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, 8 April, 1964.

New South Wales



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Act No. , 1964.

An Act to make provisions whereby the lighting of traffic routes may be extended and improved; to provide for the constitution of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account; for these and other purposes to amend the Electricity Development Act, 1945–1963, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith.

B^E 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 "Electricity Develop-Short title ment (Amendment) Act, 1964".

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- (2) The Electricity Development Act, 1945, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Electricity Development Act, 1945-1964.
- 2. The Electricity Development Act, 1945, as amended Amendment of Act No. 13, 1946.
 - (a) by inserting in section three next after the matter Sec. 3. relating to Part IV the following new matter: (Division into Parts.)

PART IVA.—TRAFFIC ROUTE LIGHTING—ss. 19a-19e.

- 10 (b) by inserting next after paragraph (c) of subsection Sec. 9.
 one of section nine the following new para- (Powers of Authority.)
 - (ci) to promote the installation, extension and improvement of the lighting of public roads and without limiting the generality of the foregoing to exercise the powers and authorities conferred by Part IVA of this Act on the Authority in relation to the installation, extension and improvement of the lighting of traffic routes;
 - (c) by inserting next after section nineteen the following New Part new Part:—

PART IVA.

TRAFFIC ROUTE LIGHTING.

25 19A. In this Part—

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Interpretation.

"Council" means a council of an area under the Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts.

"Traffic

"Traffic route" means a public road within the meaning of the Local Government Act. 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts,-

- (a) which has been proclaimed or declared as a main or secondary road under the Main Roads Act. 1924, as amended by subsequent Acts: or
- (b) which, if not so proclaimed or declared, the Authority has, by reason of the volume of vehicular pedestrian traffic carried thereon, determined requires lighting to a standard approved by the Authority.

19B. (1) There shall be constituted an account Traffic in the Special Deposits Account in the Treasury to Route be called the "Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Subsidy Account" consisting of such moneys as are required Account. to be paid into that Account by this Part of this Act.

(2) The Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account shall be used only for the purposes authorised by this Act and the provisions of subsection two of section sixteen and section nineteen of this Act shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to and in respect of that Account.

19c. (1) The Commissioner for Main Roads Payments shall on or before the thirtieth day of June in the to Traffic year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and Lighting every year thereafter pay into the Traffic Route Subsidy Account. Lighting Subsidy Account an amount equal to onethird of one per centum of the moneys received by

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the Commissioner for Main Roads from the Treasurer pursuant to paragraph (a) of subsection one of section ten and paragraph (a) of subsection one of section twenty of the Main Roads Act, 1924, as amended by subsequent Acts, during the year ended the thirtieth day of June preceding the thirtieth day of June on or before which such payment is to be made.

No payment by the Commissioner for Main Roads shall in respect of any one year exceed the sum of seventy-five thousand pounds.

(2) The Electricity Commission of New South Wales shall in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and every year thereafter pay to the Treasurer for credit of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account an amount equal to the amount required by subsection one of this section to be paid into that Account by the Commissioner for Main Roads in the same year.

The amount so to be paid by the Electricity Commission of New South Wales shall be paid in such sum or sums at such time or times and in such manner as the Minister may from time to time by notices to the said Commission require.

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19D. (1) The Authority may with the approval Payments of of the Minister out of the Traffic Route Lighting subsidies Subsidy Account grant annual subsidies to councils Account. for the lighting, to a standard approved by the Authority, of traffic routes.

(2) Before granting any subsidy as aforesaid the Authority may require a council to enter into an agreement with the Authority to secure the carrying out of the purposes for which, and the terms and conditions upon and subject to which, such subsidy is granted.

19E. (1) Where a subsidy is granted to a council Contribuunder this Part of this Act for the lighting of traffic tion towards subsidy by routes within its area the electricity supply authority Electricity 20 (including an electricity supply authority being a Supply Authorities. council) for that area shall contribute annually towards the annual charges for such lighting an amount equal to the amount of the subsidy payable 25 annually to the council by the Authority under section 19D of this Act.

(2) A council may, notwithstanding the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts, charge the contribution payable by it under subsection one of this section against the Electricity Works Trading Fund established by the council under that Act, as so amended.

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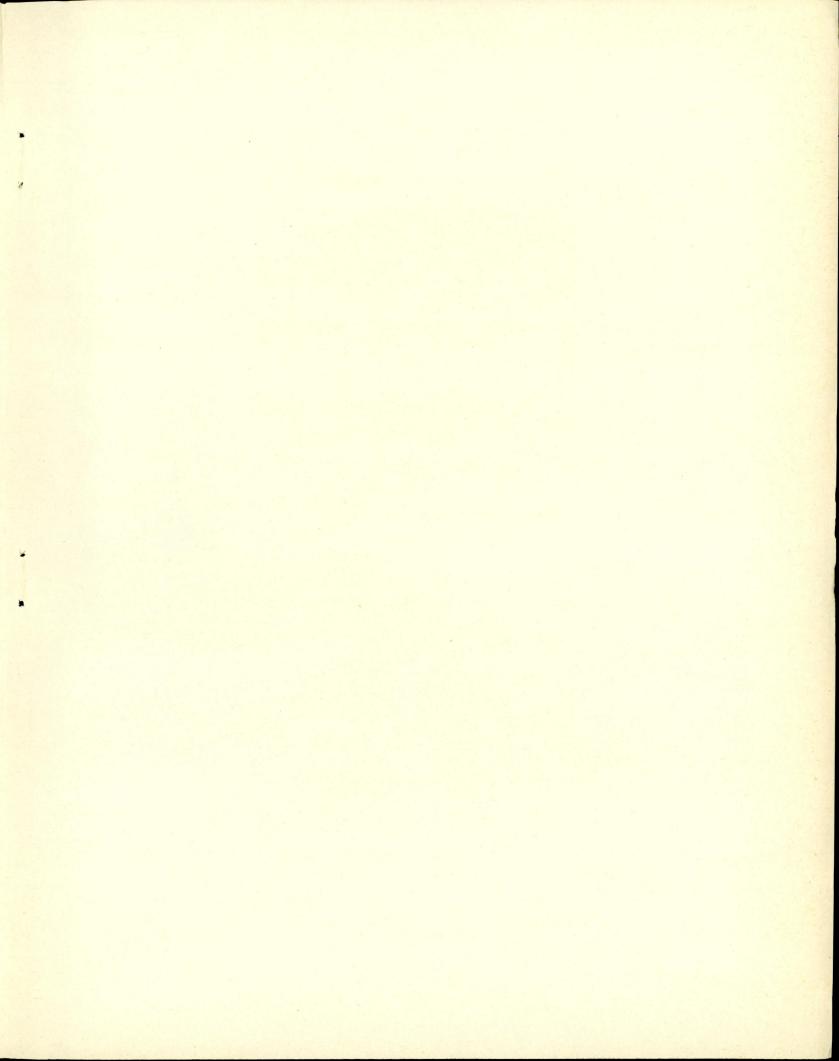
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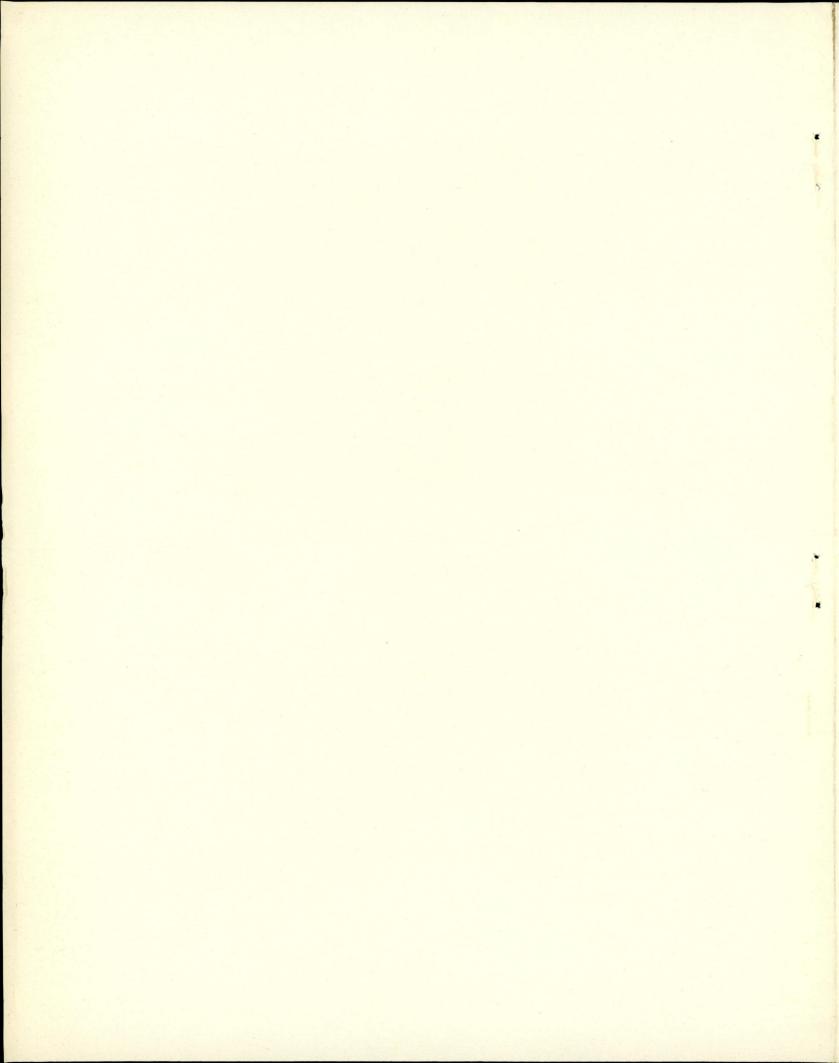
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BY AUTHORITY:

V. C. N. BLIGHT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES—1964 [8d.]





A BILL

To make provisions whereby the lighting of traffic routes may be extended and improved; to provide for the constitution of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account; for these and other purposes to amend the Electricity Development Act, 1945–1963, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith.

[Mr. HILLS;—1 April, 1964.]

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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- 19B. (1) There shall be constituted an account Traffic in the Special Deposits Account in the Treasury to Route be called the "Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Subsidy Subsidy Account" consisting of such moneys as are required Account. to be paid into that Account by this Part of this Act.
- (2) The Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account shall be used only for the purposes authorised by this Act and the provisions of subsection two of section sixteen and section nineteen of this Act shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to and in respect of that Account.
- 19c. (1) The Commissioner for Main Roads Payments shall on or before the thirtieth day of June in the to Traffic year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and Lighting every year thereafter pay into the Traffic Route Subsidy Account. Lighting Subsidy Account an amount equal to onethird of one per centum of the moneys received by

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(2) The Electricity Commission of New South Wales shall in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and every year thereafter pay to the Treasurer for credit of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account an amount equal to the amount required by subsection one of this section to be paid into that Account by the Commissioner for Main Roads in the same year.

The amount so to be paid by the Electricity Commission of New South Wales shall be paid in such sum or sums at such time or times and in such manner as the Minister may from time to time by notices to the said Commission require.

(3) On or before the thirtieth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and every year thereafter the Treasurer shall pay into the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account out of moneys provided by Parliament an amount equal to the amount required by subsection one of this section to be paid into that Account by the Commissioner for Main Roads in the same year.

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- 19D. (1) The Authority may with the approval Payments of of the Minister out of the Traffic Route Lighting subsidies out of Subsidy Account grant annual subsidies to councils out of Account. for the lighting, to a standard approved by the Authority, of traffic routes.
- (2) Before granting any subsidy as aforesaid the Authority may require a council to enter into an agreement with the Authority to secure the carrying out of the purposes for which, and the terms and conditions upon and subject to which, such subsidy is granted.
- 19E. (1) Where a subsidy is granted to a council Contribuunder this Part of this Act for the lighting of traffic routes within its area the electricity supply authority Electricity (including an electricity supply authority being a council) for that area shall contribute annually towards the annual charges for such lighting an amount equal to the amount of the subsidy payable annually to the council by the Authority under section 19D of this Act.

(2) A council may, notwithstanding the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts, charge the contribution payable by it under subsection one of this section against the Electricity Works Trading Fund established by the council under that Act, as so amended.

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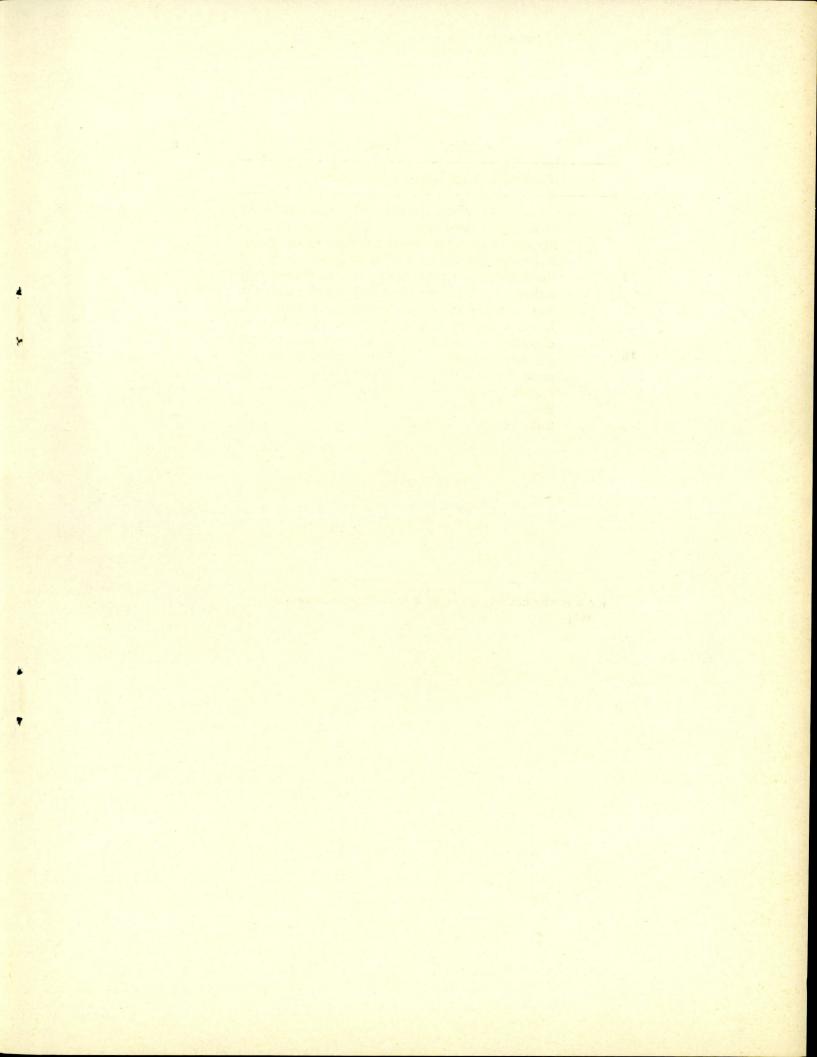
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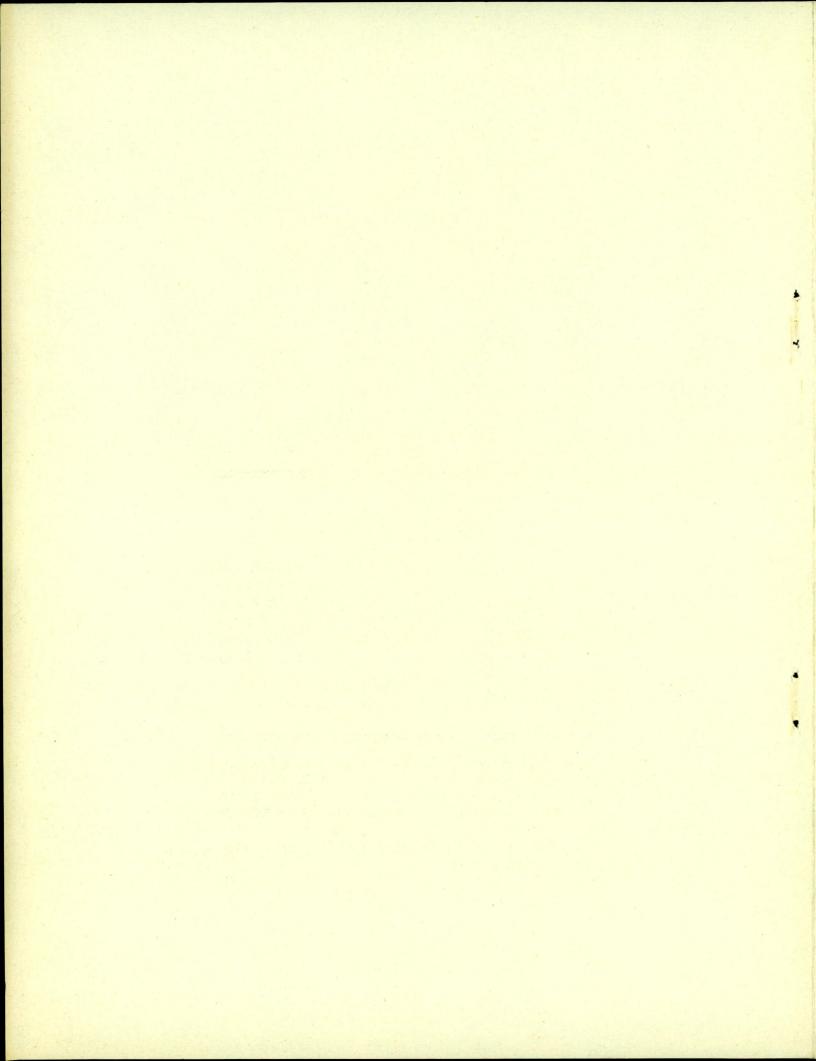
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BY AUTHORITY:

V. C. N. BLIGHT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES—1964

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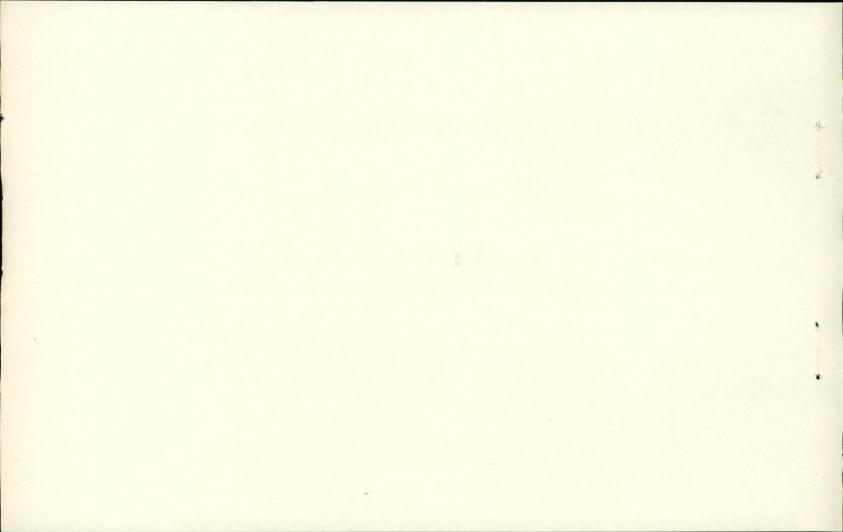


ELECTRICITY DEVELOPMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1964.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

THE object of this Bill is to make provisions whereby the lighting of traffic routes may be extended and improved. To this end provision is made for—

- (a) the establishment of an account in the Special Deposits Account in the Treasury to be called the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account;
- (b) the making of equal annual payments thereto by the Commissioner for Main Roads, the Electricity Commission of New South Wales and the Treasurer, and from the Local Government Assistance Fund:
- (c) the granting by the Electricity Authority out of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account of annual subsidies to city, municipal or shire councils for the lighting of traffic routes to a standard approved by the Authority;
- (d) the payment of an annual contribution by the electricity supply authority concerned equal to the amount of such subsidies, such contribution to be applied to the lighting of traffic routes.



A BILL

To make provisions whereby the lighting of traffic routes may be extended and improved; to provide for the constitution of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account; for these and other purposes to amend the Electricity Development Act, 1945–1963, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith.

[MR. HILLS;—1 April, 1964.]

B^E 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 "Electricity Develop-Short title ment (Amendment) Act, 1964".

- (2) The Electricity Development Act, 1945, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Electricity Development Act, 1945-1964.
- 2. The Electricity Development Act, 1945, as amended Amendment 5 by subsequent Acts, is amended— 13, 1946.
 - (a) by inserting in section three next after the matter Sec. 3. relating to Part IV the following new matter: into Parts.)

PART IVA.—TRAFFIC ROUTE LIGHTING—ss. 19A-19E.

- (b) by inserting next after paragraph (c) of subsection Sec. 9. 10 one of section nine the following new para- (Powers of Authority.) graph: -
 - (ci) to promote the installation, extension and improvement of the lighting of public roads and without limiting the generality of the foregoing to exercise the powers and authorities conferred by Part IVA of this Act on the Authority in relation to the installation, extension and improvement of the lighting of traffic routes;
 - (c) by inserting next after section nineteen the following New Part IVA. new Part: -

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19A. In this Part-

Interpretation.

"Council" means a council of an area under the Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts.

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Electricity Development (Amendment).

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- 19c. (1) The Commissioner for Main Roads Payments shall on or before the thirtieth day of June in the to Traffic year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and Lighting 30 every year thereafter pay into the Traffic Route Subsidy Account. Lighting Subsidy Account an amount equal to onethird of one per centum of the moneys received by the

the Commissioner for Main Roads from the Treasurer pursuant to paragraph (a) of subsection one of section ten and paragraph (a) of subsection one of section twenty of the Main Roads Act, 1924, as amended by subsequent Acts, during the year ended the thirtieth day of June preceding the thirtieth day of June on or before which such payment is to be made.

No payment by the Commissioner for Main Roads shall in respect of any one year exceed the sum of seventy-five thousand pounds.

(2) The Electricity Commission of New South Wales shall in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and every year thereafter pay to the Treasurer for credit of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account an amount equal to the amount required by subsection one of this section to be paid into that Account by the Commissioner for Main Roads in the same year.

The amount so to be paid by the Electricity Commission of New South Wales shall be paid in such sum or sums at such time or times and in such manner as the Minister may from time to time by notices to the said Commission require.

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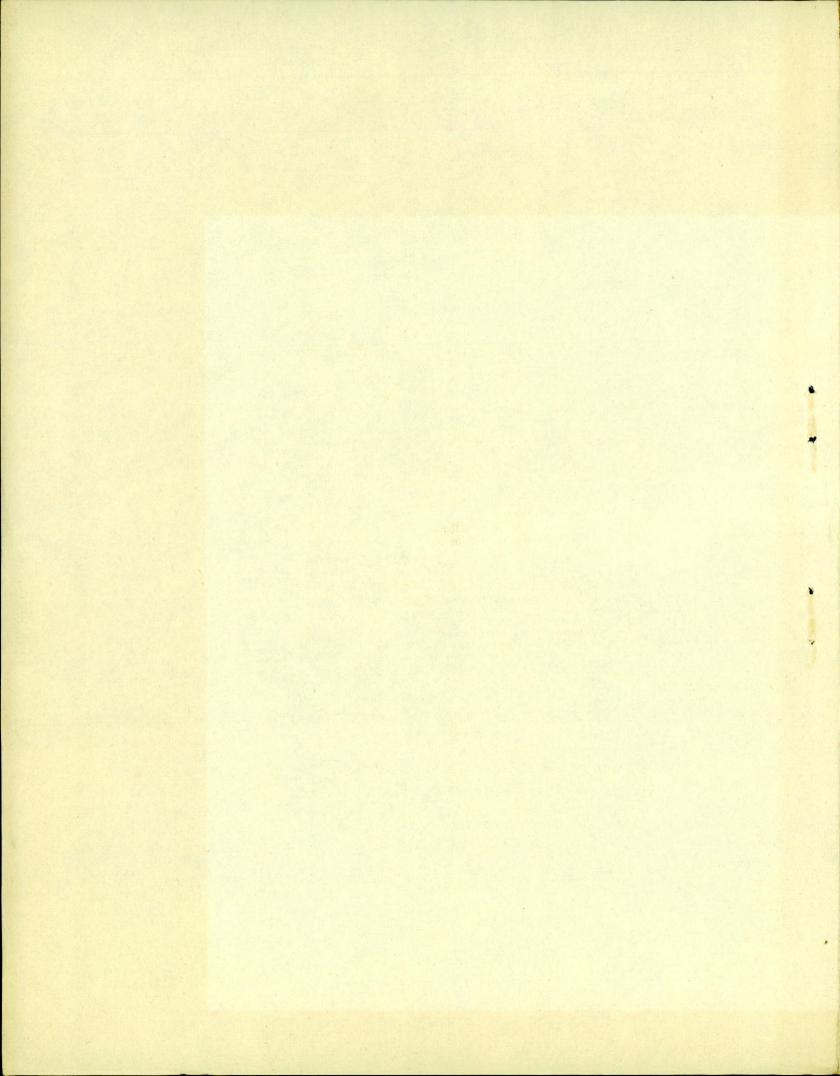
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BY AUTHORITY:
V. C. N. BLIGHT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES—1964



New South Wales



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Act No. 22, 1964.

An Act to make provisions whereby the lighting of traffic routes may be extended and improved; to provide for the constitution of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account; for these and other purposes to amend the Electricity Development Act, 1945-1963, and certain other Acts: and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 12th May, 1964.1

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) This Act may be cited as the "Electricity Develop- Short title ment (Amendment) Act. 1964".

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Amendment of Act No. 13, 1946.

2. The Electricity Development Act, 1945, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

Sec. 3. (Division into Parts.)

(a) by inserting in section three next after the matter relating to Part IV the following new matter:—

PART IVA.—Traffic Route Lighting—ss. 19a–19e.

Sec. 9. (Powers of Authority.)

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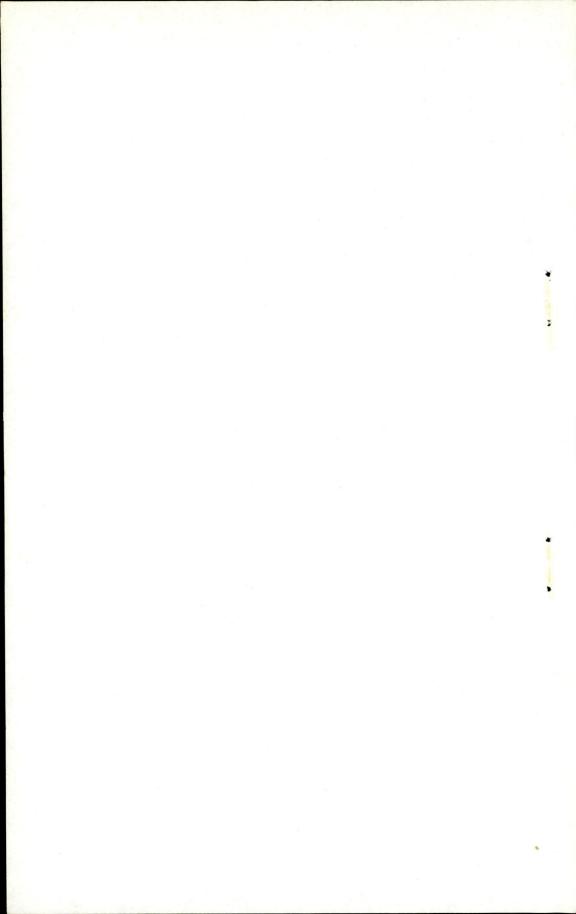
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BY AUTHORITY:
V. C. N. BLIGHT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES—1964



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, 28 April, 1964.

New South Wales



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An Act to make provisions whereby the lighting of traffic routes may be extended and improved; to provide for the constitution of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account; for these and other purposes to amend the Electricity Development Act, 1945–1963, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 12th May, 1964.]

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 "Electricity Develop-Short title ment (Amendment) Act, 1964".

(2)

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

HOWARD T. FOWLES,

Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly.

(2) The Electricity Development Act, 1945, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the Electricity Development Act, 1945-1964.

Amendment of Act No. 13, 1946. 2. The Electricity Development Act, 1945, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

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TRAFFIC ROUTE LIGHTING.

Interpretation. 19A. In this Part—

"Council" means a council of an area under the Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts.

"Traffic

"Traffic route" means a public road within the meaning of the Local Government Act. 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts,—

- (a) which has been proclaimed or declared as a main or secondary road under the Main Roads Act. 1924, as amended by subsequent Acts; or
- (b) which, if not so proclaimed or declared, the Authority has, by reason of the volume of vehicular pedestrian traffic carried thereon, determined requires lighting to a standard approved by the Authority.
- 19B. (1) There shall be constituted an account Traffic in the Special Deposits Account in the Treasury to Route be called the "Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Subsidy Subsidy Account" consisting of such moneys as are required Account. to be paid into that Account by this Part of this Act.

- (2) The Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account shall be used only for the purposes authorised by this Act and the provisions of subsection two of section sixteen and section nineteen of this Act shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to and in respect of that Account.
- 19c. (1) The Commissioner for Main Roads Payments shall on or before the thirtieth day of June in the to Traffic year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and Lighting every year thereafter pay into the Traffic Route Subsidy Lighting Subsidy Account an amount equal to onethird of one per centum of the moneys received by

the Commissioner for Main Roads from the Treasurer pursuant to paragraph (a) of subsection one of section ten and paragraph (a) of subsection one of section twenty of the Main Roads Act, 1924, as amended by subsequent Acts, during the year ended the thirtieth day of June preceding the thirtieth day of June on or before which such payment is to be made.

No payment by the Commissioner for Main Roads shall in respect of any one year exceed the sum of seventy-five thousand pounds.

(2) The Electricity Commission of New South Wales shall in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and every year thereafter pay to the Treasurer for credit of the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account an amount equal to the amount required by subsection one of this section to be paid into that Account by the Commissioner for Main Roads in the same year.

The amount so to be paid by the Electricity Commission of New South Wales shall be paid in such sum or sums at such time or times and in such manner as the Minister may from time to time by notices to the said Commission require.

- (3) On or before the thirtieth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and every year thereafter the Treasurer shall pay into the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account out of moneys provided by Parliament an amount equal to the amount required by subsection one of this section to be paid into that Account by the Commissioner for Main Roads in the same year.
- (4) On or before the thirtieth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four and every year thereafter there shall be paid into the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account from the Local Government Assistance Fund in the Special

Special Deposits Account in the Treasury such amount (being not less than the amount required by subsection one of this section to be paid into the Traffic Route Lighting Subsidy Account by the Commissioner for Main Roads in the same year) as may be determined by the Minister.

19D. (1) The Authority may with the approval Payments of of the Minister out of the Traffic Route Lighting subsidies Subsidy Account grant annual subsidies to councils Account. for the lighting, to a standard approved by the Authority, of traffic routes.

- (2) Before granting any subsidy as aforesaid the Authority may require a council to enter into an agreement with the Authority to secure the carrying out of the purposes for which, and the terms and conditions upon and subject to which, such subsidy is granted.
- 19E. (1) Where a subsidy is granted to a council Contribuunder this Part of this Act for the lighting of traffic tion towards routes within its area the electricity supply authority Electricity (including an electricity supply authority being a Supply Authorities. council) for that area shall contribute annually towards the annual charges for such lighting an amount equal to the amount of the subsidy payable annually to the council by the Authority under section 19D of this Act.

(2) A council may, notwithstanding the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts, charge the contribution payable by it under subsection one of this section against the Electricity Works Trading Fund established by the council under that Act, as so amended.

(3) Where the electricity supply authority is a person with whom a council has made an agreement to supply electric current to the public as provided in section four hundred and twenty of the Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts, the electricity supply authority may, notwithstanding the terms of such agreement, increase charges to consumers for the supply of electricity so that the amount by which such charges are increased shall be sufficient to reimburse the electricity supply authority the contribution it is required to make annually under subsection one of this section towards the annual charges for lighting traffic routes.

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

K. W. STREET, By Deputation from His Excellency the Governor.

Government House, Sydney, 12th May, 1964.

