

[CONFIDENTIAL.]

(Rough Draft for Consideration Only.)

No. , 1923.

A BILL

To render admissible as evidence in certain cases notices of transfers given under the Local Government Act, 1919; to amend that Act; and for purposes connected therewith.

BE 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 "Local Government Short title. (Amendment) Act, 1923," and shall be read and construed with the Local Government Act, 1919, herein referred to as the Principal Act.

2. The Principal Act is amended by the addition to section one hundred and sixty-three of the following new subsection :—

(3) Where the value of land is an issue to be determined in any court, a notice under this section, coming from the custody of the council, may, if the transfer to which the notice relates is, in the opinion of the court, material to be considered, be received as prima facie evidence of the contents thereof, without proof of the signature of the person by whom the notice purports to have been signed.
