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## No. 762.

An Act to Legalise certain Payments made by various Corporations and District Councils out of Municipal and District Moneys, and for other purposes.

[Assented to, November 30th, 1901.]

WHEREAS the Councils of various Municipalities and Districts Preamble. have expended during the year certain of their moneys contrary to the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1890," and "The District Councils Act, 1887": And whereas it is desirable to legalise such expenditure, and to indemnify the members of such Municipal and District Councils from all consequences in respect of such payments—

Be it therefore Enacted by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Parliament of South Australia, as follows:

- 1. This Act may be cited as "The Municipal Corporations and Short title. District Councils Validating Act, 1901."
- 2. All payments not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of Validating payments Two Thousand Pounds made or to be made by the Corporation of Corporations. the City of Adelaide out of its moneys, and all payments not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of Five Hundred Pounds made or to be made by any other Municipal Corporation out of its moneys, in celebrating the visit of Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York to South Australia, are hereby declared to be as valid as if express power to make such payments had been given by section 286 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1890.'

## The Municipal Corporations and District Councils Validating Act.—1901.

Validating payments by District Councils, 3. All payments not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of One Hundred Pounds made by any District Council out of its moneys in celebrating the aforesaid visit are hereby declared to be as valid as if express power to make such payments had been given by section 129 of "The District Councils Act, 1887."

Indemnity to members of Corporations and Councils.

4. No action or other proceedings shall be brought or taken against any such Municipal Corporation or District Council, or against any member of any Municipal or District Council or any person in respect of any such payment; and if any such action or proceeding be pending at the commencement of this Act the same shall cease and abate.

In the name and on behalf of His Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

TENNYSON, Governor.