

JUSTICES.

No. 8 of 1961.

AN ACT to amend the *Justices Act 1959*.

[4 August 1961.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

Short title
and citation.

1—(1) This Act may be cited as the *Justices Act 1961*.

(2) The *Justices Act 1959*, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

District
justices.

2 Section seven of the Principal Act is amended by inserting the following subsection after subsection (4):—

“(4A) A district justice may within or without the district for which he has been appointed—

(a) receive a complaint of an offence or breach of duty occurring anywhere in the State and thereon issue a summons or warrant to compel the attendance of the defendant; and

(b) issue his summons to compel the attendance of a witness,

before justices sitting in any district.”.

Process on
complaint.
Criminal
Code, s. 349.

3 Section thirty-two of the Principal Act is amended—

(a) by omitting from paragraph (a) the word “or”;
and

(b) by adding at the end thereof the words—

“; or

“(c) where the person complained against is imprisoned for any other cause, issue his warrant to the gaoler to bring up the body of that person as often as is required for the proceedings upon the complaint, and the gaoler shall obey the warrant.”.

Committal of
defendant.

4 Section sixty-two of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the words “offered on the part of the prosecution against” and substituting therefor the words “in respect of”.

5 Section one hundred and forty-four of the Principal Act is amended by inserting in subsection (4) after paragraph (c) the following paragraph:—

Rule Committee and Rules of Procedure.

“(ca) the hearing and determination in the absence of the defendant of complaints for simple offences and breaches of duty where the defendant has failed to appear as summoned or in accordance with his recognizance of bail;”.

LOAN (HYDRO-ELECTRIC COMMISSION).

No. 9 of 1961.

AN ACT to authorize the borrowing of certain sums of money and the application thereof for the purposes of the *Hydro-Electric Commission Act* 1944, to authorize the construction of certain works by the Hydro-Electric Commission, and to provide for matters incidental thereto.

[4 August 1961.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—(1) This Act may be cited as the *Loan (Hydro-Electric Commission) Act* 1961.

Short title and incorporation.

(2) This Act is incorporated, and shall be read as one, with the *Hydro-Electric Commission Act* 1944.

2 In this Act—

“Financial Agreement” means the agreement made between the Commonwealth and the States and ratified by the *Financial Agreement Act* 1927, and includes that agreement as varied from time to time and any agreement made in substitution therefor;

Interpretation.
Cf. No. 48 of 1957, s. 2.

“Loan Fund” means the Loan Fund established under section six of the *Public Account Act* 1957.

3 The Treasurer may issue and apply out of the Loan Fund (which, to the necessary extent, is appropriated accordingly) for the purposes of the Commission such sums of money as may be required for carrying out the works that are specified in the schedule.

Appropriation of Loan Fund.
Ibid., s. 3.