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

House of Representatives, 2nd July, 1948

Hon, Mr. Mason

GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE AMENDMENT

ANALYSIS

3. Government Insurance Commis-Title. sioner may acquire dwellings 1. Short Title. for accommodation of staff. 2. Loans to officers for acquisition 4. Amending provisions of dwellings. execution of documents.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to amend the Government Life Insurance Act, Title. 1908.

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

1. This Act may be cited as the Government Life Short Title. Insurance Amendment Act, 1948, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Government Life see Reprint 10 Insurance Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as the of Statutes, Vol. IV, p. 56 principal Act).

2. Section twenty-seven of the principal Act, as Loans to amended by section twenty-four of the Finance Act, acquisition of 1925, is hereby further amended by adding the following dwellings. 15 new subsection:

"(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in subsection two of this section, advances to officers of the Department for the acquisition of dwellings by them

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may be made on the security of real estate up to an amount not exceeding four-fifths of the valuation of the security by a valuer or valuers appointed by the Board."

Government Insurance Commissioner may acquire dwellings for accommodation of staff. 3. The principal Act is hereby amended by inserting, after section thirty, the following new section:—

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"30A. (1) With the approval of the Board, the Government Insurance Commissioner may from time to time, for the purpose of providing residential accommodation for officers of the Department, expend moneys 10 out of the Government Insurance Account for all or any of the following purposes:—

"(a) The purchase or other acquisition of any estate or interest in land with a dwelling erected thereon:

" (b) The purchase or other acquisition of any estate or interest in land and the erection of a dwelling thereon:

"(c) The improvement of any such land or the alteration, repair, rebuilding, subdivision, 20 or improvement of any such dwelling.

- "(2) The Commissioner may let any dwelling so acquired or erected or any part thereof to any officer of the Department for such term and at such rent and otherwise upon such terms and conditions as he thinks 25 fit.
- "(3) In the event of any dwelling acquired or erected for the purposes of this section being no longer required for those purposes, the Commissioner may sell, let, exchange, or otherwise dispose of the same in 30 such manner and on such terms as the Commissioner, with the approval of the Board, thinks fit."

4. Section forty-two of the principal Act is hereby amended by omitting from paragraph (e) thereof the words "two members of the Board", and substituting 35 the words "one or more witnesses".

Amending provisions as to execution of documents.