

## THE STANDARD TIME ACT, 1898

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The Standard Time Act, 1898, No.699 of 1898 [Assented to 23rd December, 1898]<sup>1</sup>.

### An Act relating to standard time.

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Parliament of South Australia, as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as "The Standard Time Act, 1898".

Short title.

2. This Act shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Governor, by proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*<sup>1</sup>.

Commencement of Act.

3. The mean time of the meridian of longitude one hundred and forty-two and a half degrees east of Greenwich shall be deemed, and is hereby declared to be, standard time throughout South Australia.

Standard Time.

4. Whenever any expression of time occurs in any Act, order in Council, rule, regulation, or by-law, or deed, or in any instrument whatsoever, and whenever the doing or not doing anything at a certain time of day or night, or during a certain part of the day or the night, has an effect in law, such time shall, unless it is otherwise specifically stated, be held to be standard time throughout South Australia, as declared by this Act.

Time mentioned in Acts, rules, &c., to mean standard time.

5. The "Standard Time Act, 1894", is hereby repealed.

Repeal.

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<sup>1</sup> Came into operation 1st May, 1899: *Gaz.* 9th February, 1899, p. 245.