

GAMING AND BETTING (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1954.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

THE object of this Bill is to enable the Minister to authorise the holding of additional race meetings upon certain licensed racecourses.

Such meetings are to be held in aid of such charitable or public purposes as the Minister may approve.

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[CONFIDENTIAL]
[Rough Draft for Consideration Only.]

No. , 1954.

A BILL

To make provision for the holding of certain additional race meetings for charitable or public purposes; for this purpose to amend the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1953; and for purposes connected therewith.

BE it enacted by the Queen'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
5 the same, as follows :—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Gaming and Betting (Amendment) Act, 1954." Short title and citation.

(2) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912, as amended by subsequent Acts and by this Act, may be cited as the
10 Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1954.

Gaming and Betting (Amendment).

2. The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1953, is amended by inserting next after subsection (5B) of section fifty-one the following new subsection:—

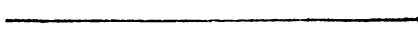
Amendment of Act No. 25, 1912. Sec. 51. (Limitation of race meetings.) Additional meetings for charitable or public purposes.

5 (5c) (a) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act the Minister may authorise the holding of additional race meetings as hereinafter provided for such charitable or public purposes as he may approve.

10 The additional meetings which may be so authorised shall be as follows:—

- 15 (i) two additional meetings for horse racing in any year on any racecourse referred to in paragraph (c) of subsection three of this section;
- (ii) such additional number of meetings for trotting races or contests in any year as the Minister may approve, on any racecourse referred to in paragraph (a) of subsection five of this section;
- 20 (iii) two additional meetings for trotting races or contests in any year on any licensed racecourse situated beyond forty miles from the General Post Office, Sydney, but within sixty-five miles of such Post Office;
- 25 (iv) such additional number of meetings for greyhound-racing in any year as the Minister may approve, on any racecourse referred to in paragraph (b) of subsection (5B) of this section.

30 (b) Any additional race meetings held for the charitable or public purposes approved by the Minister on any racecourse pursuant to the provisions of this subsection shall not be taken into account in determining the number of race meetings which may be held on such racecourse pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this section.



Supply Bill, 1955.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

THE purpose of this Bill is to make provision for expenditure by the Government during the months of October and November, 1955, from the Funds and in the amounts as follows:—

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Consolidated Revenue Fund	14,721,600
Government Railways Fund	11,129,200
Road Transport and Traffic Fund	303,800
Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund	2,084,700
Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund	238,100
Sydney Harbour Trust Fund	326,200
Sydney Harbour Trust Renewals Fund	89,700

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