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# Wellington Corporation Land Grant.

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## A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to authorize the Governor to grant to the Corporation of Wellington a Strip of Land in the Harbour of Port Nicholson.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was, with other land, granted to Isaac Earl Featherston, Superintendent of the Province of Wellington, for purposes of reclamation: And whereas, upon the abolition of the said province, the said land reverted to the Crown: And whereas it is expedient that the same should be granted to the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Wellington, incorporated under the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1876," and hereinafter referred to as "the Corporation," for the purposes and with the powers hereinafter set forth:

BE IT THEREFORE 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 shall be "The Wellington Corporation Land Grant Act, 1878."
- 2. The Governor may grant to the Corporation the land described in the Schedule hereto, for purposes of reclamation, and as part of the property of the Corporation.
- 3. The Corporation may reclaim the said land or any part thereof from the sea.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land forming part of the land granted to Isaac Earl Featherston Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Wellington, by grants dated the eighteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and the twentieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two. Bounded on the Northward by an extension to the eastward for two hundred and eighty-five (285) links on a bearing 99° 44 magnetic of the present northern boundary of Customhouse Quay; on the Eastward by a line extending southerly, three thousand and twenty-five (3025) links, on a bearing 189° 10' magnetic from the eastern extremity of the northern boundary; and on the Southward by a line extending seventy-six (76) links from the southern extremity of the eastern boundary, at right angles thereto, and comprising within those boundaries all the unreclaimed parts of the land described in the said grants of the eighteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and the twentieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, which lie to the westward of the eastern boundary aforesaid.