

CLOSER SETTLEMENT VALIDATION ACT.

Act No. 8, 1948.

George VI.
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An Act to validate the vesting of certain land in the Crown for the purposes of closer settlement under the Closer Settlement Acts; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 29th April, 1948.]

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 :—

Short
title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Closer Settlement Validation Act, 1948."

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2. (1) The notification published in the Gazette, No. 137, of the 28th day of November, one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven, at page 2791, purporting to have been made pursuant to subsection three of section ten of the Closer Settlement (Amendment) Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts, shall have force and effect as if the agreement made on the fourteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight, between Pat John Bryan Osborne, Ellendon Limited, Grantham Park Limited and Lakelands (Bungendore) Limited, and the Governor and the Secretary for Lands had been so made before the date upon which such notification was so published.

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(2) Such notification shall be and shall be deemed always to have been effective to vest the land described in the Schedule thereto in His Majesty for the purposes of the Closer Settlement Acts and to the intent that such land may be dealt with thereunder; and the vesting shall be deemed to have been effected as from the date of publication of such notification.

(3) Any action purporting to have been taken after the date of publication of such notification and before the commencement of this Act under the Closer Settlement Acts, the War Service Land Settlement Act, 1941, as amended by subsequent Acts, and any other Act, in respect of the land so vested shall have the like force and effect as if such land had vested as aforesaid as from the date of publication of such notification.

(4) Nothing in this Act shall render unlawful anything done by the parties to the said agreement or any of them or by any other person before the commencement of this Act which would have been lawful if this Act had not been enacted.