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VICTORIA.

MARINE ACT 1890.

LIFE-SAVING APPLIANCES ON SHIPS.

ADDITIONS TO REGULATIONS.

PRESENTED TO BOTH HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT PURSUANT TO LAW.

*Marine Act 1890.*ADDITIONS TO REGULATIONS FOR THE EQUIPMENT OF SHIPS WITH
LIFE-SAVING APPLIANCES.

WHEREAS by section 59 of the *Marine Act 1890* it is amongst other things enacted that the Marine Board of Victoria may from time to time, with the consent of the Governor in Council, make regulations for prescribing what boats, life-buoys, life-jackets, and other means of saving life at sea shall be carried by ships to which the provisions of Part VI. of the said Act apply, and for regulating the use thereof, and for securing the safety of passengers on board of ships, and generally for regulating all matters relating to the protection of life of passengers and others: And whereas the said Marine Board did, on the 18th day of December, 1891, make such regulations as aforesaid, and which regulations were duly published in the *Government Gazette* of the 8th day of January, 1892: And whereas it is expedient to make additional regulations thereto: Now therefore the said Board doth hereby, with the consent of the Governor in Council, make the following additional Regulations, namely:—

DIVISION C.—CLASS. 4.

Regulations for Steam-ships not certified to carry Passengers plying or trading within the limits of any Port in the Colony of Victoria.

(a) Steam-ships of this class shall carry a boat or boats of wood or metal, placed under davits, such boat or boats being of sufficient capacity to accommodate at least all persons carried on board; and such steam-ships shall have proper appliances for getting the boat or boats into the water.

(b) Such steam-ships shall also carry a sufficient number of approved life-belts, so that there may be at least one for each person carried on board any such steam-ship.

(c) Such steam-ships shall also carry not less than two approved life-buoys.

(d) The Board may, in any case wherein they think it expedient to do so, relieve any steam-ship of this class from the operation of the whole or any part of Regulation (a) hereof.

(e) These Regulations shall form portion of "The Regulations for the Equipment of Ships with Life-saving Appliances," and shall be read in connexion therewith, and shall come into force on the 1st day of January, 1893.

The foregoing additional Regulations were made and passed at a meeting of the Marine Board held this second day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

ROBERT FULLARTON, President.

ARCHD. CURRIE, Vice-President.

J. GEO. MCKIE, Secretary.

(SEAL)

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 12th December, 1892.

G. WILSON BROWN,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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