

## STAMP (No. 2).

No. 46 of 1974.

**AN ACT to amend the Stamp Act, 1921-1974.**

[Assented to 18th November, 1974.]

**BE** it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of Western Australia, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the *Stamp Act Amendment Act (No. 2), 1974.*

Short title and citation.

(2) In this Act the Stamp Act, 1921-1974 is referred to as the principal Act.

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(3) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Stamp Act, 1921-1974.

Commence-  
ment.

2. The provisions of this Act shall come into operation on such date as is, or on such dates as are, respectively, fixed by proclamation.

Section 52  
amended.

3. Subsection (4) of section 52 of the principal Act is amended by deleting the words "*ad valorem*" where they occur—

(a) in lines one and two; and

(b) in line five.

Section 54  
amended.

4. Section 54 of the principal Act is amended by substituting for the words "six cents" in line one, the words "eight cents".

Section 58  
amended.

5. Subsection (3) of section 58 of the principal Act is amended by substituting for the words "six cents" in line five, the words "eight cents".

Second  
Schedule  
amended.

6. The Second Schedule to the principal Act is amended as to the item headed "BILL OF EXCHANGE OR PROMISSORY NOTE" and the item headed "CHEQUE or ORDER payable on demand" respectively by substituting for the passage "0.06" under the column headed "Stamp Duty Payable" opposite the word "demand" being the last word in the items, the passage "0.08" in each case.

Second  
Schedule  
further  
amended.

7. The Second Schedule to the principal Act is further amended by substituting for the passage "0.06" under the column headed "Stamp Duty Payable" opposite the word "Commonwealth" being the last word in paragraph (1) of the item headed "BILL OF EXCHANGE of any other kind whatsoever, and PROMISSORY NOTE of any other kind whatsoever", the passage "0.08".