This PRIVATE BILL originated in the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, and, having this day passed as now printed, is transmitted to the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES for its concurrence.

Legislative Council, 20th July, 1915.

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Hon. Mr. Wigram.

CHURCH PROPERTY TRUST (CANTERBURY) ACT 1879 AMENDMENT.

[PRIVATE BILL.]

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend an Act of the General Assembly of New Title. Zealand intituled the Church Property Trust (Canterbury) Act, 1879, and to extend the Trusts and Purposes upon which certain Property (therein referred to as the Dean and Chapter Estate) is held by the Church Property Trustees within the Diocese of Christchurch.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand Preamble. intituled the Church Property Trust (Canterbury) Act, 1879

- 10 (hereinafter called the said Act), it was enacted that certain persons therein referred to under the name of "The Church Property Trustees" should hold certain messuages, lands, tenements, and hereditaments specified and described in the Schedule B to the said Act, and commonly known as the Dean and Chapter Estate,
- 15 upon certain trusts, intents, and purposes therein declared concerning the same : And whereas it was also thereby enacted that the annual rents, issues, and profits, and all other sums becoming payable in respect of the said Dean and Chapter Estate, and thereinafter referred to as the said income, should (after payment thereout in the first
- 20 place of all proper and necessary charges connected with the management of the said estate, and of an annual sum of five hundred pounds to the Dean, and of an annual sum of one hundred pounds to each one of the Canons for the time being) be held by the said Church Property Trustees upon the trusts and for the objects, intents, and
- 25 purposes therein mentioned : And whereas it is desirable to amend the said Act, and to extend the trusts and purposes upon which the said Dean and Chapter Estate is held, and to make provision for payment out of the said income of a pension, or other annual retiring-allowance, to any Dean or Canon or Minor Canon as men-
- 30 tioned in the said Act for the residue of his natural life upon or after his resignation or retirement from his office of Dean, or Canon, or Minor Canon :

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2 Church Property Trust (Canterbury) Act 1879 Amendment.

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

1. This Act may be cited as the Church Property Trust (Canterbury) Act 1879 Amendment Act, 1915.

2. The following paragraph shall henceforth be read as added to section twenty-one of the said Act :---

"(10.) Towards the payment of a pension or other annual retiring-allowance to the Dean or any of the Canons or of the Minor Canons for the residue of his natural life 10 upon or at any time after the resignation or retirement of such Dean, Canon, or Minor Canon from his office of Dean, Canon, or Minor Canon. A pension or retiringallowance as aforesaid may be paid to a Dean who shall have resigned or retired from his office of Dean before 15 the passing of this Act."

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3. All costs, charges, and expenses of and incidental to the preparing, obtaining, and passing of this Act, or otherwise in relation thereto, shall be paid by the Church Property Trustees out of the income of the Dean and Chapter Estate after payment there- 20 out of all prior statutory charges.

By Authority : JOHN MACKAY, Government Printer, Wellington.-1915.

Short Title

Section 21 of principal Act amended.

Expenses incidental to passing of this Act to be paid out of income of Dean and Chapter Estate.