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SHIRE OF MOORABBIN.

PROPOSED SEVERANCE AND CONSTITUTION OF A NEW MUNICIPALITY.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Local Government Act 1903 (No. 1893, section 46), the substance and prayer of a petition in accordance with the said Act, which has been presented to His Excellency the Governor, are published, viz.:—

The petitioners purport to constitute a majority of the ratepayers in the portion of the Shire of Moorabbin, which is described in their petition, and they desire that the area so described may be severed from the Shire of Moorabbin, and constituted a new municipality under the name and title of "The Borough of Sandringham."

Area described in petition: - Commencing at a point on the shore of Port Phillip Bay in line with the centre of South-road; thence east by a line and the said road to the Point Nepean-road at north-west angle of section 39, parish of Moorabbin; thence south-east by the Point Nepean-road to Bay-road, at the south-east angle of section 43, parish of Moorabbin; thence west by Bayroad to Reserve-road at the north-west angle of section 44, parish of Moorabbin; thence south by Reserve-road to Balcombe-road at the south-west angle of section 47, parish of Moorabbin; thence east by Balcombe-road to Cromer-road at the north-east angle of section 49D, parish of Moorabbin; thence south by Cromer-road and a line to a point in line with the centre of Cromer-road on the shore of Port Phillip Bav; thence south-westerly, westerly, and north-westerly by that shore to the commencing point in line with the centre of South-road.

The petitioners state-

That a large part of the area included in the proposed new borough is within the metropolitan area for water supply purposes, and comprises the township of Sandringham, Hampton, Black Rock, Beaumaris, and part of South Brighton, which are rapidly advancing suburbs of Melbourne;

That owing to the popularity of the proposed new borough as a watering place, the population is largely increased during the summer months, rendering it necessary in the interest of public health that the drainage should be carefully attended to and proper channelling formed;

That by the constitution of the proposed new borough, a better supervision could be exercised over the area in question as to expenditure for maintenance, drainage, lighting, and other works, particularly in regard to health matters and the large seaside public reserves situated therein, &c., &c.

The petitioners therefore pray that His Excellency in Council may be pleased to sever the area above described and constitute it a separate municipality under the name and title of "The Borough of Sandringham," such municipality to be subdivided into four wards.

Notices for the petitioners may be served on Mr. B. J. Ferdinando, accountant, 7 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

E. H. CAMERON, Commissioner of Public Works.

Department of Public Works
(Local Government Branch),
Melbourne, 29th April, 1907.

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