

## DISCHARGED SERVICEMEN'S BADGES ACT.

### Act No. 49, 1964.

An Act relating to the wearing of membership badges issued by certain associations of discharged servicemen; and for purposes connected therewith. Elizabeth II,  
No. 49, 1964  
[Assented to, 9th December, 1964.]

**B**E 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 :—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Discharged Servicemen's Badges Act, 1964". Short title.

2. (1) In this Act, "Discharged servicemen's association" means the body specified in the Schedule to this Act and any body whose name is, for the time being, added to that Schedule pursuant to subsection two of this section. Interpre-  
tation.

(2)

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(2) Where a request in writing is made to the Governor by any body that the name of that body be added to the Schedule to this Act and the Governor is satisfied that that body is principally comprised of a substantial number of persons who have been discharged from enlistment or appointment for service with any of Her Majesty's Naval, Military or Air Forces or with the forces of the United Nations, the Governor may, by order published in the Gazette, add the name of that body to the Schedule to this Act.

Unauthorised wearing of badges.

3. (1) A person shall not, without lawful excuse, wear—

- (a) a badge of a kind issued by a discharged servicemen's association for the purpose of indicating that a person is a member of that association, unless he is a member of that association; or
- (b) a badge, not being a badge referred to in paragraph (a) of this subsection, similar to such a badge or so nearly similar thereto as to be likely to deceive.

(2) Where a person who has been, but by reason only of his failure to pay to a discharged servicemen's association any moneys payable under the rules of that association, has ceased to be, a member of that association, would be guilty of an offence arising under paragraph (a) of subsection one of this section, he shall not be guilty of that offence by reason of his wearing a badge of a kind issued by that association unless—

- (a) he has been served, in the manner provided by those rules, with notice of his failure to pay those moneys; and
- (b) he has failed to pay those moneys within the time specified in the notice or, where no time is so specified, within one month after the notice has been so served.

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4. (1) A person guilty of an offence against this Act is liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

(2) All proceedings for offences against this Act shall be disposed of summarily before a stipendiary magistrate or two justices in petty sessions.

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**SCHEDULE.**

The Returned Sailors, Soldiers and Airmen's Imperial League of Australia (New South Wales Branch).

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