

*Quarantine Law Amendment.*

## No. II.

QUARANTINE LAW  
AMENDMENT.

## An Act to amend the Law relating to Quarantine. [9th October, 1894.]

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Quarantine Law Amendment Act, 1894."

Interpretation.

2. In this Act and any regulation made under it, unless the context otherwise requires:—

Board of Health.

"Board" means the Board of Health incorporated by the Noxious Trades and Cattle Slaughtering Act, 1894.

Governor.

"Governor" means the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council.

Repeal of 5 Vic.  
No. 12 and 13 Vic.  
No. 35.

3. The Act fifth Victoria number twelve and the Act thirteenth Victoria number thirty-five are hereby repealed.

17 Vic. No. 29,  
Ss. 5 and 6 amended.

4. Section five of the Act seventeenth Victoria number twenty-nine is hereby amended by substitution of the words "notwithstanding that no such proclamation as is mentioned in the first section of that Act shall have been issued," in lieu of the words, "notwithstanding that no such proclamation as is mentioned in the sixth section of that Act shall have been issued," and section six by substitution of the words "such spot or place in any port or harbour as the Governor may by proclamation to be published in the *Gazette* specify as the limit for such vessels," in lieu of the words "Pinchgut Island."

Extension of provision of 17 Vic.  
No. 29 to Newcastle  
and other ports.

5. The provisions of the Act seventeenth Victoria number twenty-nine shall apply to the harbour of Newcastle and all other ports and harbours in New South Wales.

Power given to Board  
of Health to place  
vessels in quarantine.

Re-enactment of  
5 Vic. No. 12, s. 1,  
and 13 Vic. No. 35,  
amended.

6. It shall be lawful for the Board by its officers to order into quarantine any vessel arriving in the harbour of Port Jackson or any port or harbour in New South Wales, if there be at the time, or have been during the voyage of the vessel, any infectious or contagious disease on board, or if the vessel have touched at any port or place during the voyage where any such infectious or contagious disease prevailed, or have communicated with any other vessel on board which any such disease existed, whereby in any such case danger may reasonably be apprehended to the public health from the immediate admission of the vessel to entry, or if the vessel have arrived from any port proclaimed by the Governor under section one of the Act third William Fourth number one. And it shall be lawful for the Board to take such further measures for the continuance of the vessel in quarantine, or for the release thereof, as may be judged expedient. And every vessel so ordered into quarantine, with the contents thereof, and all articles of whatever description on board, and every person on board (whether he belong to or have come as a passenger by the vessel or not) shall be subject to the same laws, rules, and penalties as if they had been placed in quarantine under the provisions of the Act third William Fourth number one.

3 Wm. IV, No. 1.

Power to make  
regulations.

7. The Governor may, on the recommendation of the Board, make regulations for the purpose of carrying into effect the Acts third William the Fourth number one, and seventeenth Victoria number twenty-nine, and this Act, and by such regulations may impose for any breach

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breach thereof a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, to be recovered in a summary way before a Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, or any two Justices of the Peace, and in default of payment the offender shall be liable to imprisonment for any period not exceeding six months. All regulations shall be published in the *Gazette*, and shall thereupon if not inconsistent with this or any other Act have the force of law.

8. This Act shall be construed with and as part of the Acts  
third William the Fourth number one and seventeenth Victoria  
number twenty-nine.

This Act to be  
construed with the  
Acts 3 Wm. IV. No. 1  
and 17 Vic. No. 29.