

**PARLIAMENTARY ALLOWANCES AND SALARIES
(AMENDMENT) ACT.**

Act No. 29, 1966.

An Act to make further provisions with regard to the salaries and allowances of Members of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly, Ministers of the Crown and the holders of certain other offices; to amend the Constitution Act, 1902, the Parliamentary Allowances and Salaries Act, 1956, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 13th April, 1966.]

Elizabeth II,
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Parliamentary Allowances and Salaries (Amendment) Act.

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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 com-
mencement.

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Parliamentary Allowances and Salaries (Amendment) Act, 1966".

(2) The Constitution Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

(3) This Act shall commence on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-six.

Amendment
of Act No.
32, 1902.

2. The Principal Act is amended—

Sec. 17G.
(Allowances
to Members
of the
Legislative
Council.)

(a) (i) by omitting from section 17G the words "receive, by way of reimbursement for expenses incurred by him in the discharge of his Parliamentary duties, an allowance at the rate of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "receive a salary at the rate of two thousand and forty dollars per annum and an expense allowance at the rate of one thousand four hundred and forty dollars per annum";

(ii) by omitting from the same section the words "The Member of the Legislative Council who is for the time being recognised as the principal representative of those members of the Legislative Council who are not supporters of the Government shall be entitled to receive an additional allowance at the rate of two thousand dollars per annum.";

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- (iii) by omitting from the same section the words **No. 29, 1966** "Such allowance" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "Such salary and allowance";
- (b) (i) by omitting from section 17H the words "said allowance" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "said salary and allowance"; **Sec. 17H. (Exceptions.)**
- (ii) by omitting from paragraph (b) of the same section the words "President of the said Council, or as Chairman of Committees thereof" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "President or Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Council, or Leader of the Opposition, Deputy Leader of the Opposition, or Government or Opposition Whip, in the Legislative Council";
- (c) (i) by omitting from section twenty-eight the words "receive, by way of reimbursement for expenses incurred by him in the discharge of his Parliamentary duties, an allowance at the rate of five thousand three hundred dollars per annum" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "receive a salary at the rate of six thousand eight hundred and forty dollars per annum"; **Sec. 28. (Allowances to Members of the Legislative Assembly.)**
- (ii) by omitting from the same section the word "allowances" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "salaries and allowances";
- (d) (i) by omitting from subsection one of section twenty-nine the word "allowance" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "salary"; **Sec. 29. (Exceptions.)**
- (ii) by omitting from subsection two of the same section the words "the allowance" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "the salary";
- (e)

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Subst.
Fifth
Schedule.
Secs. 28,
28A.

(e) by omitting the Fifth Schedule and by inserting in lieu thereof the following Schedule : —

FIFTH SCHEDULE.**ELECTORAL ALLOWANCES TO MEMBERS OF THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**

Yearly Rate of Allowance.	Electoral Divisions.	
	<i>Part I.</i>	
\$1,620	Ashfield-Croydon Auburn Balmain Bankstown Bass Hill Bligh Bondi Burwood Canterbury Concord Coogee Cook's River Drummoyne Dulwich Hill Earlwood East Hills Eastwood Georges River Gordon Granville	Hurstville King Kirribilli Kogarah Lakemba Lane Cove Manly Maroubra Marrickville Mosman Parramatta Phillip Randwick Redfern Rockdale Ryde Vaucluse Wakehurst Wentworthville Willoughby
	<i>Part II.</i>	
\$1,680	Blacktown Collaroy Cronulla Fairfield	Hornsby Liverpool Sutherland The Hills
	<i>Part III.</i>	
\$1,896	Bulli Gosford Hamilton Hartley Hawkesbury Illawarra Kahibah Kurri Kurri	Lake Macquarie Maitland Nepean Newcastle Waratah Wollongong-Kembla Wyong

FIFTH

FIFTH SCHEDULE—continued.

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ELECTORAL ALLOWANCES TO MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY—continued.

Yearly Rate of Allowance.	Electoral Divisions.	
	<i>Part IV.</i>	
\$2,100	Byron Cessnock Lismore	Orange Wagga Wagga Wollondilly
	<i>Part V.</i>	
\$2,160	Albury Armidale Bathurst Burrinjuck Casino Clarence Dubbo Gloucester Goulburn	Monaro Mudgee Oxley Raleigh South Coast Tamworth Tenterfield Upper Hunter Young
	<i>Part VI.</i>	
\$2,400	Barwon Castlereagh Cobar Murray	Murrumbidgee Sturt Temora

3. The Parliamentary Allowances and Salaries Act, 1956, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

Amendment of Act No. 22, 1956.

- (a) (i) by omitting subsection two of section two and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsection :—
- (2) There shall be payable to—
- (a) the President of the Legislative Council a salary at the rate of six thousand five hundred and sixty dollars per annum, an expense allowance at the rate of one thousand four hundred and forty

Sec. 2. (Allowances to Members of the Legislative Council.)

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forty dollars per annum, and a special allowance at the rate of one thousand dollars per annum;

- (b) the Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council a special allowance at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum;
- (c) the Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council a special allowance at the rate of three hundred dollars per annum;
- (d) the Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Council a salary at the rate of four thousand two hundred and sixty dollars per annum, an expense allowance at the rate of one thousand four hundred and forty dollars per annum, and a special allowance at the rate of three hundred dollars per annum;
- (e) the Leader of the Opposition in the Legislative Council a salary at the rate of four thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars per annum, an expense allowance at the rate of one thousand four hundred and forty dollars per annum, and a special allowance at the rate of six hundred dollars per annum;
- (f) the Deputy Leader of the Opposition in the Legislative Council a salary at the rate of two thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars per annum, an expense allowance at the rate of one thousand four hundred and forty dollars per annum, and a special allowance at the rate of three hundred dollars per annum;

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- (g) the Government and Opposition Whips in the Legislative Council a salary at the rate of two thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars per annum, an expense allowance at the rate of one thousand four hundred and forty dollars per annum, and a special allowance at the rate of three hundred dollars per annum. No. 29, 1966
- (ii) by omitting from subsection three of the same section the words and numerals "Part II, III or IV" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words and numerals "Part III, IV, V or VI";
- (iii) by omitting from the same subsection the words "or receives the additional allowance provided in section 17G of the Principal Act for the principal representative of those Members of the Legislative Council who are not supporters of the Government";
- (iv) by omitting from the same subsection the words "eight dollars forty cents for each day" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "ten dollars for each day or part of a day on which";
- (b) (i) by inserting in section four after the words "if any," the words "the special allowance, if any,"; Sec. 4.
(Salaries and allowances to holders of offices in Second Schedule to Principal Act and Vice-President of Executive Council.)
- (ii) by omitting from paragraph (a) of the same section the words "ten thousand nine hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifteen thousand five hundred dollars";
- (iii) by omitting from the same paragraph the words "three thousand five hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "four thousand dollars";
- (iv)

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- (iv) by omitting from paragraph (b) of the same section the words "nine thousand two hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "thirteen thousand six hundred and eighty dollars";
- (v) by omitting from the same paragraph the words "one thousand four hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand eight hundred dollars";
- (vi) by omitting from paragraph (c) of the same section the words "eight thousand dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "twelve thousand eight hundred dollars";
- (vii) by omitting from the same paragraph the words "one thousand two hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand six hundred dollars";
- (viii) by inserting in the same paragraph after the word "Member" where lastly occurring the words "and where the Vice-President of the Executive Council or any such other Minister of the Crown is the holder of an office referred to in paragraph (b) or (c) of subsection two of section two of this Act the special allowance specified in the said paragraph (b) or (c), as the case may be, in respect of that office";

Sec. 5.
(Salaries
and expense
allowances
to holders
of certain
offices.)

- (c) (i) by omitting from paragraph (a) of subsection one of section five the words "two thousand dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "four thousand one hundred and sixty dollars";
- (ii) by omitting from the same paragraph the words "seven hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand dollars";
- (iii) by omitting from paragraph (b) of the same subsection the words "nine hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand one hundred and eighty dollars";
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- (iv) by omitting from the same paragraph the words “three hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “five hundred dollars”;
- (v) by omitting from paragraph (c) of the same subsection the words “two thousand two hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “four thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars”;
- (vi) by omitting from the same paragraph the words “one thousand two hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “one thousand six hundred dollars”;
- (vii) by omitting from paragraph (d) of the same subsection the words “nine hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “one thousand one hundred and sixty dollars”;
- (viii) by omitting from the same paragraph the words “two hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “four hundred dollars”;
- (ix) by omitting from paragraph (e) of the same subsection the words “nine hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “one thousand three hundred and sixty dollars”;
- (x) by omitting from the same paragraph the words “six hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “eight hundred dollars”;
- (xi) by omitting from paragraph (e1) of the same subsection the words “two hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “three hundred and sixty dollars”;
- (xii) by omitting from paragraph (f) of the same subsection the words “eight hundred dollars” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “one thousand one hundred and sixty dollars”;
- (xiii)

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- (xiii) by omitting from the same paragraph the words "three hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "four hundred dollars";
 - (xiv) by omitting from paragraph (g) of the same subsection the words "one hundred dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "three hundred and sixty dollars";
 - (xv) by omitting from subsection two of the same section the word "allowances" where secondly occurring and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "salaries and allowances".
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