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.

W. S. MOWLE, Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 13 April, 1916.

New South Wales.



ANNO SEXTO

GEORGII V REGIS.

Act No. 23, 1916.

An Act to carry out an agreement dated the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, made between the then Minister for Public Works and the Electrolytic Refining and Smelting Company, with regard to wharfage rates at Port Kembla on certain goods; to extend the terms of that agreement to include all crude ores; to amend the Port Kembla Harbour Act, 1898; and for purposes consequent thereon. [Assented to, 19th April, 1916.]

WHEREAS by an agreement, dated the fifth day of Preamble.
August, one thousand nine hundred and nine,
between the then Minister for Public Works and
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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.

THOS. H. THROWER, Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly. Port Kembla Wharfage and Tonnage Rates Amendment.

the Electrolytic Refining and Smelting Company of Australia, Limited, the said Minister agreed, inter alia, that he would introduce a Bill to provide that the wharfage rates on certain goods to be charged to and paid by the said company from the first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, should not exceed those set out in the Schedule hereto: And whereas it is deemed expedient to extend the terms of that agreement to all crude ores: Be it therefore enacted by the King'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:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Port Kembla Wharfage and Tonnage Rates Amendment Act, 1916."

Rates to be paid by the Electrolytic Company. 2. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Port Kembla Harbour Act, 1898, the wharfage rates payable by the Electrolytic Refining and Smelting Company of Australia, Limited, from the first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, in respect of any of the goods mentioned in the first column of the Schedule to this Act landed on or laden from any wharf or jetty mentioned in section four of the said Act, shall not exceed the amounts set opposite the same respectively in the second column of the said Schedule.

THE SCHEDULE.

Description of Goods.	Rate.
Mattes copper precipitates blister copper rough and refined copper concentrates, and furnace products.	Inwards, 9d. per ton; outwards, $4\frac{1}{2}$ d. per ton.
Copper ore and all other crude ores ironstone limestone and other fluxes.	Inwards and outwards, $4\frac{1}{2}$ d. per ton.

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

G. STRICKLAND,

Government House, Sydney, 19th April, 1916. Governor.

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.

W. S. MOWLE, Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 31 March, 1916.

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