

No. XV.

An Act to authorize the use of Postage Stamps for the purposes of the Stamp Acts. [9th April, 1873.]

POSTAGE STAMPS
EXTENSION.
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WHEREAS it is expedient that the use of Postage Stamps for the Preamble.
purposes of the Stamp Acts should be made legal Be it
therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and
with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative
Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled and by the
authority of the same as follows :—

1. This Act shall come into force on the first day of May one Commencement and
short title.
thousand eight hundred and seventy-three and may be cited as the
“ Postage Stamps Extension Act of 1873.”

2. In this Act the term “ Stamp Acts” means and includes Interpretation.
the Stamp Duties Act of 1865 as amended by the Act thirty-first
Victoria number twenty-six and continued by the thirty-second
Victoria number one thirty-third Victoria number four thirty-fourth
Victoria number eight thirty-fourth Victoria number thirteen and as
further amended and continued by the thirty-fourth Victoria number
twenty and thirty-sixth Victoria number four and any Act in force for
the time-being relating to stamp duties and also any regulation made
under any such Act.

3. From and after the commencement of this Act the stamps Postage stamps to be
available as duty
stamps.
issued or to be issued for the purposes of the Postage Act of 1867 or
any Act in force for the time being relating wholly or partly to postage
rates and commonly known as “ postage stamps” shall to the
respective amounts denoted thereon be receivable and available as and
for payment of any impost or duty chargeable by law under the
Stamp Acts And all enactments in the said Stamp Acts relating to
stamps shall apply to the said postage stamps when used for the
purpose of denoting any such payment as aforesaid as fully to all
intents and purposes as if the same were enacted herein.

4. Nothing in this Act contained shall affect otherwise than as Saving of Postage
and Stamp Acts.
herein expressly enacted any enactment in the Stamp Acts or in any
Act relating to postage rates.