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MAKERUA DRAINAGE BOARD EMPOWERING

[LOCAL BILL]

ANALYSIS

Title.	1. Short Title.
Preamble.	

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to extend the Powers of Rating vested in the Title.  
Makerua Drainage Board.

WHEREAS the Makerua Drainage Board (hereinafter Preamble.  
5 called the Board) is a Board constituted under the  
Land Drainage Act, 1908: And whereas the Board by  
section thirty-one of that Act is entitled to levy a rate  
not exceeding six farthings in the pound on the rateable  
value of all lands within the district of the Board:  
10 And whereas owing to a reduction in the unimproved  
value of all lands within the district of the Board it  
has been found that the aforesaid power to rate is  
insufficient to enable the Board to meet its ordinary  
expenditure:

15 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 Makerua Drainage Short Title.  
Board Empowering Act, 1942.

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Increasing  
Board's rating-  
power.

2. (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in section thirty-one of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, the Board may, for the purposes of that Act, levy a rate exceeding six farthings but not exceeding twopence in the pound.

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(2) The provisions of section twelve of the Land Drainage Amendment Act, 1922, shall apply in relation to rates levied pursuant to the authority conferred by this section to the same extent as it applies in relation to rates levied pursuant to the authority conferred by section thirty-one of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

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