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specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof | authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is therehas not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such 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 Whangarei Borough Council has been

authorized to borrow the sum of five thousand four hundred and fifty pounds for contributing towards the cost of constructing overhead railway-crossings : 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

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 Whangarei Borough Council in respect of the said loan of five thousand four hundred and fifty pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Whangarei Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five thousand four hundred and fifty pounds accordingly. F. D. THOMSON.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Bluff Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £3,620, authorized to be raised for Streets Repairs and Improvements.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, 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 particular de authorized and was been and thereafter 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 Bluff Borough Council has been autho-rized to borrow the sum of three thousand six hundred and

twenty pounds for streets repairs and improvements: 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 here by prescribe that the in respect of the said loan of three thousand six hundred and twenty pounds shall be a rate not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum, and the said Bluff Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three thousand six hundred and twenty pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Waipawa Borough Council in respect of a Loan of ± 350 , authorized to be raised for Fire-brigade Purposes.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1925.

Present ·

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL. **THEREAS** 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 after authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate 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 Waipawa Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of three hundred and fifty. pounds for fire-brigade purposes : And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent

it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money

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 Waipawa Borough Council in respect of the said loan of three hundred and fifty pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Waipawa Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three hundred and fifty pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Marl-borough Electric-power Board in respect of a Loan of £300,000, authorized to be raised for Electric Works.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1925.

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 thereafter 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 Marlborough Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of three hundred thousand

pounds for electric works : And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-required 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

nay 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 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 Marlborough Electric-power Board in respect of the said loan of three hundred thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum, and the said Marlborough Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three hundred thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Otahuhu Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £800, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of reconstructing a Septic Tank.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1925.

Present :

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