

**TAREE-WINGHAM WATER SUPPLY ADMINISTRATION  
(AMENDMENT) BILL, 1953.**

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE.**

THE purpose of this Bill is to ratify an agreement for the variation of the agreement made between the Minister for Public Works and the Councils of the Municipalities of Taree and Wingham on 10th October, 1928, respecting the administration of certain works of water supply for those Municipalities.

The amending agreement provides that additional works of water supply may be constructed, and amends the basis of contributions to be made by the Municipalities of Taree and Wingham towards the costs and expenses of the Board of Management.

[CONFIDENTIAL]

(Rough Draft for Consideration Only.)

No. , 1953.

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## A BILL

To ratify an agreement varying the agreement made between the Minister for Public Works and the Councils of the Municipalities of Taree and Wingham relating to the administration of certain works of water supply; to amend the Taree-Wingham Water Supply Administration Act, 1929; and for purposes connected therewith.

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**B**E it enacted by the Queen'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.** (1) This Act may be cited as the "Taree-Wingham Water Supply Administration (Amendment) Act, 1953." Short title and citation.

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(2)

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(2) The Taree-Wingham Water Supply Administration Act, 1929, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the Taree-Wingham Water Supply Administration Act, 1929-1953.

- 5   **2.** The Taree-Wingham Water Supply Administration Act, 1929, is amended—
- Amendment of Act No. 44, 1929.
- (a) by omitting from section two the word "Schedule" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "First Schedule";
- Sec. 2. (Ratification of agreement.)
- 10   (b) by inserting next after section two the following new section:—
- New sec. 2A.
- 2A. The agreement, a copy of which is contained in the Second Schedule to this Act, is hereby ratified and confirmed.
- Ratification of amending agreement.
- 15   (c) by omitting from section three the word "agreement" and by inserting in lieu thereof the word "agreements";
- Sec. 3. (Regulations.)
- (d) by omitting the heading "SCHEDULE" and by inserting in lieu thereof the heading and subheading—
- Schedule.
- 20                                   "SCHEMULES.  
FIRST SCHEDULE."
- (e) by inserting at the end thereof the following new Schedule:—
- New Second Schedule.

25                                   **SECOND SCHEDULE.**

Sec. 2A.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT made the fifteenth day of May one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three between the HONOURABLE JOHN BROPHY RENSHAW, MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS in and for the State of New South Wales

30 (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister") of the first part the COUNCIL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAREE of the second part and the COUNCIL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF WINGHAM of the third part.

WHEREAS on the tenth day of October One thousand nine

35 hundred and twenty-eight an agreement was entered into by the Minister and the Council's of the Municipalities of Taree and Wingham with regard to the management operation maintenance repair

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repair and renewal of certain works of water supply for the towns of Taree and Wingham and the payment of the cost of the said works and of the renewal thereof and which Agreement is hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Agreement" AND WHEREAS the  
5 Minister and the said Councils have agreed to vary and augment the provisions of the Principal Agreement NOW IT IS HEREBY FURTHER AGREED as follows:—

1. This Agreement shall be subject to ratification by Parliament and upon such ratification shall operate as from the date hereof.

10 2. The Principal Agreement shall be read and construed as if the amendments made therein by this Agreement were incorporated therein.

3. The Principal Agreement is amended

15 (1) By inserting after the words "the works" where appearing in the recitals the words "Which expression shall for the purposes of clauses 5 and 8 hereof be deemed to include the works referred to in clause 4A hereof."

(2) By inserting after clause 4 the following new clause

20 4A (1) The Board of Management referred to in Clause 6 hereof may with the consent of the Minister instal electrically driven pumping plant and the Council of the Municipality of Taree and the Council of the Municipality of Wingham shall pay to the said Board the capital cost of such works in the proportion of seventy-four one  
25 hundredths and twenty-six one hundredths respectively.

(2) The said Board may from time to time with the consent of the Minister construct additional water supply works for the towns of Taree and Wingham and the said  
30 Councils shall pay to the Board the capital cost of such works in the proportion respectively that the population of each Municipality at the date of completion of the additional works as estimated by the Commonwealth Statistician bears to the total population of both Municipalities as so disclosed.

35 (3) (a) by omitting from clause 5 the words "two-thirds and one-third" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "seventy-four one-hundredths and twenty-six one-hundredths" and

(b) by inserting at the end of the same clause the words "and clause 4A hereof."

40 (4) by inserting in clauses 6 and 7 after the figure "3" the words "and clause 4A."

(5)

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(5) by omitting from clauses 5 and 8 the word "said".

(6) by omitting clause 11.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF these presents have been executed the day and year first before written.

5 SIGNED SEALED AND DE-  
LIVERED BY THE HON-  
OURABLE JOHN BROPHY  
RENSHAW MINISTER FOR  
10 PUBLIC WORKS but not so as  
to incur any personal liability in  
the presence of  
R. DOWNIE J.P.

(L.S.)  
J. B. RENSHAW  
Minister for Public  
Works.

15 THE COMMON SEAL OF THE  
COUNCIL OF THE MUNICI-  
PALITY OF TAREE was here-  
unto affixed in pursuance of a  
resolution of the Council in the  
presence of  
R. A. HINGSTON,  
20 Town Clerk.

(L.S.)  
E. O. MARTIN,  
Mayor.

25 THE COMMON SEAL OF THE  
COUNCIL OF THE MUNICI-  
PALITY OF WINGHAM was  
hereunto affixed in pursuance of a  
resolution of the Council in the  
presence of  
W. T. JACKSON,  
Town Clerk.

(L.S.)  
WALTER H. KEECH,  
Mayor.