



CHAPTER xiii

An Act to confer further powers on the Port of London Authority with regard to superannuation allowances and for other purposes.

[14th May 1958.]

WHEREAS by the Port of London Act 1908 the Port of London Authority (hereinafter referred to as "the Port Authority") were established for the purpose of administering preserving and improving the port of London and for other purposes in that Act set forth and by that Act (inter alia) the undertaking and powers of the London and India Docks Company and other undertakings and powers were transferred to and vested in the Port Authority and other powers were conferred upon the Port Authority and other provisions were made with reference to the port of London:

And whereas by the Port of London (Consolidation) Act 1920 (in this Act referred to as "the Act of 1920") the provisions of the various Acts by which or by reference to which the constitution powers rights authorities privileges duties and obligations of the Port Authority were then defined were unified consolidated and amended as by that Act provided:

And whereas by the Act of 1920 the Port Authority were empowered to grant to any officers and servants employed by them superannuation allowances or pensions either in accordance with the Superannuation (Metropolis) Act 1866 or with certain pension schemes then in being or to be established by the Port Authority with the approval of the Ministry of Transport:

And whereas by the Port of London Act 1928 the Port of London Authority Pension Fund was established in substitution for certain pension schemes then in being for the purpose of making special provision for certain officers and servants of the Port Authority:

And whereas the Port Authority are proposing in exercise of their general powers to set up a pension scheme to make provision for the payment of superannuation allowances and pensions to certain servants of the Port Authority who are not eligible to become members of the scheme set up under the Act of 1928 and it is expedient that powers be conferred upon the Port Authority as in this Act contained and that the other provisions in this Act be enacted:

And whereas the objects of this Act cannot be attained without the authority of Parliament:

May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it 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:—

Short and
collective
titles.

1.—(1) This Act may be cited as the Port of London (Superannuation) Act 1958.

(2) The Port of London Acts 1920 to 1957 and this Act may be cited together as the Port of London Acts 1920 to 1958.

Interpretation.

2.—In this Act unless the subject or context otherwise requires—

“the Port Authority” means the Port of London Authority;

“the Port Fund” means the Port Fund established in pursuance of the Port of London Act 1908;

“the scheme” means any scheme for the time being in operation and established by the Port Authority in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by subsection (4) of section 12 (Power of Port Authority to acquire land promote Bills etc.) of the Port of London (Consolidation) Act 1920 and approved by the Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation for the purpose of making provision for the payment of superannuation allowances and pensions to certain servants of the Port Authority who are not eligible to become members of the Port of London Authority Pension Fund established by the Port of London Act 1928.

Deduction of
contributions
to
superannua-
tion scheme.

3.—(1) Nothing in the Truck Acts 1831 to 1940 shall prevent the deduction by the Port Authority of a contribution due under the scheme from any person from the wages or remuneration of that person or render invalid any provision therefor in the scheme.

(2) For the purposes of the Shop Clubs Act 1902 the scheme shall not be deemed to constitute a shop club or thrift fund within the meaning of that Act.

Costs of
Act.

4.—All costs charges and expenses of and incident to the preparing for obtaining and passing of this Act shall be paid by the Port Authority out of the Port Fund.

Table of Statutes referred to in this Act

Short title	Session and chapter
Superannuation (Metropolis) Act 1866	29 & 30 Vict. c. 31.
Shop Clubs Act 1902	2 Edw. 7. c. 21.
Port of London Act 1908	8 Edw. 7. c. 68.
Port of London (Consolidation) Act 1920 ..	10 & 11 Geo. 5. c. clxxiii.
Port of London Act 1928	18 & 19 Geo. 5. c. xlvi.

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