No. , 1916.

A BILL

To sanction the construction and equipment of works for the manufacture of Portland Cement at Carlos Gap; and for purposes consequent thereon and incidental thereto.

[Mr. Cann; , 1916.]

WHEREAS in accordance with the provisions of Preamble. the Public Works Act, 1912, the Legislative Assembly did, by resolution, declare that it was expedient to carry out a certain work, namely, the establishing and equipping of works for the manufacture of Portland cement at a site at Carlos Gap : And whereas, on the passing of the said resolution, a statutory duty was by the said Act imposed on the Minister to 61597 889— introduce

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introduce a Bill into the said Assembly to sanction the carrying out of the said works: Be it therefore 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 "State Cement Act, short title. 1916."

2. The carrying out of the works (more particularly work described in the Schedule to this Act) is hereby sanctioned. sanctioned, and the Minister for Public Works, or the member of the Executive Council for the time being performing the duties of the said Minister, is hereby authorised to undertake and carry out the said work, subject to the provisions of this Act, and for that purpose shall be and shall have the powers of a Constructing Authority within the meaning of the Public Works Act, 1912.

3. The plan of the said work is the plan marked The plan. "State Cement Works (Carlos Gap)," signed by the Minister for Public Works and countersigned by the Director-General of Public Works, and deposited in the public office of the said Minister.

4. The cost of carrying out the said work, estimated Cost, and at ninety-three thousand eight hundred and twenty-how to be defrayed from such Loan Votes as are now or may hereafter be applicable to the purpose, or from appropriations of the Public Works Fund, or partly from such votes and partly from such appropriations, and shall not, under any circumstances, exceed the estimated cost by more than ten per centum.

SCHEDULE.

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