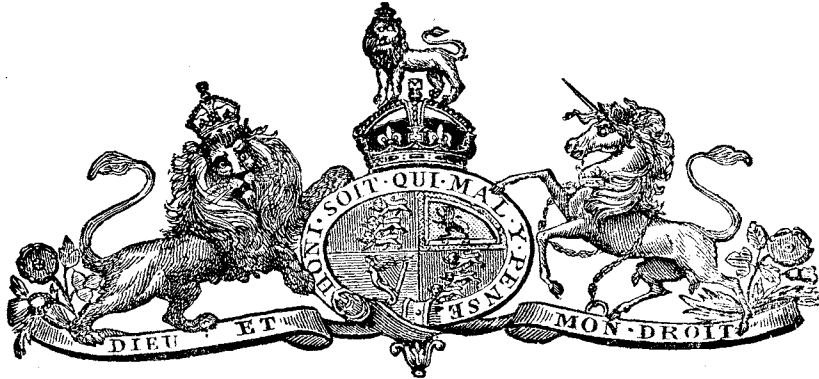


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GEORGII V. REGIS.

No. 43.

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AN ACT to provide for the Execution of ^{A.D.} 1923.
certain State Hydro-Electric Works, and for
other purposes. [12 April, 1923.]

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 This Act may be cited for all purposes as “The State Hydro- Short title.
Electric Works Execution Act (No. 1), 1923.”

State Hydro-Electric Works Execution (No. 1).

A.D. 1923.

Interpretation.

2 In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires—

“Minister” means the Minister of the Crown to whom the administration of “The Complex Ores Act, 1909,” and its amendments is for the time being committed by the Governor:

“Treasurer” means the Treasurer for the time being of the State of Tasmania.

Minister to cause works to be constructed, &c.

3—(1) It shall be lawful for the Minister to cause to be undertaken, constructed, improved, executed, completed, and carried out the various undertakings, works, objects, and purposes mentioned in the Schedule to this Act at a cost therefor not exceeding in each case the amount for the same set forth in the said Schedule.

Provisions in 5 Geo. V. No. 4 and Complex Ores Acts to be applicable.

(2) All the powers and authorities vested in or exercisable by the Minister under or by virtue of Section Eleven of “The Hydro-Electric Purchase Act, 1914,” or under “The Complex Ores Act, 1909,” and the amendments to such Acts, in relation to the construction, execution, or completion of the Hydro-Electric Works referred to in Section Eleven aforesaid, shall extend and apply to the undertakings, works, objects, and purposes mentioned in the Schedule to this Act, and the undertaking, constructing, improving, executing, completing, and carrying out thereof.

Appropriation for works and purposes in Schedule.

4 The cost of the undertaking, constructing, improving, executing, completing, and carrying out the various undertakings, works, objects, and purposes mentioned in the Schedule to this Act, shall be defrayed out of moneys to be provided by Parliament for the purpose.

Payment of interest.

5 During the construction of each undertaking, work, and object mentioned in the Schedule, it shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay the interest payable on any moneys borrowed for the purpose of such construction out of the moneys so borrowed.

Provided that upon the completion of each such undertaking, work, and object the Treasurer shall cease to pay interest out of the moneys so borrowed, and the interest shall thereupon become a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue.

Act retrospective.

6 The provisions of this Act shall have a retrospective operation.

State Hydro-Electric Works Execution (No. 1).

A.D. 1923

SCHEDULE.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC WORKS.

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| 1. For the provision of House Services, Meters, Distributors, Mains, Transformers, and for general capital expenditure in connection with the retail business of the Hobart Branch of the Department | 25,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 2. For the provision of Services, Meters, Distributors, Mains, Transformers, and for general capital expenditure in connection with the Country Services of the Department in the Derwent Valley, Brighton, and Bridgewater Districts | 4,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 3. For and towards providing a Service to the Huon District, and for and towards providing a Service to the Kingston District | 4,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 4. For and towards the cost of Designs and Preliminary Work on a further extension of the Great Lake Scheme (Upper Shannon Development), including roads thereto | 35,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 5. For and towards the Hydro-Metric and Waterpower Survey of the State | 5,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 6. For the provision of Interest during Construction on all Moneys raised for Hydro-Electric Works prior to July, 1919, from which date such interest has been included in Works Execution Acts | 28,080 | 16 | 0 |
| 7. To provide for cost of Investigations and Preliminary Surveys in connection with the Lake Rolleston Hydro-Electric Scheme | 2,896 | 5 | 8 |
| | <u>£105,477</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>8</u> |

