1'his 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.

Hon. Mr. Fowlds.

GOLD DUTY AMENDMENT.

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title. 2. Section 8 of the Gold Duty Act, 1908, amended.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend the Gold Duty Act, 1908. BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as 5 follows :---

1. This Act may be cited as the Gold Duty Amendment Short Title. Act, 1909.

2. Section eight of the Gold Duty Act, 1908, is hereby amended Section 8 of the by inserting after the word "accordingly" in subsection two the Gold Duty Act, 1908, amended. 10 words "unless the Minister thinks fit to accept any other evidence as

to the quantity and fineness of such gold, in which case duty shall be levied and paid in accordance with the facts so proved to the satisfaction of the Minister."

By Authority : JOHN MACKAY, Government Printer, Wellington.-1909.

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