[As reported from the Local Bills Committee.]

House of Representatives, 15th August, 1930.

Mr. Semple.

WELLINGTON CITY EXHIBITION GROUNDS AMENDMENT.

[LOCAL BILL.]

ANALYSIS

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2. Amendment of section 9 of the Wellington City Exhibition Grounds Act, 1927.

3. Servants of association not to be interested in contracts. Members of association not to vote when interested. Advertising of con-

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to amend the Wellington City Exhibition Grounds Act, 1927. Title. BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as 5 follows:-

1. This Act may be cited as the Wellington City Exhibition Short Title. Grounds Amendment Act, 1930, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Wellington City Exhibition Grounds Act, 1927 (herein-

after referred to as the principal Act).

2. Section nine of the Wellington-City-Exhibition-Grounds Act, 1927 (hereinafter-termed-tho-Aet), principal Act is hereby amended by repealing the words "fifty thousand pounds" in the said-section and substituting therefor the words "seventy-five thousand pounds", and by adding #F the end of the said section the following new subsections two and three the 15 following as subsections two and three thereof:—

Amendment of section 9 of the Wellington City **Exhibition Grounds** Act, 1927.

"(2) No moneys in excess of fifty thousand pounds shall be borrowed without the consent of the Council, in writing, given subject

to such conditions as the Council in its absolute discretion shall impose. "(3) No holder of any such debenture shall have any claim in 20 respect thereof upon the Wellington City Council or any of its revenues." Struck out

3. (1) No servant of the association shall be interested as a member of a company or otherwise in any contract with the association under this Act, except as an exhibitor.

3. (1) No servant of the association shall be concerned or interested Servants of (otherwise than as a member of an incorporated company in which there are more than twenty members, and of which he is not the general contracts. manager) in any contract made by the association, except in respect of 30 his service or as an exhibitor.

(2) No member of the committee of the association shall take part Members of in any discussion or vote on any matter relating to this-Aet the principal Act in which he has directly or indirectly any pecuniary interest.

association not to vote when interested contracts.

(3) No contract in respect of any matter under this Act the principal Advertising of 35 Act the amount whereof exceeds fifty pounds shall be made except after public tender, of which public notice shall be given.

(4) Every person who offends against any of the provisions of this Offence. section is liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds for each such offence.