Lands required for the Purposes of Water-supply in the Cook Islands.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of January, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

HEREAS by section three hundred and fifty-seven of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, it is provided that the Governor-General may, by Order in Council, take any land in the Cook Islands for any public purpose specified in the Order:

And whereas the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken for certain public purposes within the meaning of section three hundred and sixty-four of the said Act—to wit, for

the purposes of water-supply:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by section three hundred and fifty-seven of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, doth hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

1. ALL that parcel of land, situate in the District of Arutanga, in the Island of Aitutaki, Cook Islands, containing one rood ten perches (1 rood 10 perches), be the same a little more or less, being part of the land named by the Native Land Court "Areonga, Section number fifty-seven (57)," and comprised in an Order on Investigation made by the said Court on the 26th day of August, 1903.

2. All that parcel of land, situate in the District of Arutanga, in the Island of Aitutaki, Cook Islands, containing ten (10) perches, be the same a little more or less, being part of the land named by the Native Land Court "Areonga, Section seventy-four A (74A)," and comprised in an Order of Investigation made by the said Court on the

17th day of September, 1903.

3. All that parcel of land, situate in the District of Arutanga, in the Island of Aitutaki, Cook Islands, containing fifteen (15) perches, be the same a little more or less, being part of the land named by the Native Land Court "Mairekura, Section thirty-one (31)," and comprised in an Order on Investigation made on the 28th day of November, 1902.

4. All that parcel of land, situate in the District of Arutanga, in the Island of Aitutaki, Cook Islands, containing twenty-two (22) perches, be the same a little more or less, being part of the land named by the Native Land Court "Mairekura, Section seventy-four (74)," and comprised in an Order of Investigation made on the 8th day of September, 1903.

The above described parcels of land are delineated and edged red, blue, yellow, and green, respectively, in the plan numbered 21, signed by the Resident Commissioner of Rarotonga, and deposited in the office of the Registrar of the High Court of the Cook Islands, at

Rarotonga.

J. W. BLACK, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.