

[CONFIDENTIAL]

(Rough Draft for Consideration Only.)

No. , 1942.

A BILL

To make certain adjustments in the rates of pensions payable under the Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Pensions) Act, 1941-1942; for this and other purposes to amend the said Act in certain respects; to validate certain matters; and for purposes connected therewith.

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
5 the same, as follows :—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Pensions) Further Amendment Act, 1942." Short title and citation.

Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Pensions) Further Amendment.

(2) The Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Pensions) Act, 1941, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Pensions) Acts, 1941-1942.

- 5 **2.** The Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Pensions) Act, 1941, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—
 - (a) (i) by omitting from paragraph (a) of subsection one of section nine the words “an amount of one pound per week in respect of his wife, or, where his wife is in receipt of or is eligible for an invalid or old age pension”;
 - 10 (ii) by inserting in paragraph (c) of the same subsection after the words “one pound” the words “five shillings”;
 - 15 (iii) by omitting from subsection five of the same section the words “in lieu of” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “in addition to”;
 - 20 (iv) by omitting from the same subsection the words “an amount of one pound per week in respect of such female, or, where such female is in receipt of or is eligible for an old age pension”;
 - 25 (b) by omitting from subsection three of section eleven the words “four pounds five shillings and sixpence,” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “four pounds ten shillings.”
 - 30 (c) by inserting in subsection four of section twelve after the words “section six” the words “or section seven”;
 - (d) by inserting after the words “Child Endowment Act 1941” the words “or the Widows’ Pensions Act 1942.”
- 35 **3.** The action of the tribunal in awarding and paying, as an addition to the pension of a mine worker in respect of his wife or a female dependant, an amount of one pound five shillings per week when such wife or female dependant was not in receipt of or eligible for an invalid
 - 40 or old age pension, is hereby validated.

Amendment of Act No. 45, 1941.
 Sec. 9.
 (Pensions—additional payments in respect of dependants.)
 Sec. 11.
 (Pensions—special provisions.)
 Sec. 12.
 (No pension when compensation.)
 Sec. 13.
 (Deductions from pensions.)
 Validation.