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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend "The Native Lands Act 1865." Title.

**B**E IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

I. The Short Title of this Act shall be "The Native Reserves Acts Amendment Act 1866." Short Title.

II. This Act shall be deemed and taken to be and read as part of "The Native Lands Act 1865." To be part of "Native Lands Act 1865."

III. The words "Native Reserve" in this Act shall mean and include Interpretation.

- (1.) All lands vested in the Governor under and by virtue of "The New Zealand Native Reserves Act 1856" and "The Native Reserves Amendment Act 1862"
- (2.) All lands reserved by Aboriginal Natives from sale on the cession of lands to the Crown
- (3.) All lands reserved for the benefit of Aboriginal Natives upon the sale by them of any lands
- (4.) All lands comprised in reserves made for the benefit of Aboriginal Natives according to the directions of any Commissioner appointed to investigate purchases of land made from the Aboriginal Natives by the New Zealand Company and
- (5.) All lands reserved for the benefit of Aboriginal Natives by the New Zealand Land Company or New Zealand Company.

Certificates of Title to contain recitals.

IV. Whenever under "The Native Lands Act 1865" hereinafter referred to as the said Act the Court shall issue a Certificate of Title in respect of land comprised in any Native Reserve such certificate shall contain by way of recital a statement by the Court to the effect that the land comprised in and to be affected by such certificate has been reserved for or for the benefit of Aboriginal Natives and by what means it has been so reserved and that it is subject to the provisions of the said Act and of this Act.

*Native Reserves Acts Amendment.*

Lands in Native Reserves granted to be inalienable for more than twenty-one years.

V. Every Crown Grant which shall hereafter be issued of any land comprised in any Native Reserve shall contain a provision that the land therein comprised shall be inalienable by sale lease or mortgage for a longer period of twenty-one years and the land comprised in any such Crown Grant shall be otherwise inalienable.

Governor in Council may assent to alienation of land so granted.

VI. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Native Reserves in writing endorsed upon any proposed conveyance lease or other disposition of land comprised in any such grant for an estate or period greater than a term of twenty-one years to assent to such conveyance lease or other disposition being made.

Recommendation to express object of alienation.

VII. Every such recommendation shall express the object of the proposed alienation and the mode in which the purchase moneys or rents thence arising are to be invested or applied.

Effect of the Governor's assent.

VIII. Every such assent shall be in writing and shall under the land comprised in the conveyance lease or other disposition therein referred to be alienable in the mode and to the extent expressed in such conveyance lease or other disposition.

Governor in Council may direct application of purchase moneys.

IX. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to direct in what manner the moneys to arise by sale or transfer of any land comprised in any Native Reserve shall be invested or applied.

Lands in Native Reserves how to be sold.

X. No land comprised in any Native Reserve shall be sold otherwise than by public auction.

#### SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

I RECOMMEND that the within described land should in manner and to the extent mentioned in the within written deed alienated for the purpose of [*here state the purpose*] and believe that the same will be for the benefit of the Aboriginal Natives entitled to the land.

Assented to by the Governor in Council. Let the purchase moneys and rents be [*here state mode of application of purchase moneys or rents.*]