

## ACTS INTERPRETATION.

### No. 79 of 1948.

### An Act to amend the *Acts Interpretation Act* 1901-1947.

[Assented to 17th December, 1948.]

[Date of commencement, 14th January, 1949.]

**B**E 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 *Acts Interpretation Act* 1948.

(2.) The *Acts Interpretation Act* 1901-1947\*, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Acts Interpretation Act* 1901-1948.

Reckoning  
of time.

2. Section thirty-six of the *Acts Interpretation Act* 1901-1947 is amended by omitting sub-section (2.) and inserting in its stead the following sub-section:—

“(2.) Where the last day of any period prescribed or allowed by an Act for the doing of anything falls on a Saturday, on a Sunday or on a day which is a public holiday or a bank holiday in the place in which the thing is to be or may be done, the thing may be done on the first day following which is not a Saturday, a Sunday or a public holiday or bank holiday in that place.”

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\* Act No. 2, 1901, as amended by No. 4, 1916; No. 8, 1918; No. 23, 1930; No. 24, 1932; No. 10, 1937; No. 7, 1941; and No. 75, 1947.