

PARLIAMENTARY ALLOWANCES.

No. 20 of 1902.

An Act relating to the Allowance to Members of each House of the Parliament of the Commonwealth.

[Assented to 10th October, 1902.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the *Parliamentary Allowances Act* 1902.

Allowance to Members.

2.—(1.) The allowance to each Senator under section forty-eight of the Constitution shall be reckoned—

- (a) in the case of a Senator chosen at the first election after a dissolution of the Senate, from the day of his election ;
- (b) in the case of a Senator chosen to fill a place which is to become vacant in rotation, from the first day of January following the day of his election ;
- (c) in the case of a Senator chosen or appointed to fill a casual vacancy, from the day on which his name is certified by the Governor of a State to the Governor-General.

(2.) The allowance under section forty-eight of the Constitution to each Member of the House of Representatives shall be reckoned in the case of a Member elected after the passing of this Act from the day of his election.