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No. , 1921.

A BILL

To sanction the construction of a high tension electric transmission line from the Avon Dam to the towns of Mittagong, Bowral, and Moss Vale; to amend the Public Works Act, 1912; and for purposes connected therewith.

[MR. ESTELL;— *December, 1921.*]

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
5 the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Mittagong, Bowral, and Moss Vale Transmission Line Act, 1921." Short title.

Works
authorised.

2. The carrying out of the works described in the Schedule is hereby authorised, and the Minister for Public Works is authorised to carry out the said works.

Cost.

3. The cost of carrying out the said works, exclusive of land resumptions, is estimated at thirty-two thousand 5 pounds, and shall not, under any circumstances, be exceeded by more than ten per centum.

Works may
be con-
structed on
roads, &c.

4. Electric transmission lines, conduits, and other works may be placed or carried on, over, through, under, along, across, or by the side of any lands, street, road, 10 bridge, viaduct, railway, waters, or watercourse.

Amendment
of Public
Works Act,
1912.

5. For the purposes of this Act, but not otherwise, the Public Works Act, 1912, is amended by inserting after section four thereof the following:—

4A. The provisions of this Act relating to the 15 acquisition of land shall also apply to the acquisition of any easement, right, or privilege in, over, or affecting any land.

SCHEDULE

THE works comprise the construction of a high tension transmission 20 line to convey electricity from the Port Kembla Power Station to the Southern Highlands, including the towns of Mittagong, Bowral, and Moss Vale, for power and lighting purposes, with the necessary sub-stations.

The transmission line will commence at the Avon Dam and run in a 25 westerly direction for $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles to a point near the Main Southern Railway line about 2 miles north of Yerringbool Railway Station, then turning to the south-south-east and following generally the direction of the Main Southern Railway for $11\frac{1}{2}$ miles to a sub-station site situated on the dividing boundary of the municipalities of Mittagong and Bowral, 30 thence continuing further for about 6 miles to a point on the Moss Vale municipal boundary at Wingecarribee Creek, approximately at its junction with the Great Southern road.

The total length of transmission line from Avon to Moss Vale is 35 approximately 22 miles. The construction will be bare copper conductors supported on insulators attached to hardwood poles spaced approximately 400 feet apart.

The works to be subject to such modifications and deviations as the Constructing Authority may deem necessary.