**RIVER MURRAY WATERS ACT AMENDMENT BILL 1915**

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Second reading

**The COMMISSIONER of PUBLIC WORKS (Hon. H. Jackson**)- The introduction of the Bill, the second reading which I now move, is to give absolute effect to the agreement entered into between the Commonwealth and the State Governments. The late South Australian Government made an arrangement namely, through the medium of Mr.Glynn, by which the Commonwealth promised to contribute £1,000,000 towards the cost of locking the rivers. While the States concerned passed the Bill, which we thought had provided all the terms of the agreement, the Federal Parliament thought the measure not quite specific enough, and so passed it with slight amendments, thus necessitating our coming into conformity with theFederal Act by the introduction of this new Bill.

Bill read a second time and taken through its remaining stages,