

PAPUA.



No. II. of 1918.

AN ORDINANCE

To Amend "*The Sago Ordinance of 1908.*"

[RESERVED 23RD AUGUST, 1917;

ASSENTED TO 6TH DECEMBER, 1917.]^(a)

BE it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Territory of Papua, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the *Sago Ordinance, 1917.* Short title and Citation.

(2) *The Sago Ordinance of 1908* is in this Ordinance referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

(3) The principal Ordinance as amended by this Ordinance may be cited as the *Sago Ordinance, 1908-1917.*

2. Section four of the Principal Ordinance is amended by omitting therefrom the word "half-yearly" and by adding at the end of the section the words "at such times and in respect of such periods as may be prescribed by Regulations. Such Regulations may alter the periods and

Amendment of s. 4, Principal Ordinance.

(a) Date assented to by the Governor-General. Assent notified in *Gazette* No. 2 of 6th February, 1918.

times in respect of and at which rent is made payable under any Sago License granted under this Ordinance prior to the making of such Regulation and thereafter rent in respect of such last mentioned Licenses shall be paid in accordance with such alteration.

Repeal of s. 7,
Principal
Ordinance.

3. Section eight of the Principal Ordinance is repealed and the following new section is substituted therefor—

Regulations.

“ 8. (1) The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may make Regulations prescribing—

- (a) the rent and area of Licenses ;
- (b) the prevention of injury to or obstruction of any land river stream or creek tidal or otherwise comprised within or flowing through any Sago reserve ;
- (c) all matters which are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to this Ordinance.

(2) The Regulations may provide penalties for breach not exceeding in any case Twenty pounds or imprisonment with or without hard labour for any period not exceeding six months.”

Passed in Council this twenty-third day of August, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Assented to by His Excellency the Governor-General, with the advice of the Executive Council of the Commonwealth of Australia, on the Sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.