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 October, 1917.

Right Hon. Sir Joseph Ward, Bart.

WAR PURPOSES LOAN (No. 2).

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title. 2. Additional authority to borrow moneys for war purposes. Consequential amendment.

A BILL INTITULED

Title.

An Act to authorize the raising of Additional Moneys for Purposes of or in connection with the present War.

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

Short Title.

1. This Act may be cited as the War Purposes Loan Act, 1917 (No. 2) and shall be read together with and deemed part of the War Purposes Loan Act, 1917.

2. (1.) Section two of the War Purposes Loan Act, 1917, is authority to borrow moneys for hereby amended by omitting from subsection one the words "twentyfour million pounds" and substituting the words "twenty-eight million pounds."

Additional war purposes.

(2.) Section three of the last-mentioned Act is hereby amended amendment. 15 by omitting from subsection five the words "twenty-four million pounds" and substituting the words "twenty-eight million pounds."

Consequential

(3.) All references in the Finance Act, 1917, or in any other Act to the moneys authorized to be raised by the War Purposes Loan Act, 1917, shall be deemed to include a reference to the additional 20 moneys authorized to be raised by this Act.

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