

No. V.

An Act to amend the Church of England
Property Act of 1889 Amendment Act of
1892. [*24th July, 1896.*]

CHURCH OF
ENGLAND PROPERTY
ACT OF 1889
FURTHER
AMENDMENT.

WHEREAS by the “Church of England Property Act of 1889” Preamble.
it is provided, amongst other things, that from and after the
passing of that Act every Bishop of the Church of England for the
time being acting and recognised as being the Bishop of any Diocese
then existing or which might thereafter be created, and having been
consecrated according to the manner and form prescribed and used by
the Church of England, notwithstanding that such Bishop might not
have been appointed under letters patent from the Crown, should by
force of that statute be entitled to all real estate held upon trust for
the benefit of the Church in his Diocese; and that every such Bishop
should,

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should, in all respects within his Diocese, have and enjoy all and singular the same rights and privileges, whether created by statute or grant, deed, or other instrument whatsoever, as were enjoyed or possessed therein by the Bishops, his predecessors: And whereas doubts have arisen as to whether the said Act has any force or effect in the case of a Bishop who may be consecrated in the Colony of New South Wales without any mandate or license being issued by the Crown for such consecration, and it is desirable to set at rest any such doubts: Be it therefore 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 the same, as follows:—

Provisions of Act to apply to the several Dioceses.

1. The provisions of the "Church of England Property Act of 1889 Amendment Act," as passed in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, shall be deemed to apply and shall apply not only to the Diocese of Goulburn, but also to the several Dioceses now in existence or at any time hereafter to be in existence in the Colony of New South Wales.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the "Church of England Property Act of 1889 Further Amendment Act of 1896."