved the said profits shall be applied by the trust accordingly.
 - (7) For the purpose of this section—
 - "the Leigh Creek coalfield" means the land held by the trust on lease granted by the Governor pursuant to section 43g of this Act:
 - "liquor" includes liquor as defined in the Licensing Act, 1932-1945.

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

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor.