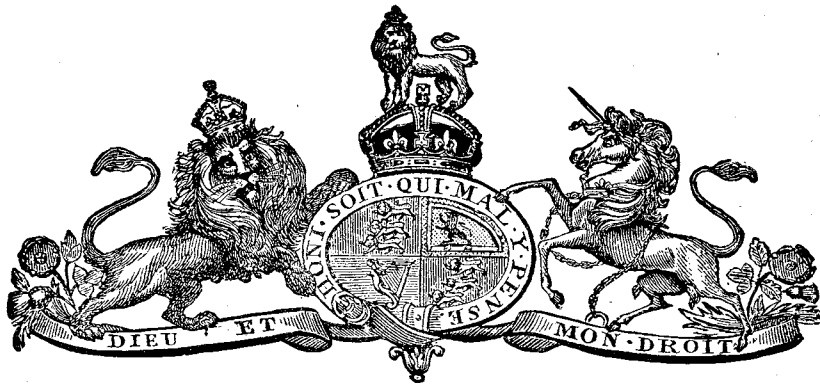


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AN ACT to authorise the Loan of Three thousand Pounds to the Board of the Town of *Zeehan* in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Public Works Loans Act, 1890." [22 November, 1907.]

A.D. 1907.

WHEREAS the Board of the Town of *Zeehan* is desirous of extending and improving the business of electric lighting carried on by it in the said town: PREAMBLE.

And whereas the said Board is desirous of obtaining a sum of Three thousand Pounds, under the provisions of "The Local Public Works Loans Act, 1890," for carrying into effect the purposes aforesaid :

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And whereas the said Board is desirous of obtaining legislative authority to borrow the said sum :

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 :—

Short title.

**1** This Act may be cited as “The *Zeehan* Town Board Loan Act, 1907.”

Interpretation.

**2** In this Act, unless the context otherwise determines—

“Board” shall mean the Town Board of the Town of *Zeehan*; and in the event of the abolition of the said Town Board by virtue of the provisions of “The Local Government Act, 1906,” shall mean in substitution therefor the municipal council of the municipality proclaimed under the lastmentioned Act within the boundaries of which the Town of *Zeehan* is included :

“The said business” shall mean the business carried on by the said Board in the Town of *Zeehan* in accordance with the provisions of “The *Zeehan* Electric Light and Power Act, 1898.”

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Power for Board to borrow Three thousand Pounds.

**3** It shall be lawful for the Board to borrow any sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of Three thousand Pounds, for the purpose of adding to and improving the said business.

Power for Governor to lend Three thousand Pounds.  
54 Vict. No. 30.

**4** It shall be lawful for the Governor to grant, in accordance with the provisions of “The Local Public Works Loans Act, 1890,” the sum of Three thousand Pounds as a loan to the said Board for the purposes set forth in the Section Three hereof.

Plans, &c., need not be produced in Parliament, but Engineer-in-Chief to certify before money payable.

**5** It shall not be necessary to produce in Parliament or elsewhere any plans or specifications of the works connected with the said business or any reports thereon : Provided that no part of the said sum of Three thousand Pounds shall be paid to the Board until the Engineer-in-Chief shall have certified that he is satisfied with the manner in which the Board proposes to spend the money.

Poll to be taken before borrowing.

**6** The Board shall not proceed in the matter of borrowing any sum of money under the authority of this Act until and after a poll has been taken of the electors of the Town of *Zeehan* for the purpose of ascertaining whether the Board shall be permitted to proceed in the matter of borrowing such moneys. If at the taking of such poll a less number than Two-thirds of the votes shall be in favour of the Board proceeding to borrow any sum of money under this Act, the Board shall not proceed to borrow any such money : Provided that in the event of there not being the necessary number of votes recorded at such poll in favour of the Board borrowing such money, the Board may at any time after the expiration of Three months cause another poll of the

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electors to be taken, and if at any such subsequent poll the necessary number of votes is obtained, the Board may proceed to borrow such money. A.D. 1907.

**7** Every poll of electors taken under the provisions of this Act shall be taken in the same manner as a poll taken in the Town of *Zeehan* for the election of members of the Board, and every elector shall be entitled to the same number of votes as the number which he would have been entitled to use at an election of a member of the Board if held under "The Town Boards Act, 1896," the provisions of which shall, with necessary alterations, apply for the purposes of the poll; and the ballot-papers to be used in the taking of every such poll shall be in the form set forth in the Schedule to this Act. Mode of taking poll.

**8** When the Board shall decide to take a poll of the electors as aforesaid, they shall cause an advertisement of such poll to be inserted not less than Three times in a daily newspaper circulating in the Town of *Zeehan*, the first of such advertisements appearing not less than Ten days before the taking of the poll, and the last of such advertisements on the day preceding the taking of the poll; and Once in the *Gazette*, and such advertisement shall contain the following particulars:— Poll to be advertised.

- I. The time and place of such poll:
- II. The manner in which it is proposed to expend the said loan:
- III. The estimated cost of the works proposed.

## SCHEDULE.

## BALLOT-PAPER.

FOR

AGAINST.

If you are in favour of the proposed loan you will strike out the word "Against," and if you are opposed to the proposed loan you will strike out the word "For."

