

Act No. 27, 1906.

JUDGES' PENSIONS
AMENDMENT.

An Act to amend the Supreme Court and Circuit Courts Act, 1900, and the District Courts Act, 1901, so far as they relate to the pensions of Supreme Court Judges and District Court Judges; and for other purposes. [12th December, 1906.]

BE it enacted by the King'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:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Judges' Pensions Amendment Act, 1906."

Pensions of chief
justice and puisne
judges of Supreme
Court.

2. The operation of subsection one of section twelve of the Supreme Court and Circuit Courts Acts, 1900, is restricted to a chief justice or puisne judge of the Supreme Court appointed before the commencement of this Act, and for that purpose the said subsection is amended by inserting the words "appointed before the commencement of this Act" after the words "puisne judge."

The following subsections are inserted next after the said subsection:—

(2) Where a chief justice or puisne judge of the Supreme Court, appointed after the commencement of this Act, has served in such office for fifteen years, he shall on retiring be entitled to an annual pension at the rate of one-half of his salary.

(3) If such chief justice or puisne judge retires on permanent disability or infirmity, he shall if he has served in such office for five years be entitled on retiring to an annual pension at the rate of twenty one-hundredths of his salary, and at the additional rate of three one-hundredths of his salary for each complete year of his service after the expiration of the said five years to the date of his retirement, but so that the rate of his pension shall not exceed one-half of his salary.

Pensions of district
court judges.

3. The operation of subsection one of section fourteen of the District Courts Act, 1901, is restricted to district court judges appointed before the commencement of this Act, and for that purpose the said subsection is amended by inserting the words "appointed before the commencement of this Act" after the word "judge."

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Police Regulation (Superannuation).

The following subsections are inserted next after the said subsection :—

(2) Where a district court judge, appointed after the commencement of this Act, has served in such office for twenty years he shall on retiring be entitled to an annual pension at the rate of one-half of his salary.

(3) If such district court judge retires on permanent disability or infirmity, he shall if he has served in such office for five years be entitled to an annual pension at the rate of twenty one-hundredths of his salary, and at the additional rate of two one-hundredths of his salary for each complete year of his service after the expiration of the said five years to the date of his retirement, but so that the rate of his pension shall not exceed one-half of his salary.
