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## CHAPTER xlix.

An Act to confirm a Provisional Order of the Minister of Health relating to Hove. A.D. 1927.

[29th July 1927.]

**W**HEREAS the Minister of Health has made the Provisional Order set forth in the schedule hereto under the provisions of the Local Government Act 1888: 51 & 52 Vict.

And whereas it is requisite that the said Order should be confirmed by Parliament: c. 41.

Be it therefore enacted by the King'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 Order as amended and set out in the schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby confirmed and all the provisions thereof shall have full validity and force. Order in schedule confirmed.

2. This Act may be cited as the Ministry of Health Provisional Order Confirmation (Hove Extension) Act 1927. Short title.

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SCHEDULE.

BOROUGH OF HOVE.

*Hove Order.* *Provisional Order made in pursuance of the Local Government Act 1888 for the extension of a Borough.*

WHEREAS by virtue of section 54 of the Local Government Act 1888 the Minister of Health is empowered to make a Provisional Order for altering the boundary of any borough;

And whereas the existing Borough of Hove in the Administrative County of East Sussex is a borough within the meaning of the Local Government Act 1888 and the inhabitants are a body corporate by the name of the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Hove and act by the Council of the Borough which now consists of the mayor (who is also a councillor) ten aldermen and twenty-nine other councillors;

And whereas the Borough comprises the Parishes of Aldrington and Hove and is an Urban District under the jurisdiction of the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses acting by the Council;

And whereas the Borough has a separate commission of the peace and a separate police force and in pursuance of the Education Act 1921 the Council of the Borough are the local education authority for the purposes of elementary education;

And whereas the Parliamentary Borough of Brighton comprises the County Borough of Brighton as it existed before its extension by the Brighton (Extension) Order 1923 and the whole of the Borough of Hove;

And whereas the Parishes of Hangleton Preston Rural and West Blatchington in the Administrative County of East Sussex immediately adjoin the Borough of Hove and the Parish of Patcham in the said Administrative County adjoins the Parish of Preston Rural and all the said Parishes are contributory places in the Rural District of Steyning East and are subject to the jurisdiction of the Rural District Council of Steyning East;

And whereas by a Bill promoted in the present session of Parliament for an Act to be entitled if passed the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 it is proposed that on the First day of April Nineteen hundred and twenty-eight a portion of the Parish of Patcham and a portion of the Parish of West Blatchington should

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with other areas be added to the County Borough of Brighton and that subject to the confirmation of this Order by Parliament the common boundary between the County Borough and the Borough of Hove should be altered by the transfer of an area from the Borough to the County Borough and of another area from the County Borough to the Borough and that the boundary of the County Borough of Brighton should be further altered and adjusted in accordance with the provisions of the agreement between the Brighton Corporation and the Hove Corporation set forth in the Third Schedule to the Bill :

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Now therefore the Minister of Health in pursuance of the powers given to him by sections 54 and 59 of the Local Government Act 1888 and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf hereby orders as follows :—

PART I.

INTERPRETATION AND COMMENCEMENT.

1. In this Order unless the context otherwise requires—

Definitions.

“ Existing ” in relation to any area altered by this Order or by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 means existing immediately before the First day of April Nineteen hundred and twenty-eight ;

“ The Act of 1888 ” and “ the Act of 1894 ” mean respectively the Local Government Act 1888 and the Local Government Act 1894 ;

“ The added areas ” means the existing Parish of Hangleton which is coloured green on the Borough maps the existing Parish of Preston Rural which is coloured blue on the Borough maps the added part of Patcham and the added part of West Blatchington ;

“ The added part of Patcham ” means the part of the existing Parish of Patcham which is coloured yellow on the Borough maps ;

“ The added part of West Blatchington ” means the part of the existing Parish of West Blatchington which is coloured brown on the Borough maps ;

“ The appointed day ” means the First day of April Nineteen hundred and twenty-eight ;

“ The Borough ” means the existing Borough of Hove as extended by this Order and as altered by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 ;

“ The Borough maps ” means the duplicate maps marked “ Map of the Borough of Hove as altered by the “ Hove (Extension) Order 1927 and by the Brighton

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“ Corporation Act 1927 ” and sealed with the official seal of the Minister ;

“ The Brighton Corporation Act 1927 ” means any Act passed during the present session of Parliament for the extension of the boundaries of the County Borough of Brighton and for the alteration and adjustment of the boundary between that County Borough and the Borough of Hove ;

“ The Corporation ” means as the context requires the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the existing Borough or of the Borough acting by the Council ;

“ The County ” and “ the County Council ” mean respectively the administrative county of East Sussex and the County Council of that County ;

“ The Minister ” means the Minister of Health ;

“ The Municipal Corporations Acts ” means the Municipal Corporations Act 1882 and the Acts amending and extending the same and the Borough Councillors (Alteration of Number) Act 1925 ;

“ The Parish of Hove ” means that Parish as altered by this Order and by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 ;

“ The Parish of West Blatchington ” means that Parish as diminished by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 ;

“ The Rural District ” and “ the Rural Council ” mean respectively the Rural District of Steyning East and the Rural District Council of Steyning East ;

“ The Ward maps ” means the duplicate maps marked “ Map of the Wards of the Borough of Hove as altered by the Hove (Extension) Order 1927 and “ the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 ” and sealed with the official seal of the Minister.

Commence-  
ment of  
Order.

2. Save as otherwise expressly provided this Order shall come into operation on the First day of April Nineteen hundred and twenty-eight :

Provided that for the purposes of—

(a) The division of the Borough into wards and all proceedings preliminary or relating to any election to be held in the year Nineteen hundred and twenty-eight for any area affected by this Order ;

(b) The compilation alteration or re-arrangement of any register of electors made under the Representation of the People Acts 1918 to 1926 ; and

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- (c) The revision of the basis of the county rate of the County or the preparation of any precept or contribution order to be made on or after the appointed day; A.D. 1927.  
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this Order shall operate from the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order.

PART II.

ALTERATIONS OF BOUNDARY.

3.—(1) The boundary of the existing Borough (the area whereof is coloured pink and grey on the Borough maps) as altered by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 shall be further altered so as to include in addition to that part of the existing Borough which is coloured pink on the Borough maps so much of the Rural District as comprises the existing Parish of Hangleton the existing Parish of Preston Rural the added part of Patcham and the added part of West Blatchington. Extension of  
Borough.

(2) The boundary of the Borough shall be that shown by the red line on the Borough maps and the whole of the area within that boundary shall for the purposes of the Municipal Corporations Acts and for all other purposes be the Borough.

4.—(1) The added part of Patcham shall be separated from the existing Parish of Patcham and shall be added to the existing Parish of Hove as altered by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927. Alteration of  
parishes.

(2) The existing Parish of Preston Rural shall be added to the existing Parish of Hove as altered by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927.

(3) The added part of West Blatchington shall form a separate parish within the Borough by the name of the Parish of West Blatchington.

(4) The existing Parish of Hangleton shall continue to be a separate parish but wholly situate within the Borough.

5.—(1) One of the Borough maps and one of the Ward maps shall be deposited in the office of the Minister and the duplicate of each map shall be deposited by the town clerk of the existing Borough at his office. Deposit and  
copies of  
Borough and  
Ward maps.

(2) Copies of the Borough map deposited with the town clerk certified by him to be true shall be sent within one month after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order to the clerk of the County Council to the town clerk of Brighton to the clerk to the Rural Council to the clerk to the Steyning Guardians to the Board of Inland Revenue to the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to the Registrar-General to the Board of Trade to the Minister of Transport to the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries and to the Electricity Commissioners and copies of the

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— within the same period to the clerk of the County Council to the  
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the Registrar-General and to the Minister of Agriculture and  
Fisheries.

Copies of  
Borough  
map to be  
evidence.

6.—(1) Copies of or extracts from the Borough map deposited  
with the town clerk certified by him to be true shall be received  
in all courts of justice and elsewhere as *primâ facie* evidence of  
the contents of the map so far as it relates to the boundary of  
the Borough.

(2) The Borough map deposited with the town clerk shall at  
all reasonable times be open to inspection by any person liable to  
any rate leviable within the Borough and any such person shall  
be entitled to a copy of or extract from the map certified by the  
town clerk to be true on payment of a reasonable fee to be  
determined by the Corporation.

(3) All fees so received shall be carried to the borough fund.

PART III.

PROVISIONS CONSEQUENT ON EXTENSION OF BOROUGH.

Municipal  
wards and  
existing  
councillors.

7. Subject to the provisions of the Municipal Corporations  
Acts the following provisions shall have effect :—

- (1) For the purposes of the election of councillors the  
Borough shall be divided into the ten wards mentioned  
in column 1 of the First Schedule to this Order and the  
wards shall be designated by the names appearing in  
that column ;
- (2) Each ward shall comprise that portion of the Borough  
which is indicated by a separate colour and distinguished  
by the name of the ward on the Ward maps ;
- (3) Three councillors shall be assigned to each ward ;
- (4) Any person in office immediately before the appointed  
day as a councillor representing one of the existing  
municipal wards shall continue to represent the ward  
of the same name constituted by this Order until the  
day on which he would have retired from office if this  
Order had not been made ;
- (5) If immediately before the appointed day a casual vacancy  
shall exist in the representation of one of the existing  
municipal wards the vacancy shall be deemed to have  
arisen in the ward of the same name constituted by this  
Order.

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8. The persons who hold office immediately before the appointed day as mayor and aldermen of the existing Borough shall on the appointed day become the mayor and aldermen of the Borough but shall respectively retire from office on the day on which they would have retired from office if this Order had not been made.

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9. For the purposes of the application to the Borough of the provisions of the County and Borough Councils (Qualification) Act 1914 the added areas and the area transferred to the Borough by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 shall be deemed to have always formed part of the Borough.

County and Borough Councils (Qualification) Act 1914.

10. For the purpose of the election of county councillors—

County electoral divisions.

(1) The added areas shall be separated from the Patcham Electoral Division;

(2) The Borough shall be divided into seven electoral divisions of the County to be designated by the names appearing in column 2 of the First Schedule to this Order and each electoral division shall be coextensive with the area of the one or two of the new municipal wards mentioned in column 1 of that Schedule which are opposite the name of the new electoral division in column 2 of the Schedule.

11. The powers and duties of the justices of the peace appointed for the existing Borough and of the clerk to those justices shall extend to and apply throughout the Borough:

Jurisdiction of Borough justices extended &c.

Provided that—

(a) every person committing an offence in any part of the added areas prior to the appointed day shall be tried and dealt with as if this Order had not been made;

(b) every proceeding which prior to the appointed day has been begun by or is pending before any justice in relation to any matter arising in or concerning any part of the added areas may be continued or completed in like manner and with the like incidents and consequences as nearly as may be as if this Order had not been made.

12. Subject to the provisions of this Order all property immediately before the appointed day vested in the Corporation for the benefit of the existing Borough (not being property held on any charitable trust) shall by virtue of this Order be held by the Corporation for the benefit of the Borough and the Corporation shall hold enjoy and exercise for the benefit of the Borough all the powers which immediately before that day are exerciseable by or vested in the Corporation for the benefit of

Corporation property liabilities &c.

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—                      the appointed day attach to the Corporation in respect of the  
*Hove Order.*    existing Borough shall on that day attach to them in respect of  
                         the Borough.

Mortgage  
debts of  
Corporation.

13. (1) So much of any sums borrowed by the Corporation as immediately before the appointed day are owing and charged upon a fund or rate of the existing Borough shall be charged upon the corresponding fund or rate of the Borough.

(2) All borrowed moneys to which this article applies with the interest thereon shall be repaid by the Corporation within the respective periods for which the loans in respect of which the said sums are owing were originally sanctioned or within which the same are otherwise required to be repaid or are made repayable.

Local Acts  
and Orders  
relating to  
existing  
Borough.

14.—(1) Sections 33 34 37 39 and 40 of the Hove Corporation Act 1913 are hereby repealed.

(2) Subject to the provisions of this Order the unrepealed provisions of—

- (a) The Local Acts and Confirmation Acts specified in the Second Schedule to this Order so far as the last-mentioned Acts respectively relate to the Provisional Orders specified in that Schedule;
- (b) Any other Local Act or Provisional Order duly confirmed and affecting the existing Borough or the Corporation except the Brighton Corporation Act 1927; and
- (c) Any order affecting the existing Borough or the Corporation which has effect as if enacted by Parliament;

as the same respectively are in force within the existing Borough immediately before the appointed day shall extend and apply to the Borough and any reference therein applicable to the existing Borough and the Corporation shall be deemed to refer to the Borough and the Corporation thereof:

Provided that the provisions of Part VI (Infectious Disease and Sanitary Provisions) of the Hove Corporation Act 1913 shall not extend to the added areas unless before the appointed day public notice shall be given in the added areas of those provisions in the manner prescribed by section 57 of that Act.

(3) The provisions of any protective clause for the benefit of the Rural Council (or the predecessors of that Council) contained in any Local Act Confirmation Act or order (by whomsoever obtained) shall in respect of all matters relating to or affecting any part of the added areas enure to the benefit of the Corporation and shall be construed as if a reference to the Corporation were substituted for any reference to the Rural Council or their predecessors.



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(4) Nothing in this Order shall alter the area for the supply of electricity by the Corporation or by the Council of the County Borough of Brighton or the limits for the supply by that County Borough Council of water or shall affect the powers or duties of either of those bodies under any Act or Order relating to electricity.

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15.—(1) Save as hereinafter provided the added areas shall be included in the district of the Brighton Intercepting and Outfall Sewers Board within the meaning and for the purposes of the Brighton Intercepting and Outfall Sewers Act 1870 and any reference in that Act or in any Act or Provisional Order amending that Act which may be applicable to the existing Borough and the Corporation thereof shall be read as a reference to the Borough and Corporation thereof :

Brighton  
 Intercepting  
 and Outfall  
 Sewers  
 Board.

Provided that as respects the existing Parish of Preston Rural and any other land to which one of the agreements entered in the Third Schedule to this Order for the drainage of certain land within the added areas to sewers of the Portslade and Southwick Outfall Sewerage Board may for the time being extend or be extended by a further agreement the existing Parish of Preston Rural or that other land shall during the continuance of the agreement for all purposes be excluded from the district of the Brighton Intercepting and Outfall Sewers Board and for the purpose of the apportionment of the costs and expenses of that Board shall be deemed not to form part of the Borough as a constituent area of the district of the Board.

(2) The Corporation shall so far as may be practicable secure that all surface water and storm water from the added areas shall be excluded from any sewer for draining the added areas which may communicate either directly or indirectly with a sewer of the Brighton Intercepting and Outfall Sewers Board.

16. Subject to the provisions of any future order of the Minister the provisions of the order of the Local Government Board dated the Twenty-fourth day of October Eighteen hundred and ninety-two (and any amending order) relating to the constitution of the New Shoreham Port Sanitary Authority and providing for the apportionment of the expenses incurred by that Port Sanitary Authority and other matters shall be read and have effect as if references to the Borough and the Corporation thereof were substituted therein for references applicable to the existing Borough of Hove and the Corporation thereof.

New  
 Shoreham  
 Port  
 Sanitary  
 Authority.

17. The added areas shall be excluded from and cease to form part of the East Sussex Western Small-pox Hospital District constituted by the East Sussex Western Small-pox Hospital District Order 1902 of the County Council as confirmed

East Sussex  
 Western  
 Small-pox  
 Hospital  
 District.

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A.D. 1927. by an order of the Local Government Board dated the Twenty-seventh day of September Nineteen hundred and two.

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Burial Acts  
1852 to 1906.

18.—(1) The Burial Acts 1852 to 1906 shall be in force within and apply to the Borough.

(2) The Corporation shall be the Burial Board for the Borough and shall have within the Borough to the exclusion of any other burial authority all the powers duties and liabilities of a Burial Board under the Burial Acts 1852 to 1906 and may exercise and perform those powers and duties in accordance with the provisions of section 36 of the Hove Commissioners Act 1873 as amended by any other Act or order :

Provided that no approval sanction or authorisation of the vestry of any parish within the Borough shall be required in respect of any act of the Corporation as the Burial Board.

(3) Subject to the provisions of the Rating and Valuation Act 1925 the expenses of the Corporation as the Burial Board shall be chargeable upon and defrayed out of the general district rate of the Borough.

(4) Any table of fees and charges in force in respect of any existing burial ground maintained by the Corporation shall extend and apply to inhabitants of the burial area as extended by this Order as such table applies to inhabitants of the existing burial area.

(5) Nothing in this Order shall prejudice or affect any right of burial or of constructing a burial place or of erecting or placing any monument tablet gravestone or inscription which any person may have acquired prior to the appointed day in relation to any burial ground.

(6) Nothing in this Order shall prejudicially affect any right privilege authority or duty which immediately before the appointed day is exercisable by or attaches to any incumbent or sexton under the Burial Acts 1852 to 1906.

Adoptive  
Acts.

19.—(1) The provisions of—

- (a) The Baths and Washhouses Acts 1846 to 1925;
- (b) The Infectious Disease (Prevention) Act 1890;
- (c) Parts II. and III. of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act 1890;
- (d) The Public Libraries Acts 1892 to 1919;
- (e) The Private Street Works Act 1892; and
- (f) The Local Government and other Officers' Superannuation Act 1922;

shall be in force within and apply to the Borough as if the same had been adopted for the Borough.

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(2) Such of the provisions of the Public Health Act 1925 as are in force immediately before the appointed day within the existing Borough by virtue of an adoption by the Corporation of those provisions shall be in force within and apply to the Borough.

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(3) The provisions of any Act adopted by the Rural Council (or their predecessors) shall subject to the provisions of this article cease to be in force within and apply to any part of the added areas.

(4) Any order under the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889 or under any adoptive enactment mentioned in this article which is in force immediately before the appointed day throughout the existing Borough shall extend and apply to the Borough and any order under the Infectious Disease (Notification) Act 1889 in force immediately before that day within the added areas shall cease to be in force within those areas.

20.—(1) The added areas shall cease to be within the area for which the County Council are the library authority under the Public Libraries Acts 1892 to 1919 the local authority for the purposes of the Notification of Births Acts 1907 and 1915 and the Maternity and Child Welfare Act 1918.

Added areas included within Borough for libraries maternity child welfare &c.

(2) For the purposes of the Acts mentioned in paragraph (1) of this article the Corporation shall be the authority for the Borough.

21.—(1) The added areas shall cease to be within the area for which the County Council are the local supervising authority for the execution of the Midwives and Maternity Homes Acts 1902 to 1926 and for all the purposes of those Acts the Corporation shall be the local supervising authority for the Borough.

Midwives and Maternity Homes Acts 1902 to 1926.

(2) The clerk of the County Council shall before the appointed day send the town clerk of the Borough a copy of every entry in the register of maternity homes for the county which relates to any maternity home situate within the Borough and the town clerk shall compile a register of maternity homes for the Borough from the particulars furnished by the clerk of the County Council.

(3) Any exemption in force immediately before the appointed day from the operation of Part II of the Midwives and Maternity Homes Act 1926 which may have been granted by the County Council in respect of premises within the Borough shall until the exemption is withdrawn by the Corporation continue in force as if it had been granted by the Corporation.

(4) This article shall have effect subject to the provisions of any Act which may be passed by Parliament to provide for the registration and inspection of nursing homes and for purposes connected therewith.

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 Orders under  
 Public  
 Health Acts  
 Amendment  
 Act 1907 or  
 Public  
 Health Act  
 1925.

22. Subject to any order which the Minister or the Secretary of State may make on or after the appointed day the following provisions shall have effect as regards orders under the Public Health Acts Amendment Act 1907 or the Public Health Act 1925—

- (1) The provisions of any order made before the appointed day and declaring to be in force throughout the existing Borough any Parts or Sections of either of those Acts shall have effect as if any reference in that order to the existing Borough extended and applied to the Borough and as if the said Parts or Sections were accordingly declared to be in force within the Borough;
- (2) Any other order under either of those Acts which is in force immediately before the appointed day throughout the existing Borough shall extend and apply to the added areas;
- (3) The provisions of any order made before the appointed day and declaring to be in force within the added areas any Parts or Sections of either of those Acts shall cease to apply to the added areas and the Parts or Sections declared by any such order to be in force shall save as hereinbefore provided cease to be in force within the added areas.

Orders under  
 ss. 33 and 34  
 of Act of  
 1894.

23.—(1) Subject to the provisions of the Rating and Valuation Act 1925 the provisions of the order made by the Local Government Board—

- (a) on the Twenty-first day of October Eighteen hundred and ninety-six conferring on the Urban District Council of Hove those powers duties and liabilities of the overseers of each parish wholly comprised within that Urban District which are mentioned in section 6 (1) (c) (i) of the Act of 1894;
- (b) on the Eighteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and ninety-six transferring to the Urban District Council of Hove the powers of the vestry of each parish wholly comprised within that Urban District under sections 3 and 4 of the Poor Rate Assessment and Collection Act 1869;

shall have effect as if the references therein to the Urban District of Hove extended and applied to the Borough and as if the references therein to each parish wholly comprised within the Urban District extended and applied to each parish comprised within the Borough.

(2) An order may be made by the Minister under section 33 of the Act of 1894 with respect to any charity held wholly or

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partly for the benefit of the inhabitants of any existing Parish included within the Parish of Hove. A.D. 1927.

24. Any order made under the Shop Hours Act 1904 or under the Shops Act 1912 or any subsequent Act providing for the closing of shops and in force immediately before the appointed day in any area affected by this Order shall subject to the provisions of those Acts remain in force and apply to the area to which it then applied. *Hove Order.*  
Orders under Shop Hours Act 1904 or Shops Acts 1912 to 1920.

25.—(1) Any byelaws made by—

(a) the Corporation for good rule and government or under the Education Act 1921 or any enactment repealed by that Act or with respect to any park pleasure ground or recreation ground or the Hove sea wall and lawns; or Byelaws regulations scales of charges &c.

(b) the Watch Committee of the Corporation;

and in force immediately before the appointed day within the existing Borough shall extend and apply to the Borough until the byelaws are repealed or altered by further byelaws.

(2) Subject to the provisions of this Order any byelaws or scale of charges made by the Corporation or by the Rural Council and in force within the existing Borough or within the added areas immediately before the appointed day—

(a) if made before the First day of January Nineteen hundred and fourteen shall continue to apply to the existing Borough or to the added areas or any of them in which they are in force as the case may be for a period of three years after the appointed day (unless previously repealed or altered by byelaws or a scale of charges made by the Corporation) but shall on the expiration of the period aforesaid cease to be in force within any part of the Borough;

(b) if made on or after the First day of January Nineteen hundred and fourteen shall continue to apply to the existing Borough or to the added areas or any of them in which they are in force as the case may be until they are repealed or altered by byelaws or a scale of charges made by the Corporation.

(3) In their application to the added areas any byelaws or scale of charges made by the Rural Council shall have effect as if they had been made by the Corporation and as if the added areas were referred to therein.

(4) Subject to the provisions of this Order all byelaws made by the County Council or by the standing joint committee of the County and in force immediately before the appointed day within the existing Borough or the added areas shall in

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(5) Any proceedings which if this Order had not been made might have been taken for any offence committed before the appointed day—

(a) within the added areas against any byelaws of the Rural Council; or

(b) within the Borough against any byelaws of the County Council or the standing joint committee which by virtue of this article cease to apply to the Borough;

may be taken by the Corporation as if the Corporation had been substituted therein for the Rural Council or the County Council as the case may require and as if the byelaws of the County Council or the standing joint committee had remained in force.

(6) Nothing in this article shall affect any byelaws made by the Council of the County Borough of Brighton under the Brighton Corporation Water Act 1924 and those byelaws shall continue to apply to the areas in which they are in force immediately before the appointed day.

(7) In this article “byelaws” includes any regulation and “scale of charges” includes any list of tolls or table of fees or payments and any reference to byelaws or a scale of charges made by the Corporation or the Rural Council shall be read as including a reference to byelaws or a scale of charges made by the predecessors of the Corporation or the Rural Council.

Education  
managers.

26. Every manager of any public elementary school within any of the added areas who was appointed by the County Council or by a parish council or parish meeting shall vacate office on the appointed day.

### PART III.

#### GUARDIANS AND RURAL DISTRICT COUNCILLORS.

Guardians  
for Parish  
of Hove.

27.—(1) The Parish of Hove shall for the purposes of the election of guardians be divided into eight wards which respectively shall be coextensive with and shall bear the same name as the eight wards mentioned in column 1 of the First Schedule to this Order as wards comprised within the Parish of Hove for the purposes of the election of councillors.

(2) The Adelaide Ward the Goldstone Ward and the Stanford Ward shall each be represented by two guardians and the remaining five wards of the Parish of Hove shall each be represented by one guardian.

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(3) Any person who immediately before the appointed day is in office as a guardian for one of the existing wards of the existing Parish of Hove shall be deemed to have been elected as and shall be a guardian for the ward of the Parish of Hove constituted by this Order which bears the same name but shall retire from office on the day on which he would have retired from office if this Order had not been made.

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(4) If immediately before the appointed day any casual vacancy shall exist in the representation of one of the existing wards of the existing Parish of Hove the vacancy shall be deemed to have arisen in the ward of the Parish of Hove constituted by this Order which bears the same name.

(5) The person who immediately before the appointed day represents the existing Parish of Preston Rural as a rural district councillor shall on the appointed day become a guardian for the Stanford Ward of the Parish of Hove as if he had been elected to that office and his term of office as a guardian shall not expire until the Fifteenth day of April Nineteen hundred and twenty-nine.

(6) If immediately before the appointed day a casual vacancy shall exist in the representation of the existing Parish of Preston Rural on the Rural Council an election of a guardian for the Stanford Ward of the Parish of Hove shall be held but any guardian elected at that election shall retire from office on the Fifteenth day of April Nineteen hundred and twenty-nine.

28.—(1) The Parish of Aldrington shall for the purposes of the election of guardians continue to be divided into two wards namely the Portland Ward and the Wish Ward.

Guardians  
for Parish  
of Aldring-  
ton.

(2) The Portland Ward and the Wish Ward of the Parish of Aldrington shall respectively be coextensive with the Portland Ward and the Wish Ward for the election of councillors of the existing Borough as those Wards exist before the operation of this Order.

29.—(1) For the purpose of the ordinary election of guardians in the year Nineteen hundred and twenty-eight and later elections the Parish of Hangleton shall be united with the Parish of West Blatchington.

Guardian  
for Parishes  
of Hangleton  
and West  
Blatching-  
ton.

(2) The Parishes as united shall be represented by one guardian.

(3) Any person who immediately before the appointed day is the rural district councillor for the Parish of Hangleton and the existing Parish of West Blatchington as united for the election of rural district councillors shall be deemed to have been elected as and shall be the guardian for the Parish of Hangleton and the Parish of West Blatchington as united by this Order for

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— on which he would have retired from office if this Order had not  
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Qualifica- 30. For the purposes of the provisions of the Act of 1894  
tion as relating to the qualification of guardians the Parish of Hove  
guardian for shall be deemed to have been extended on the First day of  
Parish of January Nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.  
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PART IV.

OFFICERS.

Meaning in 31. In this Part of this Order unless the context otherwise  
Part IV. of requires—  
“local  
authority”  
and  
“officer.”

“Local authority” means a local authority as defined  
in section 3 of the Local Government and other Officers’  
Superannuation Act 1922 and includes the standing  
joint committee of a county;

“Officer” includes a servant and any person whose  
salary is paid by a local authority.

Officers of 32. The town clerk and all other officers of the Corporation  
Corporation continued. of the existing Borough who hold office immediately before the  
appointed day shall continue to be the town clerk and officers of  
the Corporation of the Borough and shall hold their offices by  
the same tenure as before that day.

Compensa- 33.—(1) Save as otherwise provided in this article every  
tion to exist- officer in office on the date of the Act of Parliament confirming  
ing officers. this Order who by virtue of this Order or of anything done in  
pursuance or in consequence thereof suffers any direct pecuniary  
loss by abolition of office by determination of his appointment or  
by diminution or loss of fees salary or emoluments (and for whose  
compensation no other provision is made by any enactment for  
the time being in force) shall be entitled to compensation for  
that loss from the Corporation.

(2) Any officer whose services are dispensed with or whose  
fees salary or emoluments are reduced within five years after  
the appointed day because his services are not required or his  
duties are diminished in consequence of this Order and not on  
the ground of misconduct shall be deemed unless the contrary  
is shown to have suffered a direct pecuniary loss in consequence  
of this Order.

(3) This article shall have effect subject to any provision  
in the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 with respect to compensa-  
tion to existing officers of the Rural Council.



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34.—(1) In determining the compensation payable to any person who becomes entitled to compensation in pursuance of this Order regard shall be had to the conditions and circumstances mentioned in subsection (1) of section 120 of the Act of 1888 and the compensation shall not exceed the limit therein mentioned.

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tion of com-  
pensation.

(2) Any compensation payable under this Order to any officer shall be paid out of the borough fund and borough rate of the Borough and the provisions of section 120 of the Act of 1888 shall apply subject to the following and any necessary modifications :—

- (a) Any reference in that section to the county council shall be construed as a reference to the Corporation and in subsection (7) of that section for the words " the same or any other county council " there shall be substituted the words " the council of any county or county borough or under any district council " ;
- (b) References in that section to " the passing of this Act " shall be construed as references to the date on which the abolition of office takes effect or the direct pecuniary loss commences as the case may be; and
- (c) The expression in subsection (1) of that section " the " Acts and rules relating to Her Majesty's Civil " Service " shall mean the Acts and rules relating to Her Majesty's Civil Service which were in operation at the date of the passing of the Act of 1888.

(3) In computing the time of service in any capacity of any officer for the purpose of the award of compensation the Corporation shall take into account all the service of that officer (after the attainment of the age of eighteen years) in any capacity under any local authority whether such officer was appointed annually or otherwise.

(4) The compensation payable under this Order to an officer who immediately before the appointed day shall hold two or more offices under any local authority or local authorities and who shall have devoted the whole of his time to the duties of such offices shall not be reduced by reason of the fact that he has devoted only part of his time to each of such offices and for the purposes of this paragraph the offices of clerk to an assessment committee superintendent registrar and registrar of births and deaths and registrar of marriages shall be deemed to be offices under a local authority.

(5) All fees or remuneration received and retained by an officer in connection with the preparation of the register of electors under the Representation of the People Acts 1918 to 1926 shall subject to a reasonable deduction for any expenses

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(6) If any officer was temporarily absent from his employment during the war whilst serving in His Majesty's Forces or the Forces of the Allied or Associated Powers either compulsorily or with the sanction or permission of the local authority such period of temporary absence shall be reckoned as service under the local authority in whose employment he was immediately before and after such temporary absence :

Provided that in the case of an officer who after the Armistice voluntarily extended his term of service with the Forces no period of absence during such extension shall be so reckoned.

(7) The Corporation may in their discretion and in consideration of the fact that any officer was appointed to his office as a specially qualified person or of the fact that he had prior to his appointment served as a deputy assistant or clerk to any officer not holding a temporary appointment add any number of years (not exceeding ten) to the number of years which such officer would otherwise be entitled to reckon for the purpose of computing the compensation to which he would be entitled under the Acts and rules relating to Her Majesty's Civil Service as applied by this Order.

Compensation and superannuation.

35. No officer shall be entitled to receive both compensation under this Order for pecuniary loss and a superannuation or retiring allowance in respect of the same period of service and the same pecuniary loss.

PART V.

SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS.

Drainage of added areas into sewers of Portslade and Southwick Outfall Sewerage Board.

36.—(1) The powers rights duties and liabilities of the Rural Council under the agreements which are entered in the Third Schedule to this Order and relate to the drainage of certain property within the added areas to sewers of the Portslade and Southwick Outfall Sewerage Board (in this article called "the Sewerage Board") shall by virtue of this Order be transferred to and vest in or attach to the Corporation and those agreements shall have effect as if for any reference therein to the Rural Council there were substituted a reference to the Corporation :

Provided that the Rural Council shall discharge before the appointed day all liabilities under those agreements which before that day have become due from them.

(2) Without prejudice to the provisions of paragraph (1) of this article the Corporation shall secure that such byelaws as

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are within their powers for the exclusion of surface water and storm water from any sewer for draining the added areas which may communicate either directly or indirectly with the sewer of the Sewerage Board shall at all times be in force and before applying to the Minister for the repeal or alteration of any byelaw with respect to the drainage of new or existing buildings made by the Rural Council and in force within the added areas immediately before the appointed day or for the confirmation of any such new byelaw shall give notice of such application and shall submit the new byelaw to the Sewerage Board.

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37. Subject to the provisions of this Order—

Property  
&c. of Rural  
Council.

(1) Any property or liabilities which immediately before the appointed day are vested in or attach to the Rural Council in relation exclusively to the existing Parish of Hangleton the existing Parish of Preston Rural the added part of Patcham or the added part of West Blatchington or any portion of one of those added areas shall by virtue of this Order be transferred to and vest in the Corporation as the Urban Authority for the execution of the Public Health Acts 1875 to 1925;

(2) Any property or liabilities which immediately before the appointed day are vested in or attach to the Rural Council in relation to one of the added areas (or any part thereof) conjointly with any other portion of the existing Rural District shall be a matter for adjustment under section 62 of the Act of 1888.

38.—(1) The local registrar for the Rural District under the Land Charges Act 1925 and the rules made thereunder shall within fourteen days after the appointed day supply to the local registrar for the Borough an office copy of every entry in the local land charges register relating to any premises situate within the added areas and shall be paid by the Corporation in respect thereof such fees as are prescribed by the said rules.

Local land  
charges  
registers.

(2) The local registrar for the Borough shall within fourteen days after the receipt of the office copy mentioned in paragraph (1) of this article enter the same with any necessary modifications in the appropriate part of the local land charges register of the Borough.

(3) Until the expiration of one month after the appointed day the following provisions shall have effect in respect of all and within the added areas—

(a) The local registrar for the Borough shall give notice to any person desiring to make a personal search that

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an additional search should be made in the register for the Rural District;

- (b) Where application is made for an official search the local registrar for the Borough shall issue free of charge a certificate of official search in the register of the Borough and shall forward to the local registrar for the Rural District the application received by him together with the fees paid in respect thereof;
- (c) The local registrar for the Rural District shall permit and make such searches and furnish such office copies and certificates as he would have been required to permit make and furnish and shall in relation thereto have the same powers and be subject to the same obligations as if this Order had not been made;
- (d) Where a local land charge duly registered in the local land charges register of the Rural District is in pursuance of this Order transferred from the register of the Rural District to the register of the Borough such charge shall not be void as against a purchaser for money or money's worth of a legal estate in the land affected thereby by reason only that it has not been entered in the register of the Borough.

Town  
Planning  
Schemes.

39. Any resolution passed or other proceeding taken by the Rural Council under the Town Planning Act 1925 or any enactment thereby repealed (including agreements orders and consents entered into made or given under that Act or repealed enactment) shall in so far as they relate to any land within the added areas have effect as if they had been passed or taken by the Corporation in respect of that land.

Powers &c.  
of Patcham  
Parish  
Council.

40.—(1) Subject to the provisions of this Order any powers and duties transferred by or under the Act of 1894 to the Parish Council of the existing Parish of Patcham shall so far as regards the added part of Patcham be vested in and imposed on the Corporation.

(2) Any property or liabilities held or incurred by the Parish Council of the existing Parish of Patcham in relation exclusively to the added part of Patcham or any portion thereof shall by virtue of this Order be transferred to and vest in or attach to the Corporation.

(3) Any property or liabilities held or incurred by the Parish Council of the existing Parish of Patcham in relation to the added part of Patcham or any portion thereof conjointly with any other area shall be a matter for adjustment under section 6 of the Act of 1888.

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41.—(1) On the appointed day the parish meetings of the existing Parishes of Hangleton Preston Rural and West Blatchington shall cease to exist.

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(2) Subject to the provisions of this Order any powers and duties transferred by or under the Act of 1894 to any of the parish meetings mentioned in paragraph (1) of this article shall so far as regards the existing Parish of Hangleton the existing Parish of Preston Rural and the added part of West Blatchington be vested in and imposed on the Corporation.

Parish meetings of Hangleton Preston Rural and West Blatchington.

(3) Any property or liabilities held or incurred by the parish meeting of any existing parish mentioned in paragraph (1) of this article or by the representative body constituted by article 7 of the Overseers Order 1927 for any such existing parish and held or incurred—

(a) in relation to the existing Parish of Hangleton or the existing Parish of Preston Rural; or

(b) in relation exclusively to the added part of West Blatchington;

shall by virtue of this Order be transferred to and vest in or attach to the Corporation.

(4) Any property or liabilities held or incurred by the parish meeting of the existing Parish of West Blatchington or by the representative body constituted as aforesaid for that existing Parish in relation to the added part of West Blatchington conjointly with the remainder of that existing Parish shall by virtue of this Order be transferred to vest in and attach to the Corporation but shall be a matter for adjustment under section 62 of the Act of 1888.

42.—(1) Every person who at any time before the appointed day has acquired or who immediately before that day is in the course of acquiring a settlement in any existing parish affected by this Order by reason of residence birth or other qualification in any of the existing parishes or part of an existing parish specified in column 1 of the Fourth Schedule to this Order shall be deemed to have acquired or to be in the course of acquiring thereby a settlement in the parish denoted by the corresponding number in column 2 of that Schedule and as if in each case the area specified in column 1 had always been the parish denoted by the corresponding number in column 2 of the Schedule or a part of that parish.

Settlement of poor.

(2) For the purposes of this article consecutive periods of residence in any portions of an existing parish divided by this Order shall be aggregated and reckoned as continuous residence in that part of the existing parish in which the person was residing immediately before the appointed day.

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Adaptation  
of provisions  
as to adjust-  
ments.

43. For the purposes of the application of section 62 of the Act of 1888 to any adjustment which may become necessary in consequence of this Order that section shall have effect—

- (a) As if in subsections (5) (6) and (7) of that section the expression "council" included any authority affected by this Order or by anything done in pursuance of this Order; and
- (b) As if in the case of any such authority not otherwise empowered to borrow under any Act or on any security or in any manner mentioned in subsection (6) of the section that subsection empowered the authority to borrow under any Act relating to and conferring on the authority a power to borrow on the security of all or any of the funds rates and revenues of the authority and in the manner provided by the said Act but without the consent of any other authority and subject to the requirement that all money so borrowed shall be repaid within such period as the Minister may sanction; and
- (c) As if the fund or rate specified in any agreement or award of adjustment were substituted for any fund mentioned in the section; and
- (d) As if the following subsection were added to the section :—

“ (8) If it is necessary for the purpose of giving  
“ effect to any agreement or award for an adjustment  
“ that a separate rate shall be levied in part only  
“ of a parish the agreement or award may authorise  
“ such sum to be levied in that part as an additional  
“ item of the poor rate or general rate as the case  
“ may be.”

Balances in  
accounts of  
Rural  
Council.

44.—(1) Any balance standing on the appointed day in the books of the Rural Council to the credit of the existing Parish of Hangleton or the existing Parish of Preston Rural shall be paid to the Corporation.

(2) Any balance standing on the appointed day in the books of the Rural Council to the credit or debit of the existing Parish of Patcham or the existing Parish of West Blatchington shall be a matter for adjustment under section 62 of the Act of 1888.

Balances in  
accounts of  
Steyning  
Guardians.

45.—(1) Any balance standing on the appointed day in the books of the Guardians of the Steyning Union to the credit or debit of the existing Parish of Preston Rural shall be carried by the Guardians to the credit or debit of the Parish of Hove.

(2) Any balance standing on the appointed day in the books of the Guardians to the credit or debit of the existing Parish

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46.—(1) All books and documents belonging to the existing Parish of Preston Rural and all documents directed by law to be kept with the public books writings and papers of that Parish (except any book or document relating to ecclesiastical matters) shall be deposited in such custody as the Corporation may direct. Parish books and documents of Preston Rural.

(2) Any ratepayer of the existing Parish of Preston Rural shall at all times have the same right of inspection and of making extracts from the books and documents of that existing Parish which he would have had if this Order had not been made.

47.—(1) The Registration Officer of the Parliamentary County of East Sussex shall supply the Registration Officer of the Parliamentary Borough of Brighton on publication with a sufficient number of copies of the electors lists the lists of objections to the electors lists the lists of claimants and the lists of objections to claimants for each registration unit comprising any part of the added areas and shall forthwith notify the Registration Officer of the said Parliamentary Borough of his decisions on any objections or claims in respect of any such registration unit. Duplicate entries in electors lists.

(2) It shall be the duty of the Registration Officer of the Parliamentary Borough of Brighton to issue such notices and otherwise to take such steps as are required by rule 23 in the First Schedule to the Representation of the People Act 1918 in order to secure that no person is registered as a local government elector in respect of more than one qualification in the Borough for the purpose of borough council elections in the same electoral division of the Borough for the purpose of county council elections or in the same parish or ward of a parish within the Borough for the purpose of guardians' elections.

(3) Where the Registration Officer of the Parliamentary Borough of Brighton considers (whether on account of an expression of choice by a person affected by a duplicate entry or otherwise) that any correction required for any of the purposes mentioned in paragraph (2) of this article should be made in the electors list of any registration unit comprising any part of the added areas he shall forthwith notify the Registration Officer of the Parliamentary County of East Sussex and that officer shall make such correction accordingly.

(4) This article shall apply to the preparation of the register of electors in the year Nineteen hundred and twenty-seven and of later registers of electors.

48.—(1) In the preparation of the register of electors in the year Nineteen hundred and twenty-seven so far as it relates to any area affected by this Order it shall be competent to the Provisions as to register of electors.

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— each area which will constitute a registration unit after this Order  
*Hove Order.* has come into operation instead of in separate parts for each area  
constituting a registration unit before the operation of this Order.

(2) If the register of local government electors for any electoral area affected by this Order is not so framed as to show the persons entitled to vote at an election or parish meeting to be held for an electoral division parish or ward or other voting area—

(a) the Registration Officer of the Parliamentary Borough of Brighton in the case of an election for any voting area within the Borough; and

(b) the Registration Officer of the Parliamentary County of East Sussex in the case of an election or parish meeting for any voting area outside the Borough;

shall make such alteration or re-arrangement of the register as may be necessary for the purposes of such election or parish meeting.

(3) It shall be the duty of the Town Clerk of the Borough and of any officer designated under article 3 of the Overseers Order 1927 by the Corporation or by the Rural Council for the performance of the duties of overseers in relation to the preparation of the register of electors to render such assistance as may be required by either Registration Officer for the purpose of any alteration or re-arrangement authorised by paragraph (2) of this article.

(4) Where in the opinion of the Secretary of State the circumstances so require the Secretary of State may make such order as appears to him to be necessary or desirable to give effect to the provisions of this Order and may vary so far as is requisite the provisions in force with regard to the lists and registers of electors.

Assessment  
areas and  
committees.

49.—(1) The County of East Sussex (Assessment Areas and Assessment Committees) Scheme 1926 as approved by the Minister on the Eleventh day of August Nineteen hundred and twenty-six shall have effect as if for references to the existing Borough of Hove there were substituted references to the Borough as defined in this Order.

(2) Any person who immediately before the appointed day represents the existing Borough on the Assessment Committee for the West Assessment Area shall be deemed to have been appointed to represent the Borough on that Committee.

Valuation  
lists.

50. Until new valuation lists come into force—

(1) The valuation lists of the existing Parish of Hove as altered by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 of the



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existing Parish of Preston Rural and the portion of the valuation list of the existing Parish of Patcham which relates to hereditaments within the added part of Patcham shall together form the valuation list of the Parish of Hove;

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- (2) The portion of the valuation list of the existing Parish of West Blatchington which relates to hereditaments within the added part of West Blatchington shall be the valuation list of the Parish of West Blatchington.

51.—(1) Subject to any future revision the basis of the county rate of the County shall be altered as follows—

County rate  
basis.

- (a) From the amounts respectively appearing therein as the net annual values of the agricultural land and of other hereditaments in the existing Parish of Patcham there shall be deducted such sums as will represent the net annual values of the agricultural land and of other hereditaments in the added part of Patcham;
- (b) The sums deducted in pursuance of the preceding paragraph of this article shall be aggregated with the amounts appearing in the basis as the net annual values of the agricultural land and of other hereditaments respectively in the existing Parish of Hove as altered by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 and in the existing Parish of Preston Rural and the resultant totals shall be the net annual values of the agricultural land and of other hereditaments in the Parish of Hove;
- (c) The amounts appearing in the basis as the net annual value and the assessable value of the property in the existing Parish of Hove as altered by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927 shall be altered so as to correspond with the alterations made as above directed in the net annual values of the agricultural land and of other hereditaments in that existing Parish as so altered;
- (d) From the amounts respectively appearing therein as the net annual values of the agricultural land and of other hereditaments in the existing Parish of West Blatchington there shall be deducted such sums as will represent the net annual values of the agricultural land and of other hereditaments in the added part of West Blatchington and the sums so deducted shall form the net annual values of the agricultural land and of other hereditaments in the Parish of West Blatchington and the net annual value and the assessable value of property in that Parish shall be calculated from the sums so entered in the basis as the net annual values of agricultural land and other hereditaments in the Parish.

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(2) For the purposes of this article the net annual value of the agricultural land in the added part of any existing parish shall be the amount which bears the same relation to the net annual value of agricultural land in the existing parish as the total rateable value of the agricultural land in that added part bears to the total rateable value of the agricultural land in the existing parish.

(3) For the purpose of ascertaining the net annual value of other hereditaments (not being agricultural land) in the added part of any existing parish the preceding paragraph of this article shall apply with the substitution for "agricultural land" of "hereditaments other than agricultural land."

(4) In this article "net annual value" and "assessable value" mean the net annual value and assessable value according to the basis of the county rate which is being altered in pursuance of this article and "total rateable value" means the total rateable value according to the valuation list of the existing parish last in force before the basis is so altered.

Contribu-  
tion orders  
precepts and  
arrears of  
rates.

52.—(1) Notwithstanding the alterations of area effected by this Order all contribution orders and precepts made or issued before the appointed day shall be as valid in law as if this Order had not been made.

(2) All rates not collected immediately before the appointed day in respect of hereditaments within the added areas shall be collected and recovered by the Corporation but shall be a matter for adjustment under section 62 of the Act of 1888.

Deduction  
in ascertain-  
ing rateable  
value of  
tithes rail-  
ways canals  
&c.

53. For the purposes of the first new valuation list to be prepared under the Rating and Valuation Act 1925 and of any subsequent valuation list to be prepared under that Act the amount of the deduction to be made from net annual value in the ascertainment of the rateable value of such rateable hereditaments within the added areas (as defined in this Order) as are included in Class (3) of the hereditaments specified in Column (1) of Part II. of the Second Schedule to that Act shall be 35 per cent.

Differential  
rating in  
added areas.

54.—(1) During the financial year commencing on the appointed day the total amount in the pound of the general district rate or rates levied by the Corporation upon any hereditament situate within that part of the Borough which comprises the added areas shall be less than the total amount in the pound of the general district rate or rates levied by the Corporation in the same year upon hereditaments within the remainder of the Borough by the amount hereinafter specified that is to say—

(a) if the hereditament is situate within the added part of Patcham the allowance shall be three shillings in the pound; or

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(b) if the hereditament is situate within any other of the added areas the allowance shall be two shillings and sixpence in the pound.

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(2) During each of the financial years mentioned in column 2 of the Fifth Schedule to this Order the total amount in the pound of the general rate or rates levied by the Corporation upon any hereditament situate within that part of the Borough which comprises the added areas shall be less than the total amount in the pound of the general rate or rates levied by the Corporation in the same year upon hereditaments within that part of the Borough which comprises the existing Parish of Hove by the sum stated under the year in question opposite the description of the added area in column 1 of the Fifth Schedule :

Provided that—

- (a) Where a hereditament is one of those included in class (3) of the hereditaments mentioned in column (1) of Part II of the Second Schedule to the Rating and Valuation Act 1925 the amount of the abatement shall be forty per cent. of the abatement appropriate to other hereditaments within the same added area and shall be calculated to the nearest halfpenny; and
- (b) the abatement shall not exceed in any financial year the total amount in the pound of that part of the general rate which is levied to meet the expenses of the Corporation.

(3) Any relief from a general district rate or a general rate afforded to ratepayers of one of the added areas in pursuance of this article shall be specified in all demand notes for rates issued to ratepayers of the added area to which the relief extends and the net amount in the pound of the rate shall be distinguished.

55.—(1) No alteration effected by this Order shall cause to abate or shall prejudicially affect or prevent the continuance of any action cause of action or proceeding which immediately before the appointed day is pending or existing by or against the Rural Council or any contract deed bond agreement or other instrument (subsisting immediately before the appointed day) entered into or made by that Council or their predecessors :

Savings for  
actions con-  
tracts &c.

Provided that—

- (a) Any action cause of action or proceeding which immediately before the appointed day is pending or existing by or against the Rural Council in relation exclusively to any of the added areas or any part thereof may be continued prosecuted and enforced by or against the Corporation; and

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(b) All contracts deeds bonds agreements and other instruments (subsisting immediately before the appointed day) entered into or made by the Rural Council (or their predecessors) in relation exclusively to any of the added areas or any part thereof may be continued and enforced as fully and effectually as if instead of that Council (or their predecessors) the Corporation had been a party thereto.

(2) All legal proceedings pending immediately before the appointed day may be amended in such manner as may be necessary or proper in consequence of this Order.

Saving for qualification of aldermen councillors &c.

56. Any alderman councillor or guardian who is to continue in office after the appointed day shall not during his present term of office be deemed to lose his qualification for being an alderman councillor or guardian by reason of the alterations of area made by this Order.

Audit of accounts of dissolved authorities.

57.—(1) The accounts of the parish meetings of each of the existing Parishes of Hangleton Preston Rural and West Blatchington shall be made up to the appointed day and shall be audited by the district auditor in like manner and subject to the like incidents and consequences as if this Order had not been made.

(2) Any sum certified by the district auditor to be due from any person at any such audit shall be paid to the treasurer of the Borough and shall if necessary be a matter for adjustment under section 62 of the Act of 1888.

Saving for main roads within added areas.

58. Nothing in this Order shall empower the Corporation to claim to maintain and repair any main road situate within any of the added areas.

Saving for gas undertakers.

59. Nothing in this Order shall prejudice or affect the powers or duties of the Brighton and Hove General Gas Company as existing immediately before the appointed day nor shall the powers of charge in the respective districts of that company be varied or affected by reason of this Order.

Other savings.

60. Nothing in this Order shall—

(1) restrict the powers of the Minister under the Acts relating to the relief of the poor or the powers of the Secretary of State the Minister or of the council of any county or county borough under the Act of 1888 or the Act of 1894;

(2) affect the powers of the County Council for the division of the Parliamentary County of East Sussex into polling districts for parliamentary elections or

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- for the division of the County into polling districts for the election of county councillors; A.D. 1927.  
 (3) affect the ecclesiastical divisions of any parish or prejudice vary or affect any right interest or jurisdiction in or over any charitable endowment; or *Hove Order.*  
 (4) affect the operation of such of the provisions of the Rating and Valuation Act 1925 as have not come into operation.

61. This Order may be cited as the Hove (Extension) Order 1927. Short title.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

WARDS OF THE BOROUGH FOR THE ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS AND ELECTORAL DIVISIONS WITHIN THE BOROUGH FOR THE ELECTION OF COUNTY COUNCILLORS.

Column 1.	Column 2.
New Wards of the Borough.	New Electoral Divisions within the Borough.
<i>Parish of Hove.</i>	
1. Adelaide - - - -	} 1. Hove Adelaide.
2. Stanford - - - -	
3. Brunswick - - - -	} 2. Hove Brunswick.
4. Goldsmid - - - -	
5. Goldstone - - - -	3. Hove Goldstone.
6. Medina - - - -	} 4. Hove Medina.
7. Morris - - - -	
8. Vallance - - - -	5. Hove Vallance.
<i>Parishes of Aldrington Hangleton and West Blatchington.</i>	
9. Portland - - - -	6. Hove Portland.
10. Wish - - - -	7. Hove Wish.

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SECOND SCHEDULE.

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PART I.—LOCAL ACTS RELATING TO THE EXISTING BOROUGH.

Session and Chapter.	Short Title.
36 & 37 Vict. c. xcv. -	The Hove Commissioners Act 1873.
40 & 41 Vict. c. clxviii. -	The Hove Commissioners Act 1877.
2 & 3 Geo. 5. c. lx. -	The Hove Corporation Act 1912.
3 & 4 Geo. 5. c. liii. -	The Hove Corporation Act 1913.

PART II.—CONFIRMATION ACTS RELATING TO THE EXISTING  
BOROUGH.

Session and Chapter.	Short Title.	Order relating to Hove thereby confirmed.
43 & 44 Vict. c. xxxvi.	The Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (Abingdon &c.) Act 1880.	The order dated 27th April 1880.
46 & 47 Vict. c. cxxxvi.	The Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 5) Act 1883.	The order dated 16th May 1883.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

AGREEMENTS RELATING TO DRAINAGE OF CERTAIN PROPERTY  
WITHIN THE ADDED AREAS.

Date.	Parties.	Subject-matter.
5th April 1905 -	(1) The Portslade and Southwick Outfall Sewerage Board. (2) The Urban District Council of Portslade-by-Sea. (3) The Rural District Council of Steyning East.	The drainage of houses built upon certain land in the Parish of Hangleton belonging to John Jackson Clark which land is shown on a plan annexed to the Agreement.

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Date.	Parties.	Subject-matter.
13th December 1910.	As above - - -	The drainage of a golf club house erected upon certain land in the Parish of Hangleton belonging to John Jackson Clark which land is shown on a block plan appended to the Agreement.
9th January 1923.	As above - - -	The drainage and sewage disposal of the existing Parish of Preston Rural.
19th March 1925.	As above - - -	The drainage and sewage disposal of the part of the existing Parish of Patcham shown on a map annexed to the Agreement.

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FOURTH SCHEDULE.

POOR LAW SETTLEMENTS.

Column 1.

Existing Parish or part of  
 existing Parish.

Column 2.

Parish in which a  
 settlement is to be  
 acquired or in course of  
 acquisition.

- |   |   |                                     |
|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1. The existing Parish of Hove as altered by the Brighton Corporation Act 1927. | } | 1 to 3. The Parish of Hove.         |
| 2. The existing Parish of Preston Rural   |   |                                     |
| 3. The added part of Patcham - - -  |   |                                     |
| 4. The added part of West Blatchington  |   | 4. The Parish of West Blatchington. |

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RELIEF FROM THE GENERAL RATE.

Column 1. Description of added area.	Column 2. Year commencing the 1st day of April.										
	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.	1938.	1939.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
The added part of Patcham	2 9	2 6	2 3	2 0	1 9	1 6	1 3	1 0	9	6	3
The added part of West Blatchington											
The existing Parish of Hangleton	2 3	2 0	1 9	1 6	1 3	1 0	9	6	3	Nil	Nil
The existing Parish of Preston Rural											

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Health  
this Twelfth day of May Nineteen hundred and  
twenty-seven.

(L.S.)

A. B. MACLACHLAN  
Assistant Secretary Ministry of Health.

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