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# AN ACT to amend the Longford Lighting Act, 1903. [24 November, 1925.]

A.D. **1925.** 

BE 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—(1) This Act may be cited as "The Longford Lighting Act, Short title. 1925."
- (2) The Longford Lighting Act, 1903, is herein referred to as "the Principal Act Principal Act."

  Principal Act. 3 Ed. VII. No. 44,

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Power to Council to purchase electricity.

2 Section Thirty-nine of the Principal Act is hereby amended by inserting after the word "same" in the seventh line thereof the words: "and also from time to time to enter into a contract or contracts with the Minister controlling the Hydro-Electric Department, or other the person for the time being authorised to enter into contracts on behalf of the said department, for the purchase and supply of electrical energy in bulk, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon."

Amendment of Section 74 of Principal Act. 3 Section Seventy-four of the Principal Act is hereby amended by deleting the word "ten" in the fifth line thereof, and substituting therefor the word "twenty-five," and by inserting at the end of that section the words: "Provided that the light rate payable in respect of any house or dwelling within the Light District shall not be less than One Pound Ten Shillings per annum.

Power to borrow £1250.

4 In addition to any sum or sums previously borrowed, or authorised to be borrowed, by or on behalf of the Corporation under the authority of any Act, it shall be lawful for the Council on behalf of the Corporation, to raise by way of loan, for the purposes set out in the Principal Act as hereby amended, any sum or sums not exceeding in the whole the sum of One thousand two hundred and fifty Pounds under the State Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1921, or by the sale of debentures under the Local Bodies Loans Act; and all moneys so borrowed shall be deemed to have been borrowed upon the security of all the revenues of the Council.

12 Geo. V. No. 23. 45 Vict. No. 16.

- Minister may dispense with certain requirements. 12 Geo. V. No. 23.
- 5 In the event of the Council applying under the provisions of Section Four hereof for a loan or loans under the State Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1921, it shall be lawful for the Minister or Treasurer (as therein defined) to dispense with all or any of the requirements and provisions prescribed and contained in Section Five of the lastmentioned Act, and the Treasurer may, without the performance of such requirements and provisions, submit the proposed loan to the Governor with such recommendation as he shall think fit, and the Governor may authorise the loan or alter or modify the amount and conditions thereof either in accordance with the recommendation of the Treasurer or otherwise.

Certain provisions of Local Bodies Loans Act not to apply.

- 6 The following enactments shall not apply to any loan hereby authorised or to the proceedings to be taken by the Council in connection therewith—
- 45 Vict. No. 16.
- I. Sections Five and Six and Sections Fourteen to Twenty-six inclusive of the Local Bodies Loans Act:
- 46 Vict. No. 14.
- n. Sections One to Four inclusive of the Local Bodies Loans Amendment Act:
- 60 Vict. No. 4.
- III. The Local Bodies Loans Act, 1896.

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7 The form of debenture prescribed by the Local Bodies Loans Act A.D. 1925 may in the case of any debenture issued in pursuance of this Act be varied as may be necessitated by the provisions of this Act, and it shall Debentures. not be necessary for any debenture so issued to refer to the publication of any notice in the "Gazette."

8 The amount payable by the Council towards a sinking fund in Sinking fund. respect of any moneys borrowed under the State Loans to Local Bodies 12 Geo. V. No. Act for the purposes of this Act, shall be a sum equal to One Pound per 23. centum of the moneys so borrowed.

9 It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to borrow, raise, and receive Power to a total sum not exceeding One thousand two hundred and fifty Pounds Treasurer to raise for the purposes of this Act.