

1914.  
(Second Session.)

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Read 1<sup>o</sup> 15th October, 1914.

(Brought in by the Attorney-General, the Honorable W. M. Hughes.)

A BILL

FOR

AN ACT

To amend the *Judiciary Act* 1903-1912.

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

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *Judiciary Act* 1914.

Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Judiciary Act* 1903-1912, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Judiciary Act* 1903-1914.

2. Section thirty of the *Judiciary Act* 1903-1912 is amended by omitting the words "in all matters arising under the Constitution or involving its interpretation", and inserting in their stead the words "in all matters—

Amendment of s. 30.

(a) arising under the Constitution or involving its interpretation, and

(b) of Admiralty or maritime jurisdiction."

3. After section thirty of the *Judiciary Act* 1903-1912 the following section is inserted:—

"30A. The High Court is hereby declared to be a Colonial Court of Admiralty within the meaning of the Imperial Act known as the *Colonial Courts of Admiralty Act*, 1890."

High Court a Colonial Court of Admiralty.

