

## Aboriginal Prisoners Act 1844, South Australia

1844 - 1870

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## **Details**

The Aboriginal Prisoners Act 1844 (7 & 8 Vic., 1844, No.11) commenced on 19 August 1844. Its full title was: An Ordinance to provide for the employment and Instruction of Aboriginal Prisoners. It was repealed by the Prisons Act 1869 on 9 February 1870. This legislation allowed for 'the employment and instruction' of Aboriginal people who were imprisoned.

## More info

## Chronology

- Aboriginal Prisoners Act 1844, South Australia (1844 1870)
  - Prisons Act 1869, South Australia (1870 1937)
    - Prisons Act 1936, South Australia (1937 1985)

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