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TASMANIA.

## PETITION No. 107.

## STATE AID.

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Presented by Mr. Butler, and ordered by the House to be printed, 26 September, 1861.

(No. 80.)



To the Honorable the House of Assembly of Tasmania, in Parliament assembled.

The humble Petition of the undersigned Inhabitants of the District of Brighton, in Tasmania.

## **RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH:**

THAT your Petitioners are desirous that the present Bill before your Honorable House, intituled "A Bill for abolishing State Aid to Religion upon Terms," should not become the Law of the Land.

That your Petitioners view with alarm, any attempt to interfere with the grant of £15,000 secured by Her Majesty under *The Constitutional Act* of this Colony, for the support and furtherance of Religion.

Your Petitioners therefore respectfully and and most earnestly solicit that, your Honorable House will not pass any Bill which is calculated to abolish State Aid to Religion.

And your Petitioners will, as in duty bound, ever pray.

[ Here follow 146 Signatures ]

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JAMES BARNARD, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, TASMANIA.