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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ,

No. 14.

AN ACT to regulate the Payment of certain A.D. 1895. Moneys in aid of the Road Rates in certain Road Districts and Towns.

[27 September, 1895.]

E it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:-

1 Out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund there shall be payable Road District by the Treasurer in the year One thousand eight hundred and ninety- and Town Board

1. To the Trustees of Road Districts to which this Act applies, and in which a Road Rate of One Shilling in the Pound shall have been made and levied in accordance with the provisions of "The Roads Act, 1884," in the year ending 48 Vict. No. 28. on the Twenty-eighth day of February, One thousand

eight hundred and ninety-six; and

11. To the Boards of Towns to which this Act applies, and in which a Road Rate of One Shilling in the Pound shall have been made and levied in accordance with the provisions of "The Town Boards Act, 1891," in the year 55 Vict. No. 41. ending on the Thirty-first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

for and towards the construction and repair of Roads, Streets, and Bridges, other than Main Roads, a sum equal to one-half part of the amount of money collected by such Rates respectively.

Aid to Road Rates.

A.D. 1895.

Provision as to Town Rate.

2 A Town Board shall be deemed to have made and levied a Shilling Rate within the meaning of this Act in all cases where there has been levied in any year a Road Rate of not less than Nine Pence, which Rate, together with the Town or Drainage Rate, if any, made and levied in the same year amounts to or exceeds the sum of One Shilling in the Pound upon the annual value of the property within such Town; but any such Town Board shall only be entitled to a subsidy equal to one-half part of the Road Rate levied and collected for the year ending the Thirty-first day of *December*, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Maximum payments.

3 In no case shall there be paid to the Trustees of any Road District or to the Board of any Town a sum greater than one-half part of the proceeds of a Rate of One Shilling in the Pound upon the annual value of the property in such Road District or Town.

No payments to be made unless Accounts, &c. forwarded to Auditor-General before certain time.

- 4—(1.) No subsidy shall be payable or paid under this Act to the Trustees of any Road District to which this Act applies unless the Statement and Account for the preceding year of such Trustees, as required by "The Roads Act, 1884," are forwarded to the Auditor-General before the Thirty-first day of *March*, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.
- (2.) No subsidy shall be payable or paid under this Act to the Board of any Town to which this Act applies unless the Statement and Accounts of such Board for that year, as required by "The Town Boards Act, 1891," are forwarded to the Auditor-General before the last day of February, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Limit of application of Act.

- 5—(1.) This Act shall apply to every Road District and Town in which a Rate of One Shilling in the Pound has been made and levied during each of the Five years from 1890 to 1894, inclusive, and to the Districts and Towns next hereinafter mentioned, but to no others.
- (2.) Where since the year 1890 a Road District has been established or a Town has been proclaimed under and for the purposes of "The Town Boards Act, 1891," and there has been made and levied in such Road District or Town in every year up to and inclusive of the year 1894 a Rate of One Shilling in the Pound, such District or Town shall be included in the provisions of this Act.