

No. VIII.

An Act for giving further time to prepare and ELECTORAL LISTS.
revise certain Lists of Persons entitled to vote
at the Election of Members of the Legislative
Council. [16th August, 1847.]

WHEREAS by an Act of the Governor and Legislative Council of Preamble.
New South Wales passed in the sixth year of the reign of Her
present Majesty and intituled “ *An Act to provide for the division of* 6 Vic. No. 16.
“ *the Colony of New South Wales into Electoral Districts and for the*
“ *Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Council*” lists of
persons entitled to vote at the election of Members of the said Council
for the several Electoral Districts are directed to be prepared published
and revised and Electoral Rolls are required to be made out from such
revised lists within certain days and times respectively specified in
the said Act in each and every year And whereas in divers districts
within the said Colony such lists have not in this present year been
prepared and published or have not been revised and such rolls have
not been made out in due course and it is expedient and necessary to
remedy such omissions and to give further time for making out or for
revising the said lists or for making out such Electoral Rolls as the
case may require within any of the said districts Be it therefore
enacted by His Excellency the Governor of New South Wales with
the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof That in
every Electoral District or part of a District in which a list of persons
entitled to vote at the election of a Member or Members of Council
for such District has not been made out published and revised in due
course or in due time within the present year the same shall be made
signed and delivered by the Collectors in the said Act named and as
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Where lists of persons entitled to vote not already made published &c. to be now made.

Masters and Servants.

by the said Act is required before the tenth day of the month of October now next ensuing and thereupon such copies shall be kept printed and delivered and such publication of the same lists shall be made on every day during the week ending on the twentieth day of the said month of October as in and by the said recited Act are and is required.

Claims of persons to have their names inserted on Electoral Lists and objections to persons whose names are on such lists.

2. And be it enacted That claims by persons to have their names inserted in such lists as aforesaid and objections to persons whose names shall appear therein shall and may be made in pursuance of the said Act on or before the first day of the month of November and thereupon the list of claimants and of persons objected to shall be made out and published as by the said Act required during the eight days next preceding the said first day of November now next ensuing and in all other respects the provisions of the said Act in that behalf shall be observed and kept.

Courts of Petty Sessions for revision of lists to be held.

3. And be it enacted That Courts of Petty Sessions for the revision of the lists prepared under the provisions hereof and also of any other Electoral List prepared in pursuance of the said recited Act but which have not been in due course revised shall be held in accordance with the said recited Act in all respects except in so far as relates to the time of holding thereof in each and every district for which every such list shall have been so prepared as aforesaid on some day between the said first day of November now next ensuing inclusive and the fifteenth day of November aforesaid inclusive and thereupon and in relation to every such Court and to every such Electoral List and list of claimants and objections all such acts matters and things shall and may be done as by the said recited Act is in that behalf required to be done for the purpose of fully and finally settling the said Electoral Lists and every and each of them.

Revised Electoral List to be delivered to the Returning Officer and alphabetical list to be made.

4. And be it enacted That every such Electoral List revised as aforesaid shall be delivered to the Returning Officer of the district to which the same shall pertain as by the said recited Act is required on or before the first day of December now next ensuing and thereupon the said Returning Officer to whom any such list shall be so delivered shall with as little delay as possible cause to be fairly transcribed or printed a general alphabetical list of the electors of the whole of his Electoral District and such general list shall be the Electoral List or Roll of Electors entitled to vote in each respective Electoral District at all Elections that may take place of Members of the Legislative Council after the said first day of December now next ensuing.