



## ANALYSIS

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1961, No. 101

**An Act to amend the Soil Conservation and Rivers Control Act 1941**  
[1 December 1961]

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

**1. Short Title**—This Act may be cited as the Soil Conservation and Rivers Control Amendment Act 1961, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Soil Conservation and Rivers Control Act 1941\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act).

**2. Rating**—(1) Section 23B of the principal Act (as inserted by section 7 of the Soil Conservation and Rivers Control Amendment Act 1959) is hereby amended by adding the following additional proviso:

“Provided also that, where all the local authorities in a catchment area agree to apportion among themselves and to pay to the Council by way of annual amounts sufficient in the opinion of the Council to provide for the efficient administration of the area but not exceeding the amount that would

\*1957 Reprint, Vol. 14, p. 637  
Amendments: 1958, No. 93; 1959, No. 48; 1960, No. 89

have been provided by the levying of an administrative rate of the maximum amount authorised by this Act, the Council may accept from the local authorities such annual amounts as may be due pursuant to the aforesaid agreement, notwithstanding that the amount payable by any local authority in any one year exceeds the sum that would have become due and payable to the Council by the levying in its district of the maximum administrative rate authorised by this Act."

(2) Section 96 of the principal Act is hereby amended by adding to subsection (2) the words "Notwithstanding the provisions of any other Act, the local authority shall not be required to advertise its intention of making the rate or to pass any resolution or make any order in respect of the making thereof."

**3. Grants or loans**—Subsection (2A) of section 30 of the principal Act (as enacted by section 9 of the Soil Conservation and Rivers Control Amendment Act 1959) is hereby amended by omitting the words "or if, without written approval of the Council, he sells or leases or otherwise disposes of the land within a period, being not less than five years, specified by the Council".

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This Act is administered in the Ministry of Works.

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