FISHERIES CONSERVATION ACTS AMENDMENT.

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title.

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2. Prevention of pollution of rivers and waters

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to amend "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884" (here- Title. inafter termed "the principal Act").

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

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Fisheries Conservation short Title.

Acts Amendment Act, 1906."

2. Paragraph (c) of section three of "The Fisheries Conservation Prevention of 10 Act Amendment Act, 1903," is hereby amended by inserting, after pollution of river the word "streams" and also after the words "such stream" in the said paragraph, the words "rivers, or waters."

3. In addition to the several matters mentioned in the principal Regulations. Act with respect to which regulations may be made, the Governor

15 in Council may make regulations—

(a.) For prohibiting or restricting the sale of or having in possession during the close season any fish, whether frozen or chilled or not, of a like species or variety to any fish existing or acclimatised in New Zealand:

(b.) For the mode of keeping books or registers by carrying companies, or proprietors or tenants of freezingchambers, and forwarding agents, showing the receipt and delivery of all packages or parcels containing fish, and the form of such books or registers, and for the inspection thereof by any fisheries officer at all reasonable times:

(c.) For the inspection of freezing-chambers and refrigerating-

(d.) For prohibiting or regulating the export from New Zealand

of trout, salmon, or any other acclimatised fish:

(e.) For the erection or construction in any waters, river, or stream in which salmon or trout exist, or have been liberated or may hereafter be liberated, of fish ladders or other means of ingress and egress for fish by persons constructing dams or weirs, so as to allow fish to pass and return at all times.

By Authority: John Mackay, Government Printer, Wellington.-1906.