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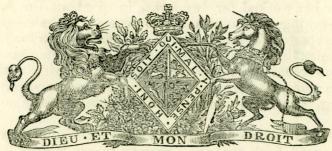
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7. Section sixty-four of the Principal Act is hereby repealed.

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.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 25 October, 1900, A.M. F. W. WEBB, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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

FREDK. M. DARLEY, Lieutenant-Governor.

Government House, Sydney, 5th November, 1900.

COAL MINES REGULATION ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

SCHEDULE of the Amendments referred to in Message of 18th October, 1900.

Page 2, clause 4, lines 15 and 16. Omit "Section sixty-four of the Principal Act is hereby repealed and "the following section substituted therefor"

Page 2. After clause 6 insert new clause 7.

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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.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,

F. W. WEBB, Sydney, 13 September, 1900. S Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

The LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL has this day agreed to this Bill with Amendments.

Legislative Council Chamber, Sydney, 18th October, 1900. JOHN J. CALVERT, Clerk of the Parliaments.

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Repeal of section

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 $Legislative \ Assembly \ Chamber, \ Sydney, 13 \ September, 1900. \}$

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