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An Act to amend the Industries Development Act, 1941-1977.

[Assented to 15th December, 1977]

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

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Industries Development Act Amend-Short titles. ment Act (No. 2), 1977".

- (2) The Industries Development Act, 1941-1977, is hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".
- (3) The principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the "Industries Development Act, 1941-1977".
 - 2. This Act shall come into operation on a day to be fixed by proclamation. Commence-

3. Section 2 of the principal Act is amended—

(a) by inserting in the definition of "industry" after the word "includes" Interpretation. the passage "any overseas industry and";

and

(b) by striking out from the definition of "the corporation" the passage "South Australian Industries Assistance Corporation" and inserting in lieu thereof the passage "South Australian Development Corporation"'.

4. Section 10 of the principal Act is amended by striking out from sub- Amendment of principal Act, section (1) the passage "applications for guarantees, grants or loans under this in 10-Act" and inserting in lieu thereof the passage "matters relating to assistance Committee. to industry".

5. The principal Act is amended by striking out the head note appearing Amendment of head note immediately before section 16a and inserting in lieu thereof the following appearing head note:---

South Australian Development Corporation.

Amendment of principal Act, s. 16a—
Establishment of corporation.

6. Section 16a of the principal Act is amended by inserting in subsection (1) after the passage "South Australian Industries Assistance Corporation" the passage and on and after the commencement of the Industries Development Act Amendment Act (No. 2), 1977, the corporation shall continue in existence under the name of the "South Australian Development Corporation".

Amendment of principal Act, s. 16f— Corporation may borrow for purposes of Act. 7. Section 16f of the principal Act is amended by striking out subsection (5).

Amendment of principal Act, s. 16g--Powers of corporation.

- 8. Section 16g of the principal Act is amended—
 - (a) by inserting in subsection (1) after paragraph (b) the following paragraph:—
 - (ba) to purchase shares in any corporation;;
 - (b) by inserting in subsection (1) after paragraph (d) the following paragraph:—
 - (da) to investigate and report on such matters relating to assistance to industry as are referred to it by the Treasurer;;

and

(c) by striking out from subsection (3) the passage "three hundred thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the passage "one million".

Amendment of principal Act, s. 18—
Auditor-General to report.

- 9. Section 18 of the principal Act is amended by inserting after the present contents thereof (which are hereby designated subsection (1) thereof) the following subsection—
 - (2) Without limiting the generality of subsection (1) of this section the Auditor-General shall in every annual report made by him give full details of any actual or prospective liability or of any loss to the corporation arising or resulting from the bankruptcy, entry into receivership, liquidation or reconstruction of any person to whom or to which assistance has been granted under this Act.

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

K. SEAMAN, Governor