

MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS (AMENDMENT) ACT.

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Act No. 12, 1958.

Elizabeth II, An Act to make further provision with respect to the registrable qualifications of medical practitioners; for this purpose to amend the Medical Practitioners Act, 1938-1957; to validate certain matters; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 11th April, 1958.]
No. 12, 1958.

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Short title
and
citation.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Medical Practitioners (Amendment) Act, 1958".

(2) The Medical Practitioners Act, 1938, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Medical Practitioners Act, 1938-1958.

Amendment
of Act No.
37, 1938.

2. (1) The Medical Practitioners Act, 1938-1957, is amended—

Sec. 3.
(Defini-
tions.)

(a) by inserting at the end of the definition of "The British Empire" in subsection one of section three the words "and also includes the Republic of Ireland and any country or part of a country which at any time before or after the commencement of the Medical Practitioners (Amendment) Act, 1958, was

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a part of the British Empire and has ceased so to be and which has been declared under subsection three of this section to be included within the British Empire for the purposes of this Act.”

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- (b) by inserting at the end of the same section the following new subsection :—

(3) (a) The Governor may by proclamation published in the Gazette declare any country or part of a country which at any time before or after the commencement of the Medical Practitioners (Amendment) Act, 1958, was a part of the British Empire and has ceased so to be, to be included within the British Empire for the purposes of this Act.

(b) The Governor may, by proclamation published in the Gazette, revoke any proclamation made under this subsection.

(c) Any proclamation under this subsection shall take effect from the date of the making thereof or from a later date specified therein :

Provided that a proclamation under paragraph (a) of this subsection shall, if it is expressed so to do, take effect on and from a date, earlier than the date of the making thereof, specified therein.

- (2) The amendment made by paragraph (a) of subsection one of this section shall be deemed to have commenced upon the eighteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.