NATIVE DESCENDANTS.

ANALYSIS.

1. Short Title.

2. Interpretation of "Native."

Title.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to give Equal Rights to all Descendants of Natives in New Title. Zealand.

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 Native Descendants short Title.

Act, 1881."

2. From and after the passing of this Act, and saving as to Interpretation of estates or interests vested, or to rights actually acquired, or proceedings "Native." completed or commenced at the time of the passing of this Act, the expression "Native" shall, in construing any Act or Acts now or hereafter in force, mean an aboriginal native of the Colony of New 10 Zealand, and shall include all half-castes and all their descendants.

By Authority: George Didsbury, Government Printer, Wellington.—1881. No. 156-1.