SOCIAL SERVICES (No. 2).

**No. 95 of 1962.**

An Act to amend the *Social Services Act* 1947-1961, as amended by the *Social Services Act* 1962, in consequence of the enactment of the *Repatriation* (*Special Overseas Service*) *Act* 1962.

[Assented to 14th December, 1962.]

BE it enacted by the Queen’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 *Social Services Act* (*No.* 2) 1962.

(2.) The *Social Services Act* 1947-1961, as amended by the *Social Services Act* 1962, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

(3.) Section one of the *Social Services Act* 1962 is amended by omitting sub-section (3.).

(4.) The Principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Social Services Act* 1947-1962.

**Commencement.**

**2.** This Act shall come into operation on the day on which the *Repatriation* (*Special Overseas Service*) *Act* 1962 comes into operation.

**Definitions.**

**3.** Section six of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from paragraph (*c*)of the definition of “member of the Forces” the words “*Repatriation* (*Far East Strategic Reserve*) *Act* 1956” and inserting in their stead the words “*Repatriation* (*Far East Strategic Reserve*) *Act* 1956-1962 or of the *Repatriation* (*Special Overseas Service*) *Act* 1962”.

**Rate of pension.**

**4.** Section twenty-eight of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from sub-section (4.) all the words after the word “under” (first occurring) and inserting in their stead the words “the *Repatriation Act* 1920-1962, the *Repatriation* (*Far East Strategic Reserve*) *Act* 1956-1962 or the *Repatriation* (*Special Overseas Service*) *Act* 1962”.

**Restrictions as to dual pensions.**

**5.** Section eighty-one of the Principal Act is amended by omitting paragraph (*c*)and inserting in its stead the following paragraph:—

“(*c*)under the *Repatriation* (*Far East Strategic Reserve*) *Act* 1956-1962, or under the *Repatriation* (*Special Overseas Service*) *Act* 1962, in respect of the death of her husband, including a pension allowed under section eight or nine of either of those Acts in respect of a member of the Forces referred to in whichever of those sections is applicable.”.

**Interpretation.**

**6.** Section one hundred and six of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from paragraph (*f*) of the definition of “income” in sub-section (1.) the words “*Repatriation Act* 1920-1956 (other than a service pension), a pension payable under the *Repatriation* (*Far East Strategic Reserve*) *Act* 1956” and inserting in their stead the words “*Repatriation Act* 1920-1962 (other than a service pension), a pension payable under the *Repatriation* (*Far East Strategic Reserve*) *Act* 1956-1962 or under the *Repatriation* (*Special Overseas Service*) *Act* 1962”.

**Certificate by Director-General as to amount of pension to be deducted under certain other laws.**

**7.** Section one hundred and forty-three a of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from sub-section (3.) all the words after the word “under” (first occurring) and inserting in their stead the words “the *Repatriation Act* 1920-1962, the *Repatriation* (*Far East Strategic Reserve*) *Act* 1956-1962 or the *Repatriation* (*Special Overseas Service*) *Act* 1962”.