

New Zealand.

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AN ACT to validate and supplement certain Reports of the Representation Commissions. Title.
[28th October, 1911.]

WHEREAS by subsection two of section forty-one of the Licensing Amendment Act, 1910, it is enacted that whenever the Representation Commissions divide New Zealand into electoral districts as provided by the Legislature Act, 1908, they shall in their report declare in the case of each of the city licensing districts of Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin what electoral districts are substituted for the electoral districts referred to in subsection one of the said section: And whereas the said Representation Commissions in their reports, dated the sixteenth day of September, nineteen hundred and eleven, failed to comply with the provisions hereinbefore recited: And whereas in pursuance of subsection one of section twenty-two of the Legislature Act, 1908, the Governor, by Proclamation dated the twenty-sixth day of September, nineteen hundred and eleven, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-seventh day of the said month, proclaimed the names and boundaries of the electoral districts fixed by the Representation Commissions aforesaid: And whereas it is expedient to validate the said reports, notwithstanding the failure of the said Commissions to comply, in the manner hereinbefore set forth, with the provisions of the Licensing Amendment Act, 1910, and also to provide for the matters in respect of which the said Commissions failed to provide as aforesaid: Preamble.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Short Title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Representation Commissions' Reports Validation Act, 1911.

Validation of reports of Representation Commissions.

2. Notwithstanding the omission from the reports of the Representation Commissions, prepared in pursuance of section twenty-two of the Legislature Act, 1908, and dated the sixteenth day of September, nineteen hundred and eleven, of the particulars required to be inserted therein by subsection two of section forty-one of the Licensing Amendment Act, 1910, the said reports to the extent thereof are hereby declared to have the force of law as from the date of the Proclamation hereinbefore referred to.

Boundaries of city licensing districts defined.

3. From the coming into effect of the reports referred to in section two hereof, and until those reports are superseded by subsequent reports of the Commissions aforesaid, the following provisions shall apply with respect to the city licensing districts under the Licensing Act, 1908, and its amendments :—

- (a.) The Auckland Licensing District shall comprise the electoral districts of Auckland East, Auckland West, and Auckland Central ;
- (b.) The Wellington Licensing District shall comprise the electoral districts of Wellington East, Wellington North, and Wellington Central ;
- (c.) The Christchurch Licensing District shall comprise the electoral districts of Christchurch East, Christchurch North, and Christchurch South ; and
- (d.) The Dunedin Licensing District shall comprise the electoral districts of Dunedin North, Dunedin West, and Dunedin Central.

References to electoral districts explained.

4. The electoral districts referred to in the last preceding section are the electoral districts as defined in the several Proclamations made by the Governor in pursuance of section twenty-two of the Legislature Act, 1908, dated the twenty-sixth day of September, nineteen hundred and eleven, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-seventh day of the said month.