(2.) By substituting the following words for the words in the sixth line of clause 15 of the said conditions:—
"Earthed neutral conductors may in all cases be bare."

5. By adding the following to clause 16 of the said con-

"Where high and extra-high pressure lines are supported on the same poles or supports, both lines shall be bare, and means shall be provided for automatically and effectively

earthing the high-pressure line in the event of the extra-high-pressure line making contact with the high-pressure line. "Where low-pressure and high-pressure lines are supported on the same poles or supports, the high-pressure line shall be insulated with vulcanized rubber of at least 600-megohine." grade, and the low-pressure lines as provided in clause 15."

6. By inserting the following paragraph after the fourth paragraph in clause 18 of the said conditions:—
"Where electric lines and telegraph lines (other than leadcovered cables) intersect, high-pressure lines shall be insulated with not less than 600-megohm grade of vulcanized rubber."

J. F. ANDREWS, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to Stopping a Road in Block VII, Whangara Survey District, Cook County.

### LIVERPOOL, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this seventeenth day of May, 1915.

#### Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

W HEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three (a) of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that a local authority shall not declare any county road or district road to be stopped until the consent thereto of the Governor, by Order in Council gazetted, is obtained:

And whereas the Cook County Council has applied for such consent in respect of the road described in the

such consent in respect of the road described in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the abovein-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Cook County Council stopping the road described in the Schedule hereto. hereto.

# SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road permitted to be stopped: 11 acres 0 roads 16 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Whangara B No. 1, Block VII, Whangara Survey District.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37614, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

J. F. ANDREWS, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

### LIVERPOOL, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1915.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or the Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor in Council to a mortgage of the block or parcel of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto: And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the confirmation of an alienation by way of mortgage of the block or parcel of land set out in the Schedule hereto. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

#### SCHEDULE.

Ruanui 2<sup>B</sup> No. 2 Block: Approximate area, 1,165 acres Wellington Provincial District.

J. F. ANDREWS. Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring a Native to be a European.

## LIVERPOOL, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1915.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Native Land Court, declare any Native to be a European:

And whereas Richmond Davies, of Winiata, near Taihape,

eing a Native within the meaning of the Native Land Act, 1909, applied in the prescribed form for a recommendation of the Court that he might be declared a European: And whereas the said Court, having duly inquired into the said application, has recommended that an Order in Council be issued declaring the said Richmond Davies to be a European: And whereas it is expedient that such declaration should be made:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on him by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare the said Richmond Davies, of Winiata, near Taihape, to be a European.

J. F. ANDREWS, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Land to be no longer subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

# LIVERPOOL, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1915.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

THEREAS by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time by Order in Council declare that any land subject to Part XIV or XV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and vested in a Maori Land Board, shall no longer be subject to such Parts of that Act, and shall be revested in the Native owners thereof:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto, and known as Waikukupa B Block, is now, by virtue of an Order in Council made on the thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and by virtue of the provisions of section two hundred and thirty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, subject to Part XIV of the said Act, and vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board accord-

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that the said land is not subject to any lease, license, contract for sale or other alienation, and that no moneys are charged on the said land or on the revenue thereof in accordance with the

said Act or under any other authority:
And whereas it is expedient that the said land should cease to be subject to Part XIV of the said Act:
Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the