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This Public Bill originated in the House of Representatives, and, having this day passed as now printed, is transmitted to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

House of Representatives, 10th October, 1896.

[As amended by the Legislative Council.]

Mr. Lawry.

## PUBLIC BODIES' POWERS ACT 1887 AMENDMENT.

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title. 2. Definition of "leasing authority," in principal Act, amended.

## A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887."

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as fol-5 lows :—

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Public Bodies' Powers Short Title. Act 1887 Amendment Act, 1896."

 The words "leasing authority" in "The Public Bodies' Definition of Powers Act, 1887" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), shall be taken "leasing authority," in principal Act, "in principal Act," 10 to mean extend to and include the trustees of any property held for amended. religious, charitable, or educational, or scientific trust purposes, whether now or hereafter incorporated under "The Religious, Charitable, and Educational Trust Boards Incorporation Act, 1884," or not.

> By Authority: JOHN MACKAY, Government Printer, Wellington.—1896. No. 160—3.

Title.