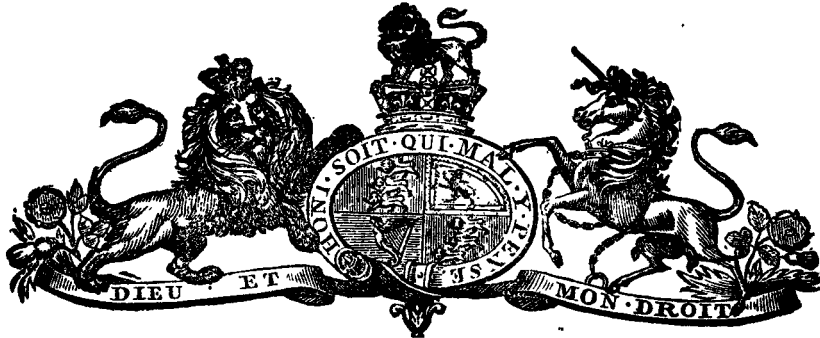


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| <p>Title.</p> <p>1. Short Title.</p> <p>2. Sections of "The Civil Service Act 1866" repealed without prejudice to rights accrued.</p> | <p>3. Claims to compensation to be computed and return presented to General Assembly.</p> <p>4. Questions as to misconduct of officers may be referred to any two or more persons instead of the Civil Service Board.</p> |
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AN ACT to amend "The Civil Service Act 1866." Title.  
 [14th November 1871.]

**B**E IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows:—

1. The Short Title of this Act shall be "The Civil Service Act Amendment Act 1871." Short Title.

2. The sections of "The Civil Service Act 1866" numbered from thirty to forty-three both inclusive and all other provisions of the said Act relating to retiring allowances are hereby repealed. Provided however that such repeal shall not prejudice or affect the rights claims and interests absolute or contingent under the said Act of persons appointed before the passing of this Act. Provided also that nothing herein contained shall deprive officers disabled in the active performance of duty or the widow or children of officers killed or who may die from bodily injury received without his default in the active discharge of his public duty and the widow or children of any officer who may die in the public service of the allowances or gratuities they would be entitled to under clauses thirty-eight thirty-nine and forty of the said Act. Sections of "The Civil Service Act 1866" repealed without prejudice to rights accrued.

3. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to appoint an Actuary or other competent person to compute the exact amount which every person whose rights claims or interests are preserved in the second section of this Act would be entitled to receive for any right claim or interest up to the date of the passing of this Act but no further and the report of the said Actuary or person so appointed shall be submitted to the General Assembly at its next Session within Claims to compensation to be computed and return presented to General Assembly.

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fourteen days from the commencement thereof with a view to settlement of such claims and shall set forth the name rate of pay and length of service of every person entitled to receive compensation together with the amount in each case and shall likewise state the principle on which the said amounts have been computed.

Questions as to  
misconduct of officers  
may be referred to  
any two or more  
persons instead of the  
Civil Service Board.

4. Whenever an officer is accused of inefficiency or of any offence or breach of his duty or of any conduct rendering it unfit that he should remain in the Civil Service if he deny the truth of such accusation and if the Governor nevertheless think that sufficient cause has been shown for further proceedings the Governor may instead of proceeding under the twenty-sixth section of the said Act refer the matter to any two or more persons he may think fit to inquire as to the truth of such charge and such persons shall have authority to sit and act at any place or places the Governor may appoint as they think fit and to hear receive and examine evidence and shall after fully hearing the case report to the Governor their opinion thereon.

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