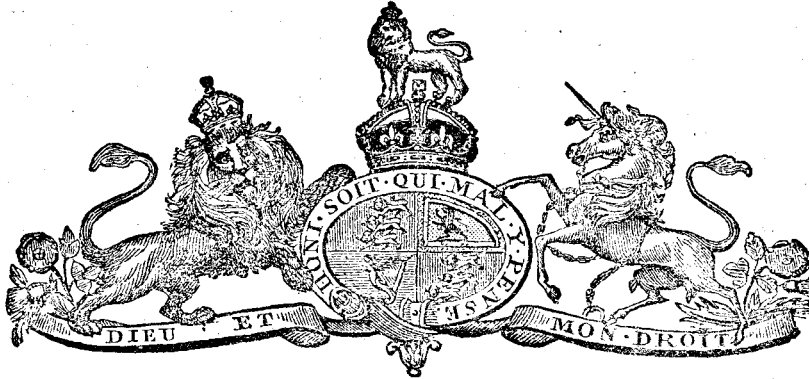


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AN ACT to further amend "The Launceston Water and Light Act, 1895."

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[2 December, 1921.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to further amend "The Launceston Water and Light Act, 1895," in the manner hereinafter contained: Preamble.
58 Vict. No. 31.

Be it therefore 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 This Act may be cited as "The Launceston Water and Light Act, No. 8." Short title.

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Interpretation.

2 In this Act the following words and expressions shall have the meanings hereinafter assigned to them respectively, that is to say—

“The said Act” shall mean “The Launceston Water and Light Act, 1895”:

“The Corporation” shall mean the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Launceston :

“The Council” shall mean the Municipal Council of the City of Launceston.

Repeal of Section 39 of 58 Vict. No. 31 and substitution of new section.

3 Section **39** of the said Act is hereby repealed and the following section inserted in lieu thereof:—

“**39** If the owner or occupier of any house, building, or other premises in the said City shall require a supply of electricity for producing light, the Council may from time to time, as it thinks fit, furnish such supply of electricity to such owner or occupier, at such charges and upon such terms and conditions as the Council shall from time to time prescribe ; but it shall not be necessary for the Council to furnish such supply of electricity, or if once furnished to such owner or occupier it shall not be necessary to continue to furnish the same, unless the Council deem it advisable or desirable so to do.”

Amendment of Section 103 of 58 Vict No. 31.

4 The words “or connected with any wire or conductor or other work belonging to the Corporation” are hereby inserted after the word “Corporation” in Section One hundred and three of the said Act.

Amendment of Section 104 of 58 Vict. No. 31.

5 The words “or connected with any wire or conductor of the Corporation” are hereby inserted after the word “Corporation” in Section One hundred and four of the said Act.

6 The following sections are hereby inserted after Section One hundred and four in the said Act, and shall be known as Section 104A and Section 104B of the said Act:—

Connecting, &c., disconnecting wire without authority.

“**104a** Any person who without the authority of the Council reconnects any pipe or wire or conductor or other work, or makes any pipe or wire or conductor or other work to communicate with any pipe or wire or conductor or other work, whether belonging to the Corporation or not, from which any pipe or wire or conductor or other work has been cut off or disconnected by the Council, whether cut off or disconnected for the purpose of enforcing any by-law or otherwise, shall for every offence incur a penalty not exceeding Twenty Pounds.

Disconnecting pipe, &c., without authority.

“**104b** Any person who without the authority of the Council disconnects, cuts off, detaches, or otherwise stops or alters the communication of any pipe or wire or conductor or other work from any pipe or wire or conductor or other work belonging to the Corporation, or connected with any pipe or wire or conductor or other work belonging to the Corporation, shall for every such offence incur a penalty not exceeding Twenty Pounds.”

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7 It shall be lawful for the Superintendent of Waterworks, the City Electrical Engineer, or any other person acting under the authority of the Council, with or without workmen and other assistants, at any time to enter into any house or premises supplied with water or electricity under the authority of the said Act, or in which there may be belonging to the Corporation any meter or instrument for measuring the quantity of water or the quantity of energy or of electricity supplied or consumed, or any electrical motor or any connection, fitting, or apparatus for the conveyance, reception, transformation, storage, or otherwise utilising electricity for lighting, motive power, or any other purpose, and to remove from such house or premises the property of the Corporation whenever the hiring of such meter, instrument, motor conductor, fitting, or apparatus has determined, or there is no person entitled to use the same, or the supply of water or electricity has been cut off or is not required, or default has been made in payment of rent or any other payment in respect thereof; and the provisions of Section Ninety of the said Act shall apply with regard to the exercise of the powers or authority conferred by this section.

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Cf. 58 Vict.
No. 31, s. 89.
61 Vict. No. 22,
ss. 3 and 4,
2 Ed. VII. No.
24, s. 6.

