

New Zealand.

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ANALYSIS.

Title.
Preamble.
1. Short Title.
2. Governor may direct removal of prisoners.

3. Power for Superintendent to remove prisoners.
4. Punishment of prisoners for misconduct during removal from one prison to another.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to authorize the removal of Title. Prisoners from one Gaol to another.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to the removal of prisoners from one gaol to another

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand Preamble.
in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

I. The Short Title of this Act shall be “The Prisoners’ Removal Short Title.
Act 1865.”

II. The Governor may by warrant under his hand from time to time Governor may direct
removal of prisoners.
when and as he may deem necessary direct the removal from any gaol or hulk of any prisoner confined therein to any other gaol or hulk within New Zealand and upon every such removal every such prisoner shall be subject to be kept at such gaol or hulk for the residue of his sentence or until removed by legal authority.

III. The Superintendent of any Province may by warrant under his Power for Superin-
tendent to remove
prisoners.
hand cause the removal of any prisoner under sentence from any one gaol in such Province to any other gaol within such Province and upon every such removal every such prisoner shall be subject to be kept at such gaol for the residue of his sentence or until removed by legal authority.

IV. When a prisoner shall be received into a prison by removal from Punishment of pri-
soners for misconduct
during removal from
one prison to another.
another prison it shall be lawful under the rules in force in the prison into which he is so received to punish him for any misconduct which he may have committed in the course of such removal or within forty-eight hours before the commencement of the same as if such misconduct had been committed by him within the prison into which he is so received.