

CHAPTER lii.

An Act to confirm a Provisional Order under the Land A.D. 1914.

Drainage Act 1861 in the matter of a proposed drainage district in the Parish of Rippingale in the County of Lincoln.

[8th July 1914.]

WHEREAS the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have made the Provisional Order set forth in the schedule hereto under the provisions of the Land Drainage Act 1861: 24 & 25 Viet.

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

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 set out in the schedule hereto shall be and Order in; the same is hereby confirmed and all the provisions thereof shall schedule confirmed. have full validity and force.
- 2. This Act may be cited as the Land Drainage (Rippingale) Short title. Provisional Order Confirmation Act 1914.

A.D. 1914.

SCHEDULE.

LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1861.

PROVISIONAL ORDER.

In the matter of a proposed Drainage District in the Parish of Rippingale in the County of Lincoln.

- 1. The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the Land Drainage Act 1861 and the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries Acts 1889 to 1909 do by this Provisional Order constitute the lands shown on a plan sealed by the Board and thereon coloured pink a separate drainage district under the Land Drainage Act 1861.
- 2. And they do further by this their Provisional Order make the following regulations with respect to the Drainage Board (that is to say):—-
 - (A) The Drainage Board for the said district shall consist of nine members:
 - (B) The following persons shall be the members of the first Drainage Board:—

William Francis Atkinson of Dunsby Bourne in the county of Lincoln;

Edward Brett Binns of Grimsthorpe Bourne aforesaid; Arthur Wellesley Dean of Dowsby Hall Bourne aforesaid;

George Franks of Rippingale in the said county;

George Jessop of Rippingale aforesaid;

Reverend Canon William Wright Layng of Rippingale Rectory Bourne aforesaid;

Richard Miller of Rippingale aforesaid;

John William Sands of Rippingale aforesaid; and English Wakefield of Rippingale aforesaid:

(c) The first meeting of the Drainage Board shall be summoned by a notice under the hands of any two or more members of the Drainage Board which shall be published in some newspaper circulating extensively in the said district and shall be posted at the principal entrance doors of the places

of public worship or at other places where notices are A.D. 1914. usually exhibited in the said parish of Rippingale at least fourteen days before the day of meeting:

- (b) The qualification of any subsequent member of the Drainage Board shall be that he shall be—
 - (1) the proprietor of not less than ten acres of land within the said district; or
 - (2) the heir apparent of a proprietor (such proprietor not being himself a member of the Board) of not less than ten acres of land within the said district; or
 - (3) the occupying tenant yearly or otherwise of not less than twenty acres of land within the said district; or
 - (4) the agent of a proprietor of not less than ten acres of land within the said district such agent acting under a written appointment and his principal not being a member of the Board:
- (E) The members of the first Drainage Board shall vacate their offices on the first Thursday in September in the year following that in which this Provisional Order shall have been confirmed by Parliament:
- (F) The electors for members of the Drainage Board shall be the persons who were during the year immediately preceding such election liable to be rated to any drainage rate of the said district leviable by the Drainage Board and have paid all such rates (if any) levied and due from them at the time of such election.
- 3. This Order shall not in anywise take away affect prejudice or diminish any rights interests powers or jurisdiction of the Black Sluice Commissioners.
 - In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their official seal this sixth day of January nineteen hundred and fourteen.

(L.S.)

(Signed)

SYDNEY OLIVIER

Secretary.

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