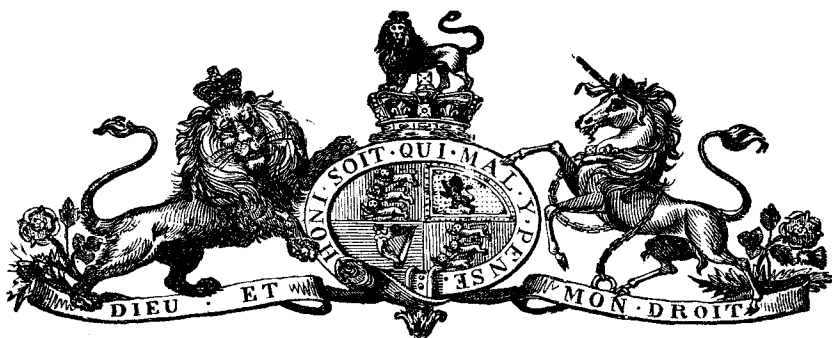


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AN ACT to further amend "The Game Protection Act, 1895." [20 November, 1900.] A.D. 1900. —

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** This Act may be cited as "The Game Protection Amendment Act, 1900." Short title.

**2** Every person who, within the period of Two years from the passing of this Act, in any manner hunts or is found in possession, either on his own land or elsewhere, of any opossum, whether alive or dead, or any skin or carcase thereof, shall, for every opossum so hunted or found in his possession, and for every skin or carcase thereof so found in his possession, forfeit every such skin or carcase, which shall thereupon become the property of the Crown, and forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds. Penalty for hunting opossum for Two years.

Nothing herein contained shall prevent any person from having or keeping any opossum in a state of confinement, provided the same is taken or captured before the passing of this Act.

No person prosecuted for being found in possession of any opossum, or the skin or carcase thereof, contrary to this Section, shall be liable to any penalty if such person proves to the satisfaction of the adjudicating Justices that such opossum, or that the opossum from which such skin or carcase was taken, was hunted and taken before the passing of this Act.

**3** This Act and "The Game Protection Act, 1895," and every Act amending the same, shall be read and construed together as one and the same Act. Acts to be read together.

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