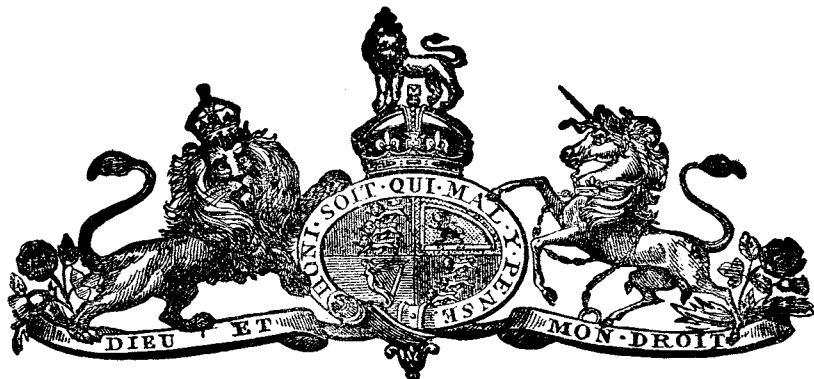


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AN ACT to provide for the Management,
 Maintenance, Conduct, and Control of State
 Tourists' Accommodation Houses.

A.D.
 1927.

[21 October, 1927.]

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 State Tourists' Accommodation Houses Act, 1927."

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Interpretation.

1 Geo. V. No. 69.

Commissioner of Railways to have control of tourists' accommodation houses.

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Appointment of officers and servants.

13 Geo. V. No. 25.

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2 In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires—

“Commissioner” means the Commissioner for Railways appointed under the Railway Management Act, 1910:

“Minister” means the Minister for Railways:

“Schedule” means schedule to this Act:

“State tourists' accommodation house” means—

i. Any tourists' accommodation house mentioned in the schedule;

ii. Any tourists' accommodation house to be hereafter constructed or acquired by the Minister on the authority of Parliament; and

iii. Any house, a lease of which is acquired by the Commissioner for the purpose of carrying on the same as a tourists' accommodation house—

and the expression includes all pictures, fittings, furniture, plant, and things belonging or appertaining to any such house as aforesaid.

3 Subject to the provisions of this Act, the Commissioner shall have the management, maintenance, conduct, and control of all State tourists' accommodation houses: Provided, however, that such management, maintenance, conduct, and control shall not be deemed to be, or be treated as, any part of the business of the Railway Department.

4 The Commissioner may, with the approval of the Governor, acquire a lease of any house, building, or land for or in connection with the establishment or carrying on of a State tourists' accommodation house.

5 The Commissioner may, in any case in which he thinks fit so to do, instead of himself carrying on and conducting the business of any State tourists' accommodation house, let the same for such period, not exceeding seven years, to such person, and upon such terms and conditions as he thinks fit: Provided, however, that the approval of the Governor shall be necessary for any such letting for a period exceeding three years.

6—(1) The Commissioner may appoint and employ all such officers and servants as he thinks fit for the purposes of this Act.

(2) No person appointed or employed by the Commissioner under this Act shall, in respect of such appointment or employment, be subject to the provisions of the Public Service Act, 1923.

7 The Commissioner may, for the purpose of, or in connection with, the management, maintenance, conduct, or control of any State tourists' accommodation house—

i. Purchase or acquire any goods, chattels, or other personal property:

ii. Enter into contracts or agreements for the carrying out of any work or the supply of any services.

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- 8** All contracts and agreements entered into before the commencement of this Act by or with any Minister of the Crown, or other person, for or on behalf of the Government of the State, in connection with the management, maintenance, conduct, or control of any State tourists' accommodation house, shall be enforceable by and against the Commissioner.
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Existing contracts continued.
- 9** All moneys received by the Commissioner by virtue of this Act shall be paid into the Consolidated Revenue.
- Appropriation of moneys.
- 10** The Commissioner shall, once in every financial year, cause to be prepared and submitted to Parliament—
- Annual accounts to be submitted to Parliament.
- i. A revenue and expenditure account, showing in respect of the previous financial year—
- (a) The total gross receipts arising from, or in connection with the carrying on or letting of, all State tourists' accommodation houses ;
- (b) All amounts received from the Treasurer on account or in respect of any moneys provided by Parliament out of the Consolidated Revenue for the maintenance of such accommodation houses ; and
- (c) The total expenditure incurred in connection with the management, maintenance, conduct, or control of such accommodation houses : and
- ii. A capital account, showing the total cost, as at the end of the previous financial year, of the construction or acquisition of all State tourists' accommodation houses.
- 11**—(1) There shall be opened in the Treasury books for the purposes of this Act an account to be called "The State Tourists' Accommodation Houses Construction Account," and hereinafter referred to as "the said account."
- Account to be opened in Treasury books.
- (2) The said account shall—
- i. Be credited with—
- (a) The respective sums set out in the third column of the schedule, being the amounts voted by Parliament, previously to the commencement of this Act, for the construction or acquisition of the respective State tourists' accommodation houses mentioned in the first column of the schedule ; and
- (b) All sums to be hereafter voted by Parliament for the construction or acquisition of any State tourists' accommodation house : and
- ii. Be debited with—
- (a) The respective sums set out in the fourth column of the schedule, comprising in the aggregate the total cost of the construction and acquisition of the State tourists' accommodation houses mentioned in the first column of the schedule ; and

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(b) All sums to be hereafter expended, out of moneys provided by Parliament for that purpose, in the construction or acquisition of any State tourists' accommodation house.

(3) Upon the opening of the said account as hereinbefore provided, all necessary adjustments shall be made in the Treasury books to accord with the provisions of Subsection (2) of this section.

Regulations.

12 The Governor may make regulations prescribing matters which he may deem necessary or expedient for carrying out or giving effect to the provisions of this Act.

SCHEDULE.

Description of Tourists' Accommodation House.	Act by which Moneys Voted.	Amount Voted (less Reappropriation).		Amount Expended Previously to the Commencement of this Act.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Accommodation House, Lake Leake	2 Geo. V. No. 38, Item 954	600	0 0	600	0 0
	4 Geo. V. No. 14, Item 1074	656	13 0	656	13 0
	8 Geo. V. No. 52, Item 543	30	0 0	30	0 0
	10 Geo. V. No. 22, Item 696	327	14 6	327	14 6
	11 Geo. V. No. 14, Item 783	93	1 0	93	1 0
Accommodation House, Interlaken	9 Ed. VII. No. 51, Item 751	500	0 0	500	0 0
	9 Ed. VII. No. 51, Item 734	9	0 0	9	0 0
	4 Geo. V. No. 14, Item 1075	300	0 0	300	0 0
Accommodation House, Miena (Great Lake)	9 Geo. V. No. 74, Item 326	300	0 0	300	0 0
	10 Geo. V. No. 23, Item 695	2,000	0 0	2,000	0 0
	11 Geo. V. No. 14, Item 782	1,000	0 0	1,000	0 0
	12 Geo. V. No. 54, Item 678	1,500	0 0	1,500	0 0
	15 Geo. V. No. 50, Item 457	250	0 0	250	0 0
Accommodation House, Great Lake (Northern End)	15 Geo. V. No. 50, Item 458	100	0 0	94	6 8
	5 Geo. V. No. 4	650	0 0	650	0 0
		£8,316	8 6	£8,310	15 2