

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.

ALLAN PICKERING,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 1 November, 1956, A.M.*

New South Wales



ANNO QUINTO

ELIZABETHÆ II REGINÆ

Act No. , 1956.

An Act to make further provisions as to the regulation of the sale of meat in certain local government areas and the qualifications for civic office; for these and other purposes to amend the Local Government Act, 1919, and the Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts; and for purposes connected therewith.

Local Government and Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat (Amendment).

BE it enacted by the Queen'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 authority of the same, as follows :—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Local Government and Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat (Amendment) Act, 1956." Short title and citation.

(2) The Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902-1956.

2. The Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended— Amendment of Act No. 41, 1919.

15 (a) by inserting at the end of paragraph (1) of subsection five of section thirty the following word and new paragraphs :— Sec. 30. (Qualification for office.)

"or

20 (m) the leasing or the purchase on extended terms of payment from the council by him of dwellings, shops, or other buildings under the provisions of section four hundred and ninety-six of this Act; or

25 (n) the acceptance of an advance from the council by him under the provisions of section 496A of this Act for the purpose of erecting a dwelling or for the purpose of reconditioning, rebuilding, or adding to any existing dwelling; or

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- (o) the making by him of a loan or an advance of money to the council under Division 4 of Part VII of this Act.”;
- 5 (b) by omitting from subsection one of section 178A Sec. 178A. the words “five hundred pounds” and by insert- (Advances for works applied for by rate-payer.) ing in lieu thereof the words “two thousand pounds”;
- 10 (c) by omitting section three hundred and fifty- Subst. sec. seven and the short heading thereto and by 357 and new sec. inserting in lieu thereof the following short 357A. heading and new sections:—

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- 15 357. The council may provide, control and Libraries and library manage libraries and library services. services.
- 20 357A. (1) The trustees of any institution may, Transfer of assets of subject to such conditions as are agreed upon school of arts, etc., with the approval of the Governor, transfer to the to council. council any real or personal property held by them as such trustees.
- 25 (2) Any real or personal property transferred in pursuance of this section shall upon such transfer be freed and discharged from all trusts theretofore affecting such property.
- 30 (3) The council shall, subject to any such condition, apply any real or personal property transferred to it under this section or the proceeds of any sale of any such property, or any income arising from such property or proceeds of sale, for any of the purposes of this Part.
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and Meat (Amendment).*

(4) In this section "institution" means mechanics' institute, school of arts, literary institute, or other institution for public instruction or amusement.

5 (5) This section shall be deemed to have commenced upon the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

10 (d) (i) by inserting in subsection one of section four hundred and sixty-four after the word "regulate" the words "the delivery, receipt or having in possession for sale or";

Sec. 464.
(Sale of carcasses of animals not slaughtered in abattoir.)

(ii) by omitting from the same subsection the words "or in the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915";

15 (iii) by inserting in subsection (1A) of the same section after the word "regulating" wherever occurring the words "the delivery, receipt or having in possession for sale or";

20 (iv) by omitting from the same subsection the words "or in the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915";

(v) by inserting next after subsection (1A) of the same section the following new subsections:—

25 (1B) In any proceedings under subsection one or (1A) of this section the onus of proof that the carcase or part of a carcase of an animal is the carcase or part of a carcase of an animal slaughtered in the aforesaid

30 abattoirs shall be on the defendant.

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and Meat (Amendment).*

5 (1c) In any proceedings under subsection one of this section proof of the fact that a person has in his possession or on any premises occupied or controlled by him where meat is offered for sale the carcase or part of the carcase of any animal shall be prima facie evidence that such carcase or part thereof is intended for sale to be used as the food of man.

10 **3.** The Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902-1953, is amended— Amendment of Act No. 36, 1902.

15 (a) (i) by inserting in subsection five of section twenty-seven after the word "prescribed" where firstly occurring the words "deliver, receive or have in his possession for sale or"; Sec. 27. (Central abattoirs.)

(ii) by omitting from the same subsection the words "or in the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952";

20 (iii) by inserting in subsection six of the same section after the word "regulating" wherever occurring the words "the delivery, receipt or having in possession for sale or";

25 (iv) by omitting from the same subsection the words "or in the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952";

(b) by inserting at the end of the same section the following new subsections:—

30 (9) In any proceedings under subsection five or six of this section the onus of proof that any carcase or part of a carcase of an animal is the carcase or part of a carcase of an animal slaughtered

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5 slaughtered in the slaughter-house appointed
by the council under subsection one of this sec-
tion as the central abattoir for its area or for
that part, as the case may be, shall be on the
defendant.

10 (10) In any proceedings under subsection five
of this section proof of the fact that a person
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of any animal shall be prima facie evidence that
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to be used as the food of man.

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slaughtered in the slaughterhouse appointed by the council under subsection (a) of this section as the control station for the area or in the slaughterhouse appointed by the council for the area.

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(10)

This Finance Bill originated in the Legislative Assembly, and having been passed, is now ready for presentation to the Executive Council for its concurrence.

ALLAN PICKERING,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Hyderabad, November 1950.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND CATTLE SLAUGHTERING AND DISEASED ANIMALS AND MEAT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1956.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

THE objects of this Bill are—

- (a) to provide that participation in a council's housing scheme or acceptance of a loan from the council for building purposes or investment in a council's loan programme shall not be a disqualification for civic office;
- (b) to increase from five hundred pounds to two thousand pounds the amount of the advance that a council may accept from a ratepayer for the purpose of carrying out works for the ratepayer;
- (c) to make further provision as to the transfer of the assets of schools of arts and other institutions to a council;
- (d) to amend section 464 of the Local Government Act, 1919, and section 27 of the Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902-1953, so as to remove from the provisions respecting the regulation of the sale of meat the exemption granted to meat, sausages, saveloys and other smallgoods from the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952;
- (e) to incorporate in section 464 and section 27 aforesaid evidentiary provisions similar to those in sections 21A (3) and 26A (a) of the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952.

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No. , 1956.

A BILL

To make further provisions as to the regulation of the sale of meat in certain local government areas and the qualifications for civic office; for these and other purposes to amend the Local Government Act, 1919, and the Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts; and for purposes connected therewith.

Local Government and Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat (Amendment).

BE it enacted by the Queen'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 authority of the same, as follows :—

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20 (m) the leasing or the purchase on extended terms of payment from the council by him of dwellings, shops, or other buildings under the provisions of section four hundred and ninety-six of this Act; or

25 (n) the acceptance of an advance from the council by him under the provisions of section 496A of this Act for the purpose of erecting a dwelling or for the purpose of reconditioning, rebuilding, or adding to any existing dwelling; or

30 (o)

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- (o) the making by him of a loan or an advance of money to the council under Division 4 of Part VII of this Act.”;
- 5 (b) by omitting from subsection one of section 178A Sec. 178A. the words “five hundred pounds” and by insert- (Advances for works applied for by rate-payer.) ing in lieu thereof the words “two thousand pounds”;
- 10 (c) by omitting section three hundred and fifty- Subst. sec. seven and the short heading thereto and by 357 and new sec. inserting in lieu thereof the following short 357A. heading and new sections:—

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- 15 357A. (1) The trustees of any institution may, Transfer of assets of school of arts, etc., to council. subject to such conditions as are agreed upon between the council and the trustees and with the approval of the Governor, transfer to the council any real or personal property held by
- 20 them as such trustees.
- (2) Any real or personal property transferred in pursuance of this section shall upon such transfer be freed and discharged from all trusts theretofore affecting such property.
- 25 (3) The council shall, subject to any such condition, apply any real or personal property transferred to it under this section or the proceeds of any sale of any such property, or any income arising from such property or
- 30 proceeds of sale, for any of the purposes of this Part.

(4)

Local Government and Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat (Amendment).

(4) In this section "institution" means mechanics' institute, school of arts, literary institute, or other institution for public instruction or amusement.

5 (5) This section shall be deemed to have commenced upon the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

10 (d) (i) by inserting in subsection one of section four hundred and sixty-four after the word "regulate" the words "the delivery, receipt or having in possession for sale or"; Sec. 464. (Sale of carcasses of animals not slaughtered in abattoir.)

(ii) by omitting from the same subsection the words ", or in the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915";

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20 (iv) by omitting from the same subsection the words "or in the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915";

(v) by inserting next after subsection (1A) of the same section the following new subsections:—

25 (1B) In any proceedings under subsection one or (1A) of this section the onus of proof that the carcase or part of a carcase of an animal is the carcase or part of a carcase of an animal slaughtered in the aforesaid abattoirs shall be on the defendant.

(1C)

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and Meat (Amendment).*

5 (1c) In any proceedings under subsection one of this section proof of the fact that a person has in his possession or on any premises occupied or controlled by him where meat is offered for sale the carcase or part of the carcase of any animal shall be prima facie evidence that such carcase or part thereof is intended for sale to be used as the food of man.

10 **3.** The Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902-1953, is amended— Amendment of Act No. 36, 1902.

15 (a) (i) by inserting in subsection five of section twenty-seven after the word "prescribed" where firstly occurring the words "deliver, receive or have in his possession for sale or"; Sec. 27. (Central abattoirs.)

(ii) by omitting from the same subsection the words "or in the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952,";

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25 (iv) by omitting from the same subsection the words "or in the abattoirs established under the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952";

(b) by inserting at the end of the same section the following new subsections:—

30 (9) In any proceedings under subsection five or six of this section the onus of proof that any carcase or part of a carcase of an animal is the carcase or part of a carcase of an animal slaughtered

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and Meat (Amendment).*

5 slaughtered in the slaughter-house appointed by the council under subsection one of this section as the central abattoir for its area or for that part, as the case may be, shall be on the defendant.

10 (10) In any proceedings under subsection five of this section proof of the fact that a person had in his possession or on any premises occupied or controlled by him where meat is offered for sale the carcase or part of a carcase of any animal shall be prima facie evidence that such carcase or part thereof is intended for sale to be used as the food of man.

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(1) In any proceedings under subsection five of this section proof of the fact that a person had in his possession or on his premises any animal or thing which was liable to be used as the food of man

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New South Wales



ANNO QUINTO

ELIZABETHÆ II REGINÆ

Act No. 36, 1956.

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(6)

*Local Government and Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals
and Meat (Amendment).*

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Amendment
of Act No.
41, 1919.

2. The Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

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(a) by inserting at the end of paragraph (1) of subsection five of section thirty the following word and new paragraphs:—

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Libraries and library services.

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Transfer of assets of school of arts, etc., to council.

(2) Any real or personal property transferred in pursuance of this section shall upon such transfer be freed and discharged from all trusts theretofore affecting such property.

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(1B) In any proceedings under subsection one or (1A) of this section the onus of proof that the carcass or part of a carcass of an animal is the carcass or part of a carcass of an animal slaughtered in the aforesaid abattoirs shall be on the defendant.

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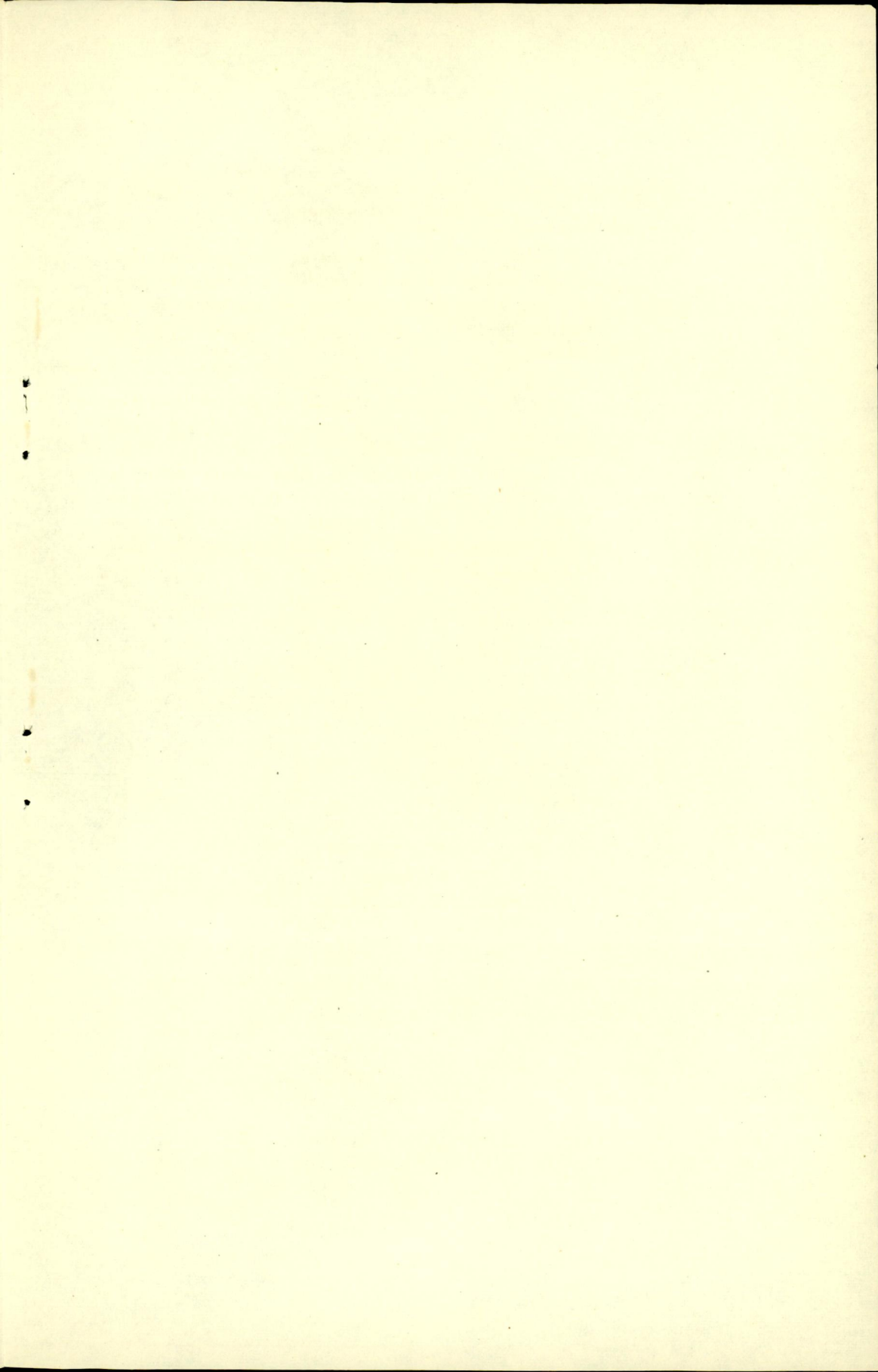
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By Authority:

A. H. PETTIFER, Government Printer, Sydney, 1957.

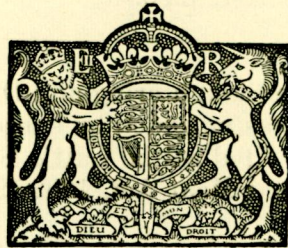


I certify that this PUBLIC BILL, which originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, has finally passed the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL and the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of NEW SOUTH WALES.

ALLAN PICKERING,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 1 November, 1956, A.M.*

New South Wales



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BE

I have examined this Bill, and find it to correspond in all respects with the Bill as finally passed by both Houses.

G. BOOTH,
Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly.

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*In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty I assent to
this Act.*

J. NORTHCOTT,
Governor.

*Government House,
Sydney, 9th November, 1956.*

