CORONERS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1967

EXPLANATORY NOTE

THE object of this Bill is to enable a coroner, justice or justices, before whom an inquest or magisterial inquiry is being, or is to be, held to furnish a copy of any medical report received by him relating to the death of the deceased person to a relative of the deceased person or to any other interested person.

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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.

I. P. K. VIDLER, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 3 October, 1967.

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BY AUTHORITY:

V. C. N. BLIGHT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, NEW SOUTH WALES-1967

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

> I. P. K. VIDLER, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 24 October, 1967.





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

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

A. R. CUTLER,

Governor.

Government House, Sydney, 30th October, 1967.

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