[CONFIDENTIAL.]

(Rough Draft for Consideration Only.)

No. , 1920.

A BILL

To make further provision for the imposition of taxes on motor vehicles; and to amend the Motor Vehicle (Taxation) Act, 1916.

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 "Motor Vehicle Short title. Taxation (Amendment) Act, 1920."

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2. The Motor Vehicle (Taxation) Act, 1916, is amended as follows:—

is Amendment of No. 64, 1916.

Sec. 2.

(1) Section two:—

(a) In the definition of "motor vehicle" omit all words after "means" and insert in lieu of No. 5, thereof "any motor car, motor carriage, motor cycle, or other vehicle under five tons unladen propelled upon any public street as defined by the Motor Traffic Act, 1909, wholly or partly by any volatile spirit, steam, oil, or electricity, or by any means other than animal power, but shall not mean or include any vehicle used on any railway or tramway."

(b) In the definition of "Public motor car" omit "or the 'Irrigation Act, 1912'"; after "1906" insert "the Local Government Act, 1919"; after "any of those Acts" insert "and regularly used for such purpose on a specified route at separate fares for each

passenger."

(c) In the definition of "Registration" after "means" omit the word "registration" and insert in lieu thereof "licence;" after "1900

or "insert "registration under."

(d) In the definition of "taxi-cab" omit all words after "means" and insert in lieu thereof "motor cab licensed under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900, or a motor vehicle not an omnibus licensed or registered as a taxicab under the Local Government Act, 1919, or any Act amending any of those Acts, and regularly engaged in plying for hire from any stand appointed in any public street as defined by the Motor Traffic Act, 1909."

(2) Section three: After "volatile spirit" insert Sec. 3.

"or any form of gas."

(3) Section four: At the end of the section after Sec. 4. "sixteen" insert "at the time of the issue of the certificate of registration or licence and at each renewal thereof respectively."

(4) Schedule: After "volatile spirit" insert "or Schedule.

gas"; after "electricity" insert "or steam."