



### CHAPTER cxcix.

An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board relating to the Districts of Chelmsford and Merthyr Tydvil, and the Borough of Peterborough (two). A.D. 1876.  
[11th August 1876.]

**W**HEREAS the Local Government Board have, as regards the districts and borough herein mentioned, made the Provisional Orders set forth in the schedule hereunto annexed, under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875 :

And whereas it is requisite that the said Orders should be confirmed by Parliament, and that the provisions herein contained should be enacted in reference to the Orders relating to the borough of Peterborough :

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1. The Orders set out in the schedule hereunto annexed shall be and the same are hereby confirmed, and all the provisions thereof shall, from and after the passing of this Act, have full validity and force. The Provisional Orders in schedule confirmed.

2. As regards the works for the disposal of the sewage of the city and borough of Peterborough to be constructed by the mayor, aldermen, citizens, and burgesses of the said city and borough, herein-after termed the Sanitary Authority, the following provisions shall have effect and be carried into execution ; (that is to say,)

Special provisions for the city and borough of Peterborough sewage works.

A. So far as the works for conveying the sewage from the southern division of the city and borough into the sewage farm of the said Sanitary Authority under, through, or over the north bank of the North Level Commissioners affect the said bank, the same shall be constructed to the reasonable

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satisfaction of the engineer for the time being of the North Level Commissioners in accordance with working drawings and specifications to be furnished by the Sanitary Authority, and in case of difference between the engineers of the Sanitary Authority and the North Level Commissioners, the same shall, at the joint expense of the Sanitary Authority and North Level Commissioners, be approved in writing by Thomas Elliott Harrison, Esquire, C.E., or failing him, by Sir Joseph Bazalgette, C.E., or failing him, by an engineer to be appointed for the purpose on the application of either party by the Local Government Board, and such works shall be at all times maintained by the Sanitary Authority in a proper and efficient manner.

- b. All other works to be executed by the Sanitary Authority, so far as those works interfere with or affect the banks, drains, or other works of the North Level Commissioners, shall be executed by the Sanitary Authority to the reasonable satisfaction of the engineer for the time being of the North Level Commissioners, and according to working drawings and specifications, to be previously submitted to such engineer and approved by him in writing: Provided that if such engineer shall not have expressed his approval or disapproval of the said working drawings and specifications within one month after the same shall have been submitted to him, he shall be deemed to have approved thereof; and in case of difference between the engineers of the Sanitary Authority and North Level Commissioners, the same shall be approved by an engineer to be appointed for the purpose on the application of either party by the Local Government Board, and to be paid by the Sanitary Authority and the North Level Commissioners jointly, and all such works shall be at all times maintained by the Sanitary Authority in a proper and efficient manner.
- c. With a view to prevent injury to any land within the North Level, effectual provision shall from time to time be made for preventing the discharge of any water from the sewage farm into the North Level, otherwise than into the counter drain through a sluice to be constructed by the Sanitary Authority, at the south-east corner of the sewage farm, and only when the water in the counter drain is below the level of a gauge to be fixed as herein-after provided; that is to say, the level at or above which water shall not be



discharged through the sluice shall be such as may be from time to time agreed upon between the engineers of the Sanitary Authority and the North Level Commissioners; and in case of difference by an engineer to be appointed for the purpose on the application of either party by the Local Government Board, at the joint expense of the Sanitary Authority and the North Level Commissioners: Provided always, that whenever the level of the water in the counter drain shall be at or above the level agreed upon as aforesaid, and the Sanitary Authority shall not forthwith stop the discharge of water through the said sluice, it shall be lawful for the North Level Commissioners or their officer to close such sluice. A.D. 1876.

- D. The Sanitary Authority shall not construct any outlet from the sewage farm through the North Bank of the North Level Commissioners into the River Nene at or below the level of the highest recorded flood waters of the Nene in 1875.
- E. The Sanitary Authority shall not discharge any effluent water from the sewage farm into the River Nene or counter drain except in accordance with approved standards of purity, that is to say, the standard of purity for such water passing into the River Nene shall from time to time, on the application of either party, be approved by the Local Government Board in case of difference between the respective engineers of the Sanitary Authority and of his Grace the Duke of Bedford, or the owner for the time being of the navigable canal or river called the Thorney River, and the standard of purity for such water passing into the counter drain shall from time to time on the application of either party be approved by the Local Government Board in case of difference between the respective engineers of the Sanitary Authority and of the North Level Commissioners.
- F. His Grace the Duke of Bedford, or the owner for the time being of the navigable canal or river called the Thorney River, and the North Level Commissioners respectively shall have power at all reasonable times by his or their agent authorised in writing in that behalf to enter upon the sewage farm for the purpose of taking samples of the effluent water, with the object of testing its purity, and the Sanitary Authority shall afford all reasonable facilities for the taking of such samples.

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G. The Sanitary Authority shall not take any compulsory step under any statutory powers enabling them in that behalf to increase the quantity of sewage discharged in the river Nene by the extension of the water-closet system, or otherwise until the works for the purification of the sewage of the city and borough by means of the sewage farm shall be brought into full operation.

H. The Sanitary Authority shall from time to time at their own cost, and to the reasonable satisfaction of the engineer for the time being of the North Level Commissioners, make good all damage or injury occasioned by any work of the Sanitary Authority to any bank, drain, or other work of the North Level Commissioners.

Special provision for the protection of the Great Northern Railway.

3. All works to be executed by the urban sanitary authority for the city and borough of Peterborough on lands taken by them under the powers of the Orders, or either of the Orders, relating to that city and borough hereby confirmed, so far as those works interfere with or affect the Great Northern Railway, or any siding thereof, or any railway leased to or worked by the Great Northern Railway Company, shall be executed at the expense of the urban sanitary authority, under the superintendence and to the reasonable satisfaction of the principal engineer of the Great Northern Railway Company, and according to plans and specifications to be previously submitted to such engineer, and approved by him in writing; provided that if such engineer shall not have expressed his approval or disapproval of the said plans and specifications within one month after the same shall have been submitted to him, he shall be deemed to have approved thereof; and the said works shall be constructed and maintained so that the traffic upon the railway shall not be in anywise impeded or interfered with, and such maintenance shall be effected under the superintendence and to the reasonable satisfaction of the engineer of the Great Northern Railway Company, and in all things at the expense of the urban sanitary authority: Provided that any difference which may arise out of this enactment between the Sanitary Authority and the said railway company shall be referred to the arbitration of an engineer to be appointed by agreement between them, or in default of agreement to be appointed by the Local Government Board, and paid by the Sanitary Authority and the said railway company jointly.

Short title.

4. This Act may be cited as the Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (Chelmsford, &c.) Act, 1876.



SCHEDULE.

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A.D. 1876.

DISTRICT OF CHELMSFORD.

*Provisional Order to enable the Urban Sanitary Authority for the District of Chelmsford to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869.*

To the Chelmsford Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Chelmsford, in the County of Essex ;—  
And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Chelmsford Local Board, as the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Chelmsford, in the County of Essex, require to purchase and take certain lands and premises situate within their District, and which are described in the Schedule to this Order, for the purpose of providing a market-place, market-house, and other conveniences with respect thereto, and of improving certain streets and constructing a new street in the said District ;

And whereas the said Local Board have made due publication in the newspaper, and served the several notices as required by the Public Health Act, 1875, and have presented a Petition to the Local Government Board, stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said lands and premises, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement ;

And whereas upon receipt of such Petition, the Local Government Board directed a Local Inquiry to be held as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer thereof, which Inquiry was held after due notice, and report has been made to them thereon :

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby empower the Chelmsford Local Board, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the lands and premises described in the Schedule hereto, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

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Nos. on deposited Plan.	Description of Lands, &c.	Owners.	Occupiers.
11, 13, & 14.	A piece of land and road at the rear of the Corn Exchange in Tindal Square.	Joseph Wells, Henry Collings Wells, Frederick Wells, Walter Woodcock Perry.	Joseph Wells, Henry Collings Wells, Frederick Wells, Walter Woodcock Perry, William Scotcher, John Craske.
26 & 27	A messuage and buildings, called the Golden Lion Inn, abutting on Duke Street and Tindal Square, with the yards and out-buildings belonging thereto, and sites for cattle pens abutting thereon, containing about 3,270 square feet.	Ditto - -	William Scotcher.
15	An implement warehouse, yard, and premises, containing about 3,200 square feet, adjoining the Corn Exchange, and a piece of land with the lean-to buildings thereon.	The Chelmsford Corn Exchange Company, Limited.	Joseph Brittain Pash, Chelmsford Corn Exchange Company, Limited.
29	A messuage and premises near Threadneedle Street.	Henry Rayner -	Henry Rayner.
30	Ditto - - - - -	Ditto - -	Miss Wade.
31	Ditto - - - - -	Ditto - -	Peter Salmon.
32	Ditto - - - - -	Ditto - -	John Orton.
33	Ditto - - - - -	Ditto - -	W. Lagden.
34	Ditto - - - - -	Ditto - -	S. Collis.
35	Ditto - - - - -	Ditto - -	Thompson.
29	A parcel of land near Threadneedle Street, partly a brick field and partly pasture land, containing about 6 acres.	Ditto - -	Henry Rayner,
28	A piece of garden ground near Threadneedle Street, containing about 19 perches.	The Governors of the Chelmsford Grammar School.	Rev. James Tanner.
36 & 37	A piece of land, partly roadway and partly pasture land, containing about 2 roods, leading from Duke Street to the land of Henry Rayner.	Joseph Wells, Frederick Wells.	Joseph Wells, Henry Collings Wells, Frederick Wells, Walter Woodcock Perry.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this  
 Thirteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred  
 and seventy-six.

(L.S.)

G. SCLATER-BOOTH, President.  
 JOHN LAMBERT, Secretary.



DISTRICT OF MERTHYR TYDVIL.

*Provisional Order to enable the Urban Sanitary Authority for the District of Merthyr Tydvil to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869.*

To the Merthyr Tydvil Local Board of Health, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Merthyr Tydvil, in the County of Glamorgan;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Merthyr Tydvil Local Board of Health, as the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Merthyr Tydvil, in the County of Glamorgan, require to purchase and take certain lands and premises which are described in the Schedule to this Order, for the purpose of constructing certain works for supplying their District with water;

And whereas the said Local Board of Health made due publication in the newspaper, and served the several notices as required by the Public Health Act, 1875, and presented a Petition to the Local Government Board, stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said lands and premises, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement;

And whereas upon receipt of such Petition, the Local Government Board directed a Local Inquiry to be held as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer thereof, which inquiry was held after due notice, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby empower the Merthyr Tydvil Local Board of Health, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the lands and premises described in the Schedule hereto, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

No. on deposited Plan.	Description of Property.	Owners or reputed Owners.	Occupiers.
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The Parish of LLANFRYNACH, in the County of BRECON.

1	Mountain pasture, River Taff Vechan, and stream.	Howell Richards and Llewellyn Richards.	John Williams.
2	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto.
3	Mountain pasture, River Taff Vechan, stream, and old sheep pen.	Ditto	Ditto.

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4	Mountain pasture, River Taff Vechan, and stream.	Howell Richards and Lewellyn Richards.	John Williams.
5	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Howell Richards.
6	Mountain pasture, River Taff Vechan, stream, and sheep pens (formerly an old house called Noyaddfach).	Ditto - - -	Ditto
7	Common and streams - - -	J. Gwynne Holford - - -	Howell Richards, John Williams.
8	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Ditto.
9	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Ditto.
9A	Common, streams, and River Taff Vechan.	Ditto - - -	Ditto.
10	Common and streams - - -	Ditto - - -	Ditto.
10A	Road - - -	Ditto and the Surveyor of Highways for the Parish of Llanfrynach or one of them.	Ditto.

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Parish of MERTHYR TYDVIL, in the County of GLAMORGAN.

8	Pasture land - - -	David Watkins, Mary Williams, Jane Davies, Margaret Williams, Thomas Llewellyn Brewer, Mary his wife, Edmund Williams, Lady Mary Selina Louisa Windsor Clive, the Right Hon. the Earl of Bradford, and the Hon. Robert Charles Herbert.	- - -	David Watkins.
21	Pasture land, pond, embankments, and footpaths.	The Dowlais Iron Company - - -	- - -	The Dowlais Iron Company.
22	Tips, occupation road, footpaths, and waste land.	Ditto - - -	- - -	Ditto.

Names of Mills, Factories, or other Works.	Owners or reputed Owners.
Cyfarthfa Iron Works - - -	Robert Thompson Crawshay.
Glamorganshire Canal - - -	The Glamorganshire Canal Company.
Plymouth Iron Works - - -	The Plymouth Iron Company.
Pontsticill Mill - - -	Anne Hand, Edward Davies, Jemima Davies, Catherine Bevan, Charles Gabell and Elizabeth his wife, Henry O'Neil and Maria his wife.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Thirteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

(L.S.)

G. SCLATER-BOOTH, President.  
 JOHN LAMBERT, Secretary.



CITY AND BOROUGH OF PETERBOROUGH.

*Provisional Order to enable the Urban Sanitary Authority for the City and Borough of Peterborough to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869.*

To the Mayor, Aldermen, Citizens, and Burgesses of the City and Borough of Peterborough, in the Counties of Northampton and Huntingdon, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that City and Borough;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Mayor, Aldermen, Citizens, and Burgesses of the City and Borough of Peterborough, in the Counties of Northampton and Huntingdon, acting by the Council, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of that Borough, require to purchase and take certain lands and premises which are described in the Schedule to this Order, for the construction of works of water supply for the said City and Borough;

And whereas the said Council, as such Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, have made due publication in the newspaper and served the several notices as required by the Public Health Act, 1875, and have presented a Petition to the Local Government Board, stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said lands and premises, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement;

And whereas upon receipt of such Petition the Local Government Board directed a Local Inquiry to be held as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer thereof, which Inquiry was held after due notice, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby empower the said Council, as such Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the lands and premises described in the Schedule hereto, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

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Township of WILSTHORPE, in the County of LINCOLN.

1	A close of pasture and arable land known as "Featherstone Piece."	Arthur William English	William Cross.
2	An adjoining close of arable land [Local.-199.]	Same B	Same. 9

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Hamlet of OBTHORPE, in the Parish of THURLBY, in the County of LINCOLN.			
5	Close of land called "Fool's Close" or "Gravel Round Close."	Ernest Richard Charles Cust -	William Bland.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this  
 Sixth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and  
 seventy-six.

(L.S.)

G. SCLATER-BOOTH, President.  
 JOHN LAMBERT, Secretary.

CITY AND BOROUGH OF PETERBOROUGH.

*Provisional Order to enable the Urban Sanitary Authority for the City and Borough of Peterborough to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869.*

To the Mayor, Aldermen, Citizens, and Burgesses of the City and Borough of Peterborough, in the Counties of Northampton and Huntingdon, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that City and Borough; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Mayor, Aldermen, Citizens, and Burgesses of the City and Borough of Peterborough, in the Counties of Northampton and Huntingdon, acting by the Council, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of that Borough, require to purchase and take certain lands and premises which are described in the Schedule to this Order, for the construction of works for the disposal of the sewage of the said City and Borough;

And whereas the said Council, as such Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, have made due publication in the newspaper and served the several notices as required by the Public Health Act, 1875, and have presented a Petition to the Local Government Board, stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said lands and premises, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement;

And whereas upon receipt of such Petition the Local Government Board directed a Local Inquiry to be held as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer thereof, which Inquiry was held after due notice, and report has been made to them thereon:



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Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby empower the said Council, as such Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the lands and premises described in the Schedule hereto, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869, with respect to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

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Parish of STANGROUND, County of CAMBRIDGE.

9	Pasture land - - -	The trustees or representatives of the late Honourable George Wentworth Fitzwilliam.	Catherine Bull.
10 and 18	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	John Odam.
11	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Henry Dodson.
12 and 45	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Mary Speechley.
13	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	William King.
14	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	John Copeman Lound.
15, 28, and 29	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	William Stanley.
16 and 17	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Thomas Tebbs.
19, 22, 27, 30, 31, and 32	Arable and pasture land - - -	Ditto - - -	John Core.
20	Pasture land - - -	Ditto - - -	Ann Newton.
21	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Sarah Freeman.
23	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Edward Speechley.
24	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Henry Todd.
25 and 44	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Edward Bothamley.
26	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Joseph Serjeant.
33	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Elizabeth Bowers.
34 and 35	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	William Shepherd Peaks.
36	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Henry Green.
37 and 41	Ditto - - -	Ditto - - -	Richard Mackinder.

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38	Pasture land	The trustees or representatives of the late Honourable George Wentworth Fitzwilliam.	Josiah Stocks.
39	Ditto	Ditto	Henry Cox.
40	Ditto	Ditto	William Lilley.
42, 43, and 46	Ditto	Ditto	George Vergette.
47	Ditto	Ditto	William Southwell.
49	Occupation road	Ditto	—
50	Cats water drain	Ditto	—

Parish of PETERBOROUGH, County of NORTHAMPTON.

7	Pasture land	The trustees or representatives of the late Honourable George Wentworth Fitzwilliam.	Catherine Bull.
11	Pasture land by the side of the Cat's water drain.	Ditto	William King.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Sixth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

(L.S.)

G. SCLATER-BOOTH, President.  
 JOHN LAMBERT, Secretary.