

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, 11 December, 1968.*

New South Wales



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SYDNEY COUNTY COUNCIL (ELECTIONS) BILL, 1968

EXPLANATORY NOTE

THE objects of this Bill are—

- (a) to ensure that elections for the Sydney County Council are held within two months after 7th December, 1968;
- (b) to make provisions consequential upon or ancillary to the foregoing.

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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.

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

A. R. CUTLER,
Governor.

*Government House,
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