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[CONFIDENTIAL.]

(Rough Draft for Consideration Only.)

No. , 1932.

A BILL

To validate the title to a certain homestead selection.

DE it 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:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Crown Lands Short title. (Homestead Selection) Validation Act, 1932."

2. (1) The notification dated the twenty-first day Validation of of July, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, appearing notification and of title. in the Gazette No. 130 of the same date at page 4242, purporting to forfeit the interest of William George Ellenden in Homestead Selection No. 1907/4, Land District of Armidale, of sixty-five acres one rood, and embracing

embracing portion 396, Parish of Metz, County of Sandon, Shire of Dumaresq, shall as from the date of the said notification be deemed to be an effective forfeiture of the said William George Ellenden's interest in such Homestead Selection.

- (2) The Homestead Grant to William George Ellenden, registered volume 2366, folio 79, in the office of the Registrar-General is hereby cancelled and the Registrar-General shall note the fact of such cancellation thereon.
- (3) The title of Ernest Herbert James Edgar to Homestead Selection 1917/1, Land District of Armidale, now comprising the same portion shall be deemed to be as valid as if the land therein comprised had on the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, been Crown land available for application for homestead selection.