

1937-38.

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Read 1° 29th September, 1938.

*(Brought in by the Treasurer, the Honorable R. G. Casey.)***A BILL****FOR****AN ACT**

To grant and apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund sums for the purposes of Financial Assistance to the States of South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania.

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, Preamble. and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, for the purpose of appropriating the grant originated in the House of Representatives, as follows :—

- 5 1. This Act may be cited as the *States Grants Act 1938*. Short title.
2. This Act shall come into operation on the day on which it Commencement. receives the Royal Assent.
- 10 3. There shall be payable, for the purposes of financial assistance Payment for financial assistance to States. to the States of South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania, during the year commencing on the first day of July, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, the sum of Two million and twenty thousand pounds.

4. The

Allocation
of grant.

4. The amount payable to each State under this Act shall be the amount shown in the following table opposite the name of that State :—

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South Australia	1,040,000	5
Western Australia	570,000	
Tasmania	410,000	
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Method of
payment.

5 The amount payable to any State under this Act shall be paid to that State in equal monthly instalments.

Appropriation.

6. Payments in accordance with this Act shall be made out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is hereby appropriated accordingly.

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