



# Companies Clauses Consolidation Act 1845

## 1845 CHAPTER 16

### *Loans*

And with respect to the Conversion of the borrowed Money into Capital, be it enacted as follows :

#### **LVI Power to convert Loan into Capital.**

It shall be lawful for the Company, if they think fit, unless it be otherwise provided by the Special Act, to raise the additional Sum so authorized to be borrowed, or any Part thereof, by creating new Shares of the Company, instead of borrowing the same, or, having borrowed the same, to continue at Interest only a Part of such additional Sum, and to raise Part thereof by creating new Shares ; but no such Augmentation of Capital as aforesaid shall take place without the previous Authority of a General Meeting of the Company.

#### **LVII New Shares to be considered same as original Shares.**

The Capital so to be raised by the Creation of new Shares shall be considered as Part of the General Capital, and shall be subject to the same Provisions in all respects, whether with reference to the Payment of Calls, or the Forfeiture of Shares on Nonpayment of Calls, or otherwise, as if it had been Part of the original Capital, except as to the Times of making Calls for such additional Capital, and the Amount of such Calls, which respectively it shall be lawful for the Company from Time to Time to fix as they shall think fit.

#### **LVIII If old Shares at Premium, new Shares to be offered to the Shareholders.**

If at the Time of any such Augmentation of Capital taking place by the Creation of new Shares the then existing Shares be at a Premium, or of greater actual Value than the nominal Value thereof, then, unless it be otherwise provided by the Special Act, the Sum so to be raised shall be divided into Shares of such Amount as will conveniently

allow the same to be apportioned among the then Shareholders in proportion to the existing Shares held by them respectively ; and such new Shares shall be offered to the then Shareholders in the Proportion aforesaid; and such Offer shall be made by Letter under the Hand of the Secretary given to or sent by Post, addressed to each Shareholder, according to his Address in the Shareholders Address Book, or left at his usual or last Place of Abode.

**LIX Shares to rest in the Parties accepting; otherwise to be disposed of by the Directors.**

The said new Shares shall vest in and belong to the Shareholders who shall accept the same, and pay the Value thereof to the Company at the Time and by the Instalments which shall be fixed by the Company ; and if any Shareholder fail for One Month after such Offer of new Shares to accept the same, and pay the Instalments called for in respect thereof, it shall be lawful for the Company to dispose of such Shares in such Manner as they shall deem most for the Advantage of the Company.

**LX If not at a Premium, to be issued as Company think fit.**

If at the Time of such Augmentation of Capital taking place the existing Shares be not at a Premium, then such new Shares may be of such Amount, and may be issued in such Manner and on such Terms, as the Company shall think fit.