

NEW ZEALAND.

ANNO VICESIMO QUARTO ET VICESIMO QUINTO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. 36.

ANALYSIS.

Title.  
Preamble.  
1. Short Title.

2. Officers appointed prior to August 1858  
entitled to retiring allowance without  
medical certificate.  
3. Amount of retiring allowances.

An Act to amend the "Civil Service  
Superannuation Act 1858."  
[6th September 1861.]

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Civil Service Superannuation Act 1858" it is amongst other things provided that any officer clerk or other person employed in the Civil Service of the Colony of New Zealand desirous of availing himself of the retiring allowance thereafter provided shall notify such desire in writing addressed to the Colonial Secretary accompanied by a certificate signed by two medical practitioners that by reason of age bad health or other infirmity he is no longer capable of performing his duties Provided that any person who shall have served thirty years and upwards shall be entitled to avail himself of such retiring allowance without such certificate And whereas it is expedient to make special provision for the officers clerks and other persons who entered the Civil Service of the Colony of New Zealand before the passing of the said recited Act

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows :

I. The Short Title of this Act shall be the "Civil Service Amendment Act 1861."

II. Any such officer clerk or person who shall have entered the Civil Service of the Colony before the tenth day of August 1858 and who at the time of his retirement shall be of the age of fifty or upwards and who shall have served fifteen years and upwards shall be entitled to a retiring allowance without such certificate as aforesaid anything in the said recited Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

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*Civil Service Amendment.*

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Amount of retiring  
allowances.

**III.** It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to grant—

To any such officer clerk or person who shall have entered the Civil Service of the Colony before the said tenth day of August 1858 and who shall have served fourteen years and upwards and under seventeen years and who at the time of his retirement shall be of the age of fifty and upwards an annual allowance equivalent to four-twelfths of the average salary of office or offices held by him during the last three years of the period of his service.

For a period of service of or exceeding seventeen years and under thirty-one years an annual allowance equivalent to six-twelfths of such salary together with the addition of one eighty-fourth part of such salary for every complete year of such service over and above seventeen years.

And for thirty-one years and upwards an annual allowance equivalent to eight-twelfths of such salary.