WATERWORKS CLAUSES.

No. 5 of 1966.

AN ACT to amend the Waterworks Clauses Act 1952 and the Waterworks Clauses Act 1963.

[8 June 1966.]

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 Waterworks Clauses Short title and citation and citation
- (2) The Waterworks Clauses Act 1952, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.
- **2**—(1) Section twenty-three of the Principal Act is Supply of amended by omitting the word "Board" and substituting water to therefor the word "Commission".
- (2) This section shall be deemed to have commenced on the date of commencement of the Water Act 1957.
- 3 Section thirty-six A of the Principal Act is amended by Special mains omitting subsection (1) and substituting therefor the follow-for fire-fighting. ing subsections:—
- "(1) The undertakers may lay mains solely for fire-fighting purposes.
- "(1A) Where it is certified to the undertakers by a fire brigade board that any mains laid under subsection (1) of this section specially benefit any lands the undertakers may charge the whole or part of the cost of their installation (including design) and maintenance on those lands in proportion to the annual value of those lands or in such other proportion as they consider just.
- "(1B) The charges made on any land under subsection (1A) of this section are enforceable in the same manner as expenses charged on land under section seven hundred and sixty-five of the *Local Government Act* 1962."
- 4 Section eleven of the Waterworks Clauses Act 1963 has Amendment of effect, and shall be deemed always to have had effect, as if the Clauses Act reference therein to that Act were a reference to the Principal 1963.

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