This Public Bill originated in the House of Representatives, and, having this day passed as now printed, is transmitted to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

House of Representatives,

22nd December, 1909.

Mr. Davey.

CHRISTCHURCH DISTRICT DRAINAGE.

[Local Bill.]

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title. Amending section 48 of the Christchurch District Drainage Act, 1908. 3. Section 5 of Amendment Act, 1905, amended.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend the Christchurch District Drainage Act, 1907, Title. and the Christchurch District Drainage Act, 1908.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand 5 in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :-

1. This Act may be cited as the Christchurch District Drainage Short Title. Act, 1909, and it shall be read with and form part of the Christchurch District Drainage Act, 1907.

2. Section forty-eight of the Christchurch District Drainage Act, Amending section 1907, is hereby amended by omitting the word "either" and the 48 of the Christchurch District words "or the sum of seven thousand five hundred pounds."

3. Section five of the Christchurch District Drainage Act 1875 Amendment Act, 1905, is hereby amended by repealing the proviso AmendmentAct, 1905, amended.

15 thereto, and substituting the following:-

"Provided that such sewerage area shall not at any time be enlarged except with the consent of the ratepayers within the proposed new area ascertained in the manner prescribed by the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908."

Drainage Act, 1908.

Section 5 of

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