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PART V.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT, BOMBAY.

The following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons accompanying it, is published in accordance with Rule 15 of the Rules for the conduct of Business at Meetings of the Council of His Excellency the Governor of Bombay for making Laws and Regulations :—

Bill No. 1 of 1895.

A Bill to amend "The Bombay Tramways Act, 1874."

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the
Preamble. Bombay Tramways Act,
1874, in manner herein-
after appearing; it is enacted as follows :—

1. This Act may be cited as the Bombay
Short Title. Tramways Act Amend-
ment Act of 1895.

2. (1) In section 3 of the Bombay
Amendment of section 3. Tramways Act, 1874,
after the words "a single
track" wherever they
occur—

(a) in the fourth, and
(b) in the fifth

paragraphs thereof, there shall be added
the following, viz. :—

"or such double track as may, at any
time with the previous consent of the
said Corporation, be approved by the
Municipal Commissioner and be sanc-
tioned by Government."

(2) The proviso in the fifth paragraph
of the said section is repealed.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. Section 3 of Bombay Act I of 1874 (The Bombay Tramways Act) authorizes single tracks of tramway only along the streets specified in the fourth and fifth paragraphs of that section.

2. Portions of these streets have since been widened by the Municipality, the Company's traffic has much increased, and experience shows that double tracks of tramway effect a great saving of time to passengers and also cause to ordinary street traffic less interruption and inconvenience than the passing places for cars which are necessary where single tracks only are laid down.

The object of this Bill is to authorize, with the consent of the Municipal Corporation and the approval of the Municipal Commissioner and the sanction of Government, the conversion into double tracks of all or any portion of the single tracks abovementioned.

(Signed) H. BIRDWOOD.

Bombay, 25th February 1895.

By order of His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor,

C. H. A. HILL,

Secretary to the Council of the Governor of Bombay
for making Laws and Regulations.

Bombay Castle, 2nd March 1895.