

COAL INDUSTRY.

No. 57 of 1958.

An Act to amend the *Coal Industry Act* 1946-1957.

[Assented to 1st October, 1958.]

BE it enacted by the Queen'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 *Coal Industry Act* 1958. Short title and citation.
(2.) The *Coal Industry Act* 1946-1957,* as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Coal Industry Act* 1946-1958.

2. This Act shall come into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent. Commencement.

* Act No. 40, 1946, as amended by No. 61, 1951; No. 30, 1952; No. 52, 1956; and No. 61, 1957.

3. After section eight of the *Coal Industry Act 1946–1957* the following section is inserted:—

Preservation
of rights.

“ 8A. Where a member of the Board was, immediately before his appointment, an officer of the Public Service of the Commonwealth—

- (a) he retains his existing and accruing rights;
 - (b) for the purpose of determining those rights, his service as a member of the Board shall be taken into account as if it were service in the Public Service of the Commonwealth; and
 - (c) the *Officers’ Rights Declaration Act 1928–1953* applies as if this Act and this section had been specified in the Schedule to that Act.”.
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