Hon. Mr. Shechan.

Ponsonby Highway District.

ANALYSIS.

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to constitute the Ponsonby Highway District. Title.

HEREAS in the Provincial District of Auckland there is a Preamble. highway district known by the name of the Ponsonby and or Dedwood Highway District, and it is expedient that the name of such district should be changed to the Ponsonby Highway District, and that provision should be made for giving effect to such change :

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the General Assembly of New $\mathbf{5}$ Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :-

1. The Short Title of this Act shall be "The Ponsonby Highway Short Title. District Act, 1877."

2. The Highway District in the Provincial District of Auckland Constitution of the 10 known as the "Ponsonby and or Dedwood Highway District" shall Ponsonby Highway henceforth be called or known by the name of the "Ponsonby Highway District."

3. The Ponsonby Highway District shall, in respect of its boun- Ponsonby Highway 15 daries and of all real and personal property, rights, claims, obligations, District to take the debts, demands, liabilities, contracts, and engagements, and for all trict. purposes whatsoever, both at law and equity, be deemed to be the same district as that known immediately before the passing of this Act as the Ponsonby and or Dedwood Highway District.

20 4. The Board in office for the last-named district at the time of Board to remain in the passing of this Act shall be the Highway Board for the Ponsonby Highway District, and every person holding office in or under the said Board shall continue to hold such office in like manner, and under and subject to such terms and conditions in all respects, as if he had been 25 elected or appointed for or in respect of the Ponsonby Highway District.

5. All powers, duties, and functions vested in, belonging to, or Powers, &c., of which might have been exercised by the Board of the Ponsonby and Board or members or Dedwood Highway District, or the Chairman or any member of

- 30 such Board by virtue of his office, at or immediately before the passing of this Act, shall vest in and be exercised by the Board of the Ponsonby Highway District, or the Chairman or any member thereof as afore-said as the case may require; and such last-mentioned Board and district shall for all purposes be deemed to be a Highway Board 35 and highway district within the meaning of any Act, Ordinance, or
- law in force in the said provincial district relating to, affecting, or concerning highway districts or Highway Boards.

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office, &c.

thereof.