

Mr. Veitch.

PUBLIC HEALTH AMENDMENT.

ANALYSIS.

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend the Public Health Act, 1908.

Title.

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

- 5 1. This Act may be cited as the Public Health Amendment Act, 1914, and shall form part of and be read together with the Public Health Act, 1908, hereinafter referred to as the principal Act, and it shall come into force as from the date of the passing hereof. Short Title and commencement.
- 10 2. In every case where one of the terms of the employment of any worker is that his employer shall provide him with lodging or sleeping accommodation the room so to be provided by the employer shall be wholly above the level of every street or road bounding the premises wherein such room is contained. Workers' accommodation.
- 15 3. If the occupier of any premises wherein any worker is employed upon the terms set forth in the *last preceding* section hereof shall require or cause that worker to lodge or sleep in any room any part whereof is situate below the level of any street or road bounding the premises wherein the said room is contained, he shall be guilty of an offence under this Act and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *ten* pounds for every day during which such offence shall continue. Penalty.
- 20 4. The District Health Officer shall have all the powers vested in him by section eighteen of the principal Act for the purpose of inspecting the said premises and making requisitions upon the occupier of the said premises, and generally in securing the purpose of the requirements of this Act. Powers of District Health Officer.

By Authority : JOHN MACKAY, Government Printer, Wellington.—1914.

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