

*This PUBLIC BILL originated in the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, and, having this day passed as now printed, is transmitted to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.*

*House of Representatives,  
17th November, 1903.*

*Hon. Sir W. J. Steward.*

STATUTES COMPILATION ACT AMENDMENT.

ANALYSIS.

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| <p>Title.</p> <p>1. Short Title.</p> <p>2. Section 2 of principal Act amended. Solicitor-General to make necessary consequential alterations.</p> | <p>3. Such consequential amendments may be amended.</p> <p>4. In Bills prepared by Commission certain provisions to apply.</p> |
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A BILL INTITLED

AN ACT to amend "The Statutes Compilation Act, 1902." Title.

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 Statutes Compilation Act Amendment Act, 1903"; and it shall form part of and be read together with "The Statutes Compilation Act, 1902" (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act"). Short Title.

2. Section two of the principal Act is hereby amended by adding the words following at the end thereof, namely:—  
"In preparing such compilation, the Solicitor-General shall make such consequential and other alterations in, additions to, or omissions from the text as, in his opinion, are necessary in order to give effect to implied repeals, to secure uniformity of expression, and generally to allow of the compilation being enacted as an Act of the year of enactment, and shall indorse upon such compilation or attach thereto a memorandum directing attention to every such alteration, addition, or omission, and stating, where necessary, the reason therefor." Section 2 of principal Act amended.  
Solicitor-General to make necessary consequential alterations.

3. Notwithstanding anything in subsection two of section four of the principal Act, any alteration, addition, or omission made as aforesaid may be amended, altered, rejected, or restored.

4. For the purpose of facilitating the enactment of Bills prepared by the Commissioners acting under "The Reprint of Statutes Consolidation Act, 1895," and of consolidating Bills prepared by the Government, the provisions of section four of the principal Act and of section three of this Act shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to every such Bill. Such consequential amendments may be amended.  
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