

Commissioner
not subject to
Commonwealth
Public Service
Act.

2. Section nine of the *War Service Homes Act 1918-1935* is amended by adding at the end thereof the following sub-section :—

“(2.) When an officer appointed under section fifteen of this Act is appointed as Commissioner he shall retain all his existing and accruing rights and shall be eligible for any additional rights conferred on officers appointed under that section as if his service as Commissioner were a continuation of his service as such an officer.”.

Staff of
Commissioner.

3. Section fifteen of the *War Service Homes Act 1918-1935* is amended—

(a) by omitting from sub-section (2.) the words “and shall hold office during pleasure only” and inserting in their stead the words “but shall be engaged for such periods and shall be subject to such conditions as are prescribed.”; and

(b) by inserting after sub-section (2.) the following sub-sections :—

“(2A.) Where the Minister, on the recommendation of the Commissioner, directs by notice published in the *Gazette* that an officer appointed under this Act shall be deemed to be an ‘employee’ within the meaning of section four of the *Superannuation Act 1922-1934*, that officer shall be deemed to be an ‘employee’ within the meaning of that section as from the date of the publication of the notice.

“(2B.) The last preceding sub-section shall apply to a Commissioner who was, immediately prior to his appointment as Commissioner, an officer employed under this Act as if he had remained such an officer.”.

HIGH COMMISSIONER.

No. 26 of 1937.

An Act to repeal section eight and amend section nine of the *High Commissioner Act 1909*.

[Assented to 16th September, 1937.]

BE it enacted by the King’s Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows :—

Short title and
citation.

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *High Commissioner Act 1937*.

(2.) The *High Commissioner Act 1909**, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *High Commissioner Act 1909-1937*.

Repeal.

2. Section eight of the *High Commissioner Act 1909* is repealed.

* Act No. 22, 1909.

3. Section nine of the *High Commissioner Act* 1909 is amended—

(a) by adding at the end of sub-section (5.) the words “, but, subject to sub-section (3.) of this section, shall be engaged for such periods and shall be subject to such conditions as are prescribed.”; and

(b) by omitting sub-section (6.) and inserting in its stead the following sub-section :—

“(6.) Where the Minister, on the recommendation of the High Commissioner, directs by notice published in the *Gazette* that an officer appointed under this Act shall be deemed to be an employee within the meaning of section four of the *Superannuation Act* 1922-1934, that officer shall be deemed to be an employee within the meaning of that section as from the date of the publication of the notice.”.

High Commissioner may appoint officers.

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY RESEARCH.

No. 27 of 1937.

An Act to amend the *Science and Industry Research Act* 1920-1926 and for other purposes.

[Assented to 16th September, 1937.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows :—

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *Science and Industry Research Act* 1937.

Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Science and Industry Research Act* 1920-1926*, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Science and Industry Research Act* 1920-1937.

2.—(1.) Section fourteen A of the *Science and Industry Research Act* 1920-1926 is amended by omitting sub-section (4.) and inserting in its stead the following sub-section :—

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“(4.) Where the Minister, on the recommendation of the Council, directs by notice published in the *Gazette* that an officer appointed under this Act shall be deemed to be an employee within the meaning of section four of the *Superannuation Act* 1922-1934, that officer shall be deemed to be an employee within the meaning of that section as from the date of the publication of the notice.”.

(2.) Any officer appointed under section fourteen A of the *Science and Industry Research Act* 1920-1926 who was, immediately prior to the commencement of this Act, deemed to be an employee within the meaning of section four of the *Superannuation Act* 1922-1934 shall continue to be deemed to be such an employee as if this Act had not been passed.