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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. VIII.

An Act to repeal a Portion of "The First Telegraph Act, 1864." [16th June, 1865.

WHEREAS by Sections Five and Six of "The First Telegraph Act, 1864," the Exclusive Right of sending and receiving Messages by Telegraph between any Place within the Colony of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, and any other Place beyond the Limits thereof, and within the Territory of the United States of America, lying westerly of the Rocky Mountains, was granted to the President of the California State Telegraph Company, and to his Successors and Assigns, for the Period of Twenty Years from and after the Completion of the said Telegraph Line, with Certain Provisoes and Conditions attached to and Explaining and Qualifying the said Exclusive Right; and whereas it is inexpedient that such Exclusive Right as aforesaid should continue; be it therefore enacted by the Governor of the said Colony by and with the Advice and Consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly thereof, as follows:

I. That after the Passing of this Act, Sections Five and Six of "The First Telegraph Act, 1864," shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sections 5 and 6 of "The First Telegraph Act, 1864." repealed.

II. This Act may be cited as "The First Telegraph Act Amendment Act, 1865."

Short Title.

Passed

28° & 29° VICTORIÆ, No. 8.

The First Telegraph Act Amendment Act, 1865.

Passed the Legislative Council the 3rd day of February, 1865.

E. J. NESBITT,
CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Passed the Legislative Assembly the 31st day of May, 1865.

R. W. TORRENS,
CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

I assent to this Act in the Name and on Behalf of Her Majesty, this 16th day of June, 1865.

A. E. KENNEDY,
GOVERNOR.

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