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EIGHT HOURS.

ANALYSIS.

Title.
1. Short Title.

2. Eight hours a day's work and forty-eight hours a week's work.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to define the Hours of Labour within the Colony of New Zealand. Title.

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

- 1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Eight Hours Act, 1885." Short Title.
- 2. From and after the *first* day of *January*, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-*six*, eight hours shall, unless where there is a contract in writing to the contrary, constitute a day's work, and forty-eight hours a week's work. Eight hours a day's work and forty-eight hours a week's work.

By Authority : GEORGE DEDSBURY, Government Printer, Wellington.—1885.