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purpose of forming and metalling roads in the Tangowahine Valley, Karaka Special-rating Area : And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent

consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum

may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum : Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Hobson County Council in respect of the said loan of seven hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Hobson County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of seven hundred pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON. Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Raglan County Council in respect of a Loan of £14,000, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of forming and metalling various Roads in the Onewhero Riding.

JELLICOE, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 6th day of October, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

THEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments, it is provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is there-after authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council: And whereas the Raglan County Council has been authorized

to borrow the sum of fourteen thousand pounds for the purpose of forming and metalling various roads in the Onewhero Riding :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Raglan County Council in respect of the said loan of fourteen thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum, and the said Raglan County Council is hereby autho-rized to borrow the said sum of fourteen thousand pounds accordingly.

> F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Hobson County Council in respect of a Loan of $\pounds 2,000$, being a Further Portion of a Loan of $\pounds 15,000$, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of forming and metalling Dargaville-Katui Road and Maropiu-Kairara Road.

> JELLICOE. Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 6th day of October, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, W and its amendments, it is provided that, notwith-standing anything to the contrary in any Act or in any

rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is there-after authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Hobson County Council has been autho-rized to borrow the sum of fifteen thousand pounds for the purpose of forming and metalling Dargaville-Katui Road and Maropiu-Kairara Road, and is now desirous of raising the sum of two thousand pounds, being a further portion of the

sum of two thousand pounds, being a further portion of the loan of fifteen thousand pounds: And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his pre-cedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Hobson County Council in respect of the said loan of two thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Hobson County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of two thousand pounds accordingly.

> F. D. THOMSON. Clerk of the Executive Council.

rescribing the Term for which the Wairarapa Electric-power Board may borrow the Sum of £20,000, being a Further Portion of a Loan of £60,000, authorized to be raised for Electric Works, and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.

JELLICOE, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this 6th day of October, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOB-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

XHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, W and its amendments, it is provided that, notwith-standing anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council:

And whereas the Wairarapa Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of two hundred and sixtythousand pounds for electric works, and is now desirous of raising the sum of twenty thousand pounds, being a further portion of the loan of two hundred and sixty thousand pounds : And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be thirty-six years, and the rate of interest payable thereon be not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum

per annum : Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Wairarapa Electric-power Board may borrow the said sum of twenty thousand pounds shall be thirty-six years and the rate of interest that may be paid thereon shall be a rate not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum, and the said Wairarapa Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of twenty thousand pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.