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V I C T O R I Æ R E G I N Æ .

No. 65.

AN ACT to amend "The Volunteers Land Act 1865." Title.
[10th October 1867.]

WHEREAS by "The Volunteers Land Act 1865" power is given to the Superintendent of any Province with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof to grant remission certificates to efficient Volunteers after five years service entitling the holders thereof to certain privileges in the purchase of the Waste Lands of the Crown within such Province and whereas doubts having arisen as to how far the term "efficient Volunteer" is applicable to persons enrolled as Volunteers prior to the passing of "The Volunteer Act 1865" it is expedient to define and determine who are to be deemed efficient Volunteers prior to that date Preamble.

BE IT THEREFORE 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 Volunteers Land Act Amendment Act 1867." Short Title.

2. All persons who were enrolled as Volunteers in any Volunteer Corps within the Colony of New Zealand prior to the first of January one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six shall for all the purposes of "The Volunteers Land Act 1865" be deemed during the period of such service prior to the said first day of January to have been efficient Volunteers and shall after five years service inclusive of any service prior to the said first day of January be entitled to all the privileges conferred upon efficient Volunteers by the said "Volunteers Land Act 1865." Volunteers enrolled prior to January 1866 to be deemed efficient within meaning of the Volunteer Land Act.

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