

*Rt. Hon. R. J. Seddon.*

REPRESENTATION.

ANALYSIS.

Title.  
1. Short Title.

2. Increased number of representatives.  
3. Appointment of new districts.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend the Law relating to the Representation of the  
People in the House of Representatives. Title.

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

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Representation Act,  
1900." Short Title.

10 2. On the expiration by effluxion of time or other sooner  
determination of the present General Assembly, the number of  
members to be thereafter elected to the House of Representatives  
under the provisions of "The Representation Act, 1887," shall be  
seventy-six, in lieu of seventy as provided by "The Representation  
Acts Amendment Act, 1887," and for each of the six additional  
15 members an additional district shall be assigned. Increased number  
of representatives.

3. At a time and place to be fixed by the Governor the Com-  
missions appointed under "The Representation Act Amendment  
Act, 1896," shall sit together as a joint Commission for the purpose  
of determining, in the manner and according to the basis prescribed  
20 by "The Representation Act, 1887," how many of the aforesaid six  
additional seats shall be for the North Island and how many for the  
Middle Island (including Stewart Island). Appointment of new  
districts.

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