

WATER (COSTS DECLARATORY AND FLOOD PREVENTION) ACT.

Act No. 41, 1924.

George V, An Act to declare a reduced cost of works of certain
No. 41. Drainage Trusts; to extend the provisions of
Part IV of the Water Act, 1912, to flood
prevention; for that purpose to amend the
Water Act, 1912; and for purposes connected
therewith. [Assented to, 19th December,
1924.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty,
by and with the advice and consent of the Legis-
lative 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 “Water (Costs
Declaratory and Flood Prevention) Act, 1924.” **2.**

2. (1) The cost of the works constructed for the Tuckean Swamp Drainage Trust is hereby declared, as from the nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, to be ten thousand pounds, in lieu of the amount named in the notification in relation to the said trust published in the Government Gazette, number one hundred and nine, of the twenty-ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

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Tuckean
Swamp
Drainage
Trust.

(2) The cost of the works constructed for the Newrybar Swamp Drainage Trust is hereby declared, as from the eighteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, to be nine thousand seven hundred and seventy pounds twelve shillings and seven pence, in lieu of the amount named in the notification in relation to the said trust published in the Government Gazette, number seventy-one, of the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

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Swamp
Drainage
Trust.

3. The cost of the original work constructed for the Mooball and Crabbe's Creek Swamp Drainage Trust is hereby declared, as from the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, to be seven thousand seven hundred and twenty-one pounds seven shillings and eight pence, in lieu of the amount named in a notification in relation to the said trust published in the Government Gazette, number one hundred and eighty-four, of the sixteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

Mooball and
Crabbe's
Creek Swamp
Drainage
Trust.

4. (1) The cost of the works constructed for the Grahamstown and Campvale Swamp Drainage Trust is hereby declared, as from the thirteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, to be five thousand two hundred and fifty pounds, in lieu of the amount named in a notification published in relation to the said trust published in the Government Gazette number twenty-four of the fourteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Grahamstown and
Campvale
Swamp
Drainage
Trust.

(2) Any liability for payments due by the trust in relation to the original notification in respect of instalments to the Treasury or by the ratepayers in respect of rates for any period prior to the said thirteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, is hereby extinguished.

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Adjustment
of instal-
ments and
rates.

5. (1) The Minister shall cause to be made and notified in the Gazette any necessary adjustment of the instalments payable by the respective trusts.

(2) The Minister may make all proper adjustment of the rates payable by the ratepayers for any period prior to or current at the commencement of this Act, and shall cause the trusts and the ratepayers to be notified in writing of the adjustment, and the amount of the rates so adjusted and notified shall be payable by the ratepayers to the respective trusts.

(3) A written notice of adjustment of a rate signed by an officer of the Minister authorised in that behalf shall be final and conclusive.

Flood preven-
tion works.
Amendment
of Act 1912
No. 44.
Sec. 77.

6. (1) The Water Act, 1912, is amended—

(a) by inserting in section seventy-seven after the word “accumulate” the words “or flow there-
over”;

(b) by inserting in that section after the word “drainage” where first occurring the words “or the absence of flood prevention works”;

(c) by inserting in that section after the words “lie thereon” the words “or flow thereover”;

(d) by inserting in that section after the word “accumulations” the words “or flooding.”

Sec. 79.

(2) The said Act is further amended by inserting in section seventy-nine after the word “drainage” where first occurring the words “or the prevention of the flooding.”

Sec. 80.

(3) The said Act is further amended—

(a) by inserting at the end of subsection one of section eighty the words “and for the pre-
vention of the flooding thereof”;

(b) by omitting from subsection two of that section the word “accordingly” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “or to prevent the flooding thereof.”

Sec. 86.

(4) The said Act is further amended by inserting in section eighty-six after the word “drainage” the words “or flood prevention.”

Sec. 87 (2).

(5) The said Act is further amended by inserting in subsection two of section eighty-seven after the word “drainage” the words “or flood prevention.”

(6)

(6) The said Act is further amended by inserting in section ninety-three after the word "drainage" whenever occurring the words "or works for flood prevention." George V,
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(7) The said Act is further amended by inserting in section ninety-seven after the word "drains" the words "or works for flood prevention." Sec. 97.

(8) The said Act is further amended by inserting in section one hundred and three after the word "drainage" the words "or flood prevention." Sec. 103.

(9) The said Act is further amended by inserting in section one hundred and four after the words "draining land" the words "or flood prevention." Sec. 104.
