

# Adoption of Children Act 1966-1967, South Australia

1967 – 1989

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## Details

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The Adoption of Children Act 1966/7 (Act no. 12/1967) was assented to on 6 April 1967 and commenced on 2 November 1967.

Its long title was 'An Act to Consolidate and Amend the law relating to the Adoption of Children and for purposes connected therewith; and to repeal the Adoption of Children Act, 1925-1965'.

Replaced previous adoption legislation. It was repealed by Adoption Act 1988 on 17 August 1989.

This act had several amendments: Amended by Act No.15/1971, Act No.89/1975, Act No.65/1976, Act No.29/1978, Act No.79/1980

## More info

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### Chronology

- Adoption of Children Act 1925, South Australia (1925 - 1967)
  - **Adoption of Children Act 1966-1967, South Australia (1967 – 1989)**
    - Adoption Act 1988, South Australia (1989 - current)

### Related Entries

#### Related Events

- [Inquiry into Commonwealth Contribution to Former Forced Adoption Policies and Practices, Commonwealth of Australia \(2011 - 2012\)](#)

#### Related Organisations

- [McBride Maternity Hospital \(1914 - 1975\)](#)
- [Kate Cocks Memorial Babies' Home \(1954 - 1976\)](#)
- [Kate Cocks Memorial Adoption Agency \(1967 - 1978\)](#)

The Kate Cocks Memorial Adoption Agency was registered as a private adoption agency after the passing of the Adoption of Children Act 1966-1967

#### Is amended by

- [Adoption of Children Act Amendment Act 1975, South Australia \(1976 - 1989\)](#)
- [Adoption of Children Act Amendment Act 1976, South Australia \(1976 - 1989\)](#)
- [Adoption of Children Act Amendment Act 1978, South Australia \(1978 - 1989\)](#)

- [Adoption of Children Act Amendment Act 1980, South Australia \(1985 - 1989\)](#)
- [Statute Law Revision Act 1986, South Australia \(1989 - current\)](#)

**Related Concepts**

- [Adoption in South Australia \(1925 - current\)](#)

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