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SUPPLEMENT No. 2

independently of the Otheral Loan and Stock Law, 1951,

THE CYPRUS GAZETTE No. 3659 OF 10TH DECEMBER, 1952. LEGISLATION.

THE STATUTE LAWS OF CYPRUS

No. 34 of 1952.

A LAW TO MAKE PROVISION FOR RAISING A LOAN TO PRODUCE AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING THE SUM OF Two Millions Seven Hundred and Fifty Thousand POUNDS STERLING FOR THE PURPOSE OF CARRYING OUT A SCHEME FOR THE CENTRALIZED GENERATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRICITY IN CYPRUS.

A. B. WRIGHT,] [6th December, 1952.

Governor, and the issue of the loan a rorroro DE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Cyprus Provided that the said contribution shall -: swollof

I. This Law may be cited as the Loan (Electricity Scheme) Short title. Law, 1952. (253)

assets of the Colony.

necessary to defray the expenses of issue.

Authority to raise a loan to produce an amount not exceeding £2,750,000.

Loan to be a charge upon general revenue.

Application of loan.

4.—(1) Any sum raised to defray the expenses of issue shall be applied only to that purpose.

2. The Governor or the Crown Agents acting on his behalf

may raise by loan in London an amount sufficient to produce

a sum not exceeding two millions seven hundred and fifty

thousand pounds sterling and such further sum as may be

loan issued under the provisions of this Law are hereby charged

upon and shall be payable out of the general revenues and

3. The principal moneys and interest represented by the

(2) Save as aforesaid the money borrowed under this Law shall be appropriated and applied to the purposes specified in the Schedule.

Schedule.

Method of raising loan.

16 of 1951.

5. The loan hereby authorized or any part of it may be raised under the provisions of the General Loan and Stock Law, 1951, or, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the said Law, independently of that Law as the Governor or the Crown Agents acting on his behalf may decide.

Provisions applicable if loan issued otherwise than under the General Loan and Stock Law. 16 of 1951,

6. If it should be decided to issue the loan hereby authorized independently of the General Loan and Stock Law, 1951, then the following provisions shall apply:—

(a) so long as any portion of the loan remains outstanding the Governor shall, in each half-year ending with the day on which the interest on the loan falls due, appropriate out of the general revenues and assets of the Colony a sum equal to one half-year's interest on the whole of the loan outstanding and shall remit that sum to the Crown Agents at such time as will enable them to pay thereout the then current half-year's interest on the day on which it falls due;

(b) the Governor shall also, in each half-year ending as aforesaid, appropriate out of the said revenues and assets of the Colony for the formation of a sinking fund for the repayment of the loan at par an additional sum in respect of the total nominal amount of the loan outstanding equal to one-half of the annual contribution to be decided upon by the Governor on the issue of the loan and shall remit that sum to the Crown Agents with the remittance hereinbefore mentioned:

Provided that the said contribution shall, in respect of any money raised under this Law, commence not later than two years after the date from which the interest on such money shall commence to run; (c) the aforesaid annual contribution shall be not less than such amount as may be determined with the approval of the Secretary of State to be sufficient to redeem the loan at its due date:

(d) the Crown Agents shall place at interest or invest so much of the money so remitted to them as aforesaid as shall not be required for the payment of interest for the current half-year in the purchase of such securities as may be approved by the Secretary of State as a sinking fund for the final extinction of the debt and the Crown Agents shall also place at interest or invest the dividends interest or produce of such investments in the purchase of like securities and may from time to time with the approval of the Secretary of State change any such investments and shall hold such funds in trust for the repayment of the principal moneys for the time being represented by the loan;

(e) in case the sinking fund provided for by this Law shall be insufficient for the payment of all the principal moneys borrowed under the authority of this Law at the time the same shall have become due the Governor shall make good the deficiencies out of the general revenues and assets of the Colony.

7. Pending the issue of the whole or any portion of the loan Power to under the provisions of this Law, the Governor may raise Governor to instalments of the money as required by the issue of Cyprus 'ments in Government Treasury Bills under the Cyprus Treasury Bills certain cases. Cap. 72. Law.

SCHEDULE.

(Section 4)

For the purposes of—

(a) continuing and extending a scheme for the centralized generation and distribution of electricity in Cyprus;

(b) payment of stamp duty on transfer of stock

issued under this or any other Law.

J. FLETCHER-COOKE, Colonial Secretary.

6th December, 1952.