No. , 1929.

A BILL

To sanction the construction of nurses' quarters at the Royal North Shore Hospital of Sydney; to amend the Public Works Act, 1912, and the Royal North Shore Hospital of Sydney (Nurses' Accommodation) Act, 1928; and for purposes connected therewith.

[MR. BUTTENSHAW; — March, 1929.]

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 Short title.

5 the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Royal North Shore Hospital of Sydney (Nurses' Accommodation) Act, 1929."

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Work qantioned.

2. (1) The work described in the Schedule to this Act is hereby sanctioned in lieu of the work sanctioned by the Royal North Shore Hospital of Sydney (Nurses' Accommodation) Act, 1928, so far as the same has not been carried out, and the Secretary for Public Works is 5 empowered to carry out the work sanctioned by this section.

(2) The provisions of sections thirty-four, thirty-five, thirty-six, and thirty-seven of the Public Works Act, 1912, shall not apply to the said work, but subject, 10 as aforesaid, the work shall be carried out under the provisions of that Act.

3. (1) The plan of the said work is the plan marked "Royal North Shore Hospital, Nurses' Quarters," signed by the Secretary for Public Works and counter-15 signed by the Government Architect, and deposited in the public office of the said secretary.

(2) The work shall be carried out in accordance with the plan referred to in this section, subject to such minor alterations and modifications as to the said 20

secretary shall deem expedient and proper.

(3) The cost of carrying out the said work is estimated at forty-six thousand seven hundred pounds, and such estimated cost shall not, under any circumstances, be exceeded by more than ten per centum, and 25 shall be defrayed out of funds provided by Parliament.

SCHEDULE.

THE construction of a building of simple design in brick, five storeys in height. The accommodation consists of one hundred and ninety-one bedrooms for nurses and domestics, also matron's suite. The building 30 will be of fire-proof construction throughout and provision is made for lifts, fire escapes, and lavatory accommodation. Recreation and two dining-rooms, kitchen, and laundryette are included. All will be subject to such modification as the Constructing Authority may think desirable.