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# AN ACT to amend the Traffic Act, 1925. [21 December, 1926.]

DE 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 Traffic Act, 1926." (2) The Traffic Act, 1925, is herein called "the Principal Act." Short title. Principal Act. 16 Geo. V. No. 38.

2 Section Three of the Principal Act is hereby amended by deleting the words "passengers, goods, or merchandise" in the third line of Principal Act. the definition of "Public vehicle" contained in that section, and substituting the words "persons, goods, merchandise, or things" therefor.

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Amendment of Subsection (1) of Section 10 of the Principal Act.

3 Subsection (1) of Section Ten of the Principal Act is hereby amended by inserting the words "providing for and regulating" afterthe word "and" where it occurs for the second time in the second line of Paragraph III. of the said subsection.

Amendment of Section 15 of the follows :-Principal Act.

- 4 Section Fifteen of the Principal Act is hereby amended as
  - 1. As to Subsection (1) thereof—
    - (a) By inserting the words "providing for and" before the word "regulating" in the fifth line of Paragraph 1 of the said subsection;
    - (b) By deleting the word "such" in the seventh line of the lastmentioned paragraph;
    - (c) By deleting the words "as Parliament shall from time to time determine" in the seventh and eighth lines of such lastmentioned paragraph, and substituting the words "in accordance with Schedule (3) to this Act" therefor;
    - (d) By deleting the last four lines of such lastmentioned paragraph; and
    - (e) By deleting the word "Prescribing" in the first line of Paragraph x1. of the said subsection, and substituting the words "Providing that the Commissioner may "therefor; and by inserting the word "determine" before the word "the in the second line of that paragraph:
  - II. As to Subsection (3) thereof by inserting the words "or between Launceston and Burnie" before the word "the" in the fifth line of the said subsection: and
  - III. By repealing Subsections 4) and (6) thereof.

Amendment of Section 20 of the Principal Act.

5 Section Twenty of the Principal Act is hereby amended by inserting the words "or any person authorised in writing by the Commissioner for that purpose" after the word "force" in the first line thereof.

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- 6 Section Twenty-three of the Principal Act is hereby amended by Section 23 of the inserting the following new Subsection (3) after Subsection (2) thereof:
  - "(3) Whenever the licensed driver of a public vehicle is charged with any breach of this Act as such licensed driver, he shall produce his licence to the court at the time of hearing, and, if he does not so produce such licence at the time aforesaid, such licensed driver shall be guilty of an offence against this Act, and the court may forthwith convict him of such offence without requiring any complaint to be laid against him in respect thereof."

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- 7 Subsection (3) of Section Forty-one of the Principal Act. is A.D. 1926 hereby amended by inserting the words "in addition to imposing upon him any other penalty for an offence against this Act" after the word "shall" in the fourth line thereof.

Amendment of Subsection (3) of Section 41 of the Principal Act.

- Section 51 of the Principal Act.
- 8 Section Fifty-one of the Principal Act is hereby amended as Amendment of follows:
  - By inserting "(1)" before the word "In" in the first line thereof: and
  - II. By inserting the following new Subsection (2) after Subsection (1) thereof:
    - "(2) Where a complaint is laid under this Act against any person for an offence with respect to the driving or use in a public street of an unlicensed public vehicle, the onus of proving that no payment or consideration was made or given to, or for the benefit of, such person for the use or letting of the vehicle shall be on the defendant."
- 9 Subsection (2) of Section Fifty-two of the Principal Act is hereby Amendment of amended by deleting the words "for which no special penalty is provided" in the first and second lines thereof.

Subsection (2) of Section 52 of the Principal Act.

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