Legislative Council.

23º VICTORIÆ, 1860.

A BILL

To repeal certain Imperial Enactments as to modes of proof in certain cases.

[Presented by The Attorney General, 16 May, 1860.]

THEREAS by the Imperial Act twenty-second and twenty-third Preamble. Victoria chapter twelve power is given to the Colonial Legislature to repeal alter or amend certain provisions relating to the modes of Proof by Affidavit or Declaration in certain cases contained in the 5 Imperial Acts fifty-fourth George the Third chapter fifteen and fifth and sixth William the Fourth chapter sixty-two so far as they apply to this Colony And whereas it is expedient to repeal the said provisions Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative 10 Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled and by the

authority of the same as follows:-

1. The first second and third sections of the Imperial Act fifty- 54 Geo. 3 c. 15 s. fourth George the Third chapter fifteen and the fifteenth and seven- W. 4 teenth sections of the Imperial Act fifth and sixth William the Fourth

15 chapter sixty-two so far as they apply to this Colony and also the first section of the Act of this Colony twentieth Victoria number thirtyone are hereby repealed.

2. Nothing herein contained shall prejudice or affect the validity Not to affect proceedings already of any Affidavit or Declaration lawfully made before the passing of this taken 20 Act or any proceeding lawfully taken or any act lawfully done under or by virtue or in consequence of any such Affidavit or Declaration.

3. This Act shall be styled and may be cited as the "Proof by Short Title, " Declaration Amendment Act of 1860."

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