

Apprenticeship Act 1844, New South Wales

1844 – 1894

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Details

The *Apprenticeship Act* 1844 [2/1844 (8 Vic. No.2)], also known as 'An Act to regulate and amend the Law of Orphan and other Apprentices in the Colony of New South Wales', increased penalties on child 'apprentices' who 'absconded', including prison terms. It also increased penalties on masters and employers who mistreated or abandoned children. This Act was repealed by the *Apprentices Act* 1894.

More info

Chronology

- Apprenticeship Act 1828, New South Wales (1828 - 1844)
 - **Apprenticeship Act 1844, New South Wales (1844 – 1894)**
 - Apprenticeship Act 1851, New South Wales (1851 - 1901)
 - Apprentices Act 1901, New South Wales (1901 - 1969)

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Related Organisations

- [Female Orphan School \(1801 - 1850\)](#)
- [Male Orphan School \(1819 - 1850\)](#)

Resources

- Parliamentary Counsel's Office, [NSW legislation](#), No date

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