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An Act to extend the time within which certain Lessees of the Waste Lands of the Crown may avail themselves of the benefits of "The Waste Lands Amendment Act, 1865-6," and "The Remission of Rent, Act, 1865-6," and for other purposes.

[Assented to, 11th January, 1867.]

THEREAS it is expedient to extend the time within which such Preamble. of the lessees of the waste lands of the Crown for pastoral purposes whose names and the number of whose leases are more particularly mentioned and described in the Schedules annexed to "The Waste Lands Amendment Act, 1865-6," and "The Remission of Rent Act, 1865-6," respectively, as have omitted to do so, may claim the benefits conferred by the said Acts or either of them: And whereas doubts have arisen as to the validity of the remission by the Governor in Executive Council of certain rent or rent and assessment due by certain of the said lessees, by reason of such remission not having been made within four months from the passing of the said "The Remission of Rent Act, 1865-6," and it is expedient to remove such doubts-Be it therefore Enacted, by the Governorin-Chief of the Province of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly of the the said Province, in this present Parliament assembled, as follows:

1. The time within which the notice mentioned in the first clause Extension of time for of the "Waste Lands Amendment Act, 1865-6," may be given, shall taking benefit of Acts No. 16 of 1865-6 and be extended to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight No. 20 of 1865-6. hundred and sixty-seven;" and the time within which the request for remission, under the first clause of "The Remission of Rent Act, 1865-6," may be made, shall be extended to the thirty-first

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day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven; and the period within which it shall be lawful for the Governor in Executive Council to remit payment of rent, or rent and assessment, under the said "Remission of Rent Act, 1865-6," shall be extended to the thirtieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven; and every notice, request, or remission heretofore made or hereafter to be made within the respective periods aforesaid, shall be as valid and effectual as though made within the several periods respectively provided by the said Acts.

Lessees who have heretofore elected not to claim under this Act. 2. Nothing in this Act contained shall be construed so as to enable any of the lessees of the waste lands of the Crown who have heretofore elected under which of the said before-mentioned Acts they will claim to reconsider such election, but such lessees shall be bound to adhere to and take the benefit of that Act only under which they have claimed.

In the name and on behalf of the Queen, I hereby assent to this Act.

D. DALY, Governor.