This Public Bill originated in the Legislative Assembly, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

W. S. MOWLE, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 10 October, 1917.

New South Wales.



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GEORGII V REGIS.

Act No. , 1917.

An Act to amend the Aborigines Protection Act, 1909, and the Aborigines Protection Amending Act, 1915.

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the 5 authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Aborigines Protec-Short title. tion (Amendment) Act, 1917."

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Aborigines Protection (Amendment).

- 2. The Aborigines Protection Act, 1909, as amended Amendments by the Aborigines Protection Amending Act, 1915, is Protection amended as follows:—
 - (i) In section three— Sec. 3
 - (a) by omitting the definition of "Aborigine" and inserting in lieu thereof the following definition:—
 - "Aborigine" means any full-blooded or half-caste aboriginal who is a native of New South Wales; and
 - (b) by omitting in the definition of "reserve" the words "by the Governor," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "under any Act dealing with Crown lands."
- (ii) In section eleven, subsection one, by omitting Sec. 11 (1). the words "or the neglected child of any person apparently having an admixture of aboriginal blood in his veins".
 - (iii) In the same section by omitting subsections two and three.
 - (iv) In section thirteen by omitting the words "or Sec. 13. of any person apparently having an admixture of aboriginal blood in his veins".
- (v) In section fourteen by omitting the words "or Sec, 14 any persons apparently having an admixture of aboriginal blood in their veins".

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[Mr. Fuller;—20 September, 1917.]

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(v) In section fourteen by omitting the words "or any persons apparently having an admixture 25 of aboriginal blood in their veins".

Sec. 11 (1).

Sec. 13.

Sec. 14.