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No. , 1916.

A BILL

To validate certain notifications with regard to the cancellation of certain leases ; and to declare the law with regard to certain notifications signed by Ministers of the Crown.

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 "Mining Leases Short title. Cancellation (Validation) Act, 1916."

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Mining Leases Cancellation (Validation).

2. Every notification published in the Gazette purporting to be under the provisions of the Mining Act, 1906, or any Act thereby repealed, or under any regulations made under those Acts, of the cancellation, forfeiture, or voidance of any lease shall be deemed to have had the effect of cancelling, forfeiting, or voiding such lease at the date of such publication.

Validation of certain notifications.

3. Any notification in the Gazette, made before the commencement of this Act, which purports to have been signed by a person who at the time of signing was a Minister of the Crown shall be deemed to have been signed by him as such Minister, although his official character does not appear in such notification or is not added to his signature.

Signature of Minister to notification.

