

# CRIMES (FURTHER AMENDMENT) ACT.

Act No. 26, 1929.

An Act to provide punishment for the malicious or fraudulent abstraction, waste, diverting, consumption, or use of electricity; to amend the Crimes Act, 1900; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 29th October, 1929.]

George V,  
No. 26, 1929.

**B**E it enacted by the King'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:—

**1.** This Act may be cited as the "Crimes (Further Amendment) Act, 1929." Short title.

**2.**

**Industrial Arbitration (Suspension of Living Wage Declaration) Act.**

No. 26, 1929.

Amendment  
of Act No. 40,  
1900.

New s. 154c.

**2.** The Crimes Act, 1900, is amended by inserting next after section 154B the following new short heading and section :—

*Of electricity.*Malicious or  
fraudulent  
abstraction,  
waste, &c., of  
electricity.  
6 & 7 Geo. V,  
c. 50, s. 10.

154c. Whosoever maliciously or fraudulently abstracts, causes to be wasted or diverted, consumes or uses any electricity, shall be guilty of simple larceny, and punishable accordingly.

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