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# CHAPTER cxx.

An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local A.D. 1893. Government Board relating to the Urban Sanitary Districts of Bury, Chard (two), Chorley (two), Darwen, and Leicester, and to the Port of Liverpool.

29th June 1893.

WHEREAS the Local Government Board have made the Provisional Orders set forth in Schedule A hereto under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, and the Order set 38 & 39 Vict. forth in Schedule B hereto under the provisions of the Local c. 55. Government Act, 1888:

51 & 52 Vict.

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

Be it therefore enacted by the Qucen'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 as altered and set out in Schedules A and B hereto Orders in schedule shall be and the same are hereby confirmed, and all the provisions confirmed. thereof shall have full validity and force.
- 2. This Act may be cited as the Local Government Board's Short title. Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 11) Act, 1893.

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# SCHEDULE A.

Bury Order.

# BOROUGH OF BURY.

Provisional Order for altering certain Local Acts.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Bury, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Borough of Bury (herein-after referred to as "the Borough") is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, acting by the Council (herein-after referred to as "the Corporation"), are the Urban Sanitary Authority, and the unrepealed provisions of the Bury Improvement Act, 1872, the Bury Improvement Act, 1885, and the Bury Corporation Gas Act, 1890 (all which Acts are herein-after together referred to as "the Local Acts," and each of which Acts is herein-after referred to as the Act of the year in which it was passed), as altered by certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board duly confirmed by Parliament, but which do not affect the subject-matter of this Order, are in force in the Borough;

And whereas by Section 50 of the Act of 1872 the Bury Improvement Commissioners (who were the predecessors of the Corporation, and are herein-after referred to as "the Commissioners,") were empowered to apply any funds in their hands not specifically appropriated to any other purpose in cleansing, scouring, pitching, forming, or otherwise improving the beds, water ways or courses, and banks of the stream or brook called Barn Brook, and any other streams or watercourses within the Borough;

And whereas by Section 148 of the Act of 1872 the Commissioners were empowered to borrow the sums on the securities in that section mentioned;

And whereas by sub-section (3) of Section 135 of the Act of 1885 the term "statutory security" for the purposes of Part XV. of that Act includes (inter alia) any mortgage, bond, debenture, debenture stock, corporation stock, annuity, rentcharge, rent, or other security authorised by or under any Act of Parliament passed or to be passed of any municipal corporation, including the Corporation;

And whereas by Section 136 of the Act of 1885 the Corporation are empowered from time to time, by resolution of the Council, to exercise any statutory borrowing power by creation of stock, either redeemable or irredeemable, to be from time to time issued in accordance with the provisions of that Act;

35 & 36 Vict.
c. cxlvi.
48 & 49 Vict.
c. cxlvi.
53 & 54 Vict.
c. lxix.

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And whereas by Section 15 of the Act of 1890 the Corporation were A.D. 1893. empowered from time to time, independently of any other borrowing power, to borrow at interest any sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole twenty-five thousand pounds, for the construction of the railway and works by that Act authorised, and for that purpose to mortgage the Bury general rate and the revenue of their gas undertaking, or either of those securities:

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Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any 38 & 39 Vict. other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the date c. 55. of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the Local Acts shall be altered so as to provide as follows (that is to say): ---

- Art. I. The Corporation may, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, and subject to the provisions of this Order, borrow the sums on the securities and for the purposes following (that is to say):---
  - (1.) On the security of the district fund and general district rate of the Borough, such sum or sums, not exceeding eight thousand pounds, as may be required for the purpose of any works authorised by Section 50 of the Act of 1872 in connexion with Barn Brook; and
  - (2.) On the security of the Bury general rate and the revenue arising from their gas undertaking, or upon either of such securities, such sums, not exceeding in the whole the sum of fifteen thousand pounds, as may from time to time be necessary for the purpose of completing the railway and works authorised by the Act of 1890.
- Art. II. For the purpose of raising money by virtue of this Order, the provisions of the Local Loans Act, 1875, shall be available to the Corporation, and Sections 236 to 238, both inclusive, of the Public Health Act, 1875, shall apply to all moneys raised and borrowed on mortgage by virtue of this Order.
- Art. III. The moneys borrowed by virtue of this Order shall be repaid within such period, not exceeding thirty years from the date of borrowing, as the Corporation, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, shall determine; and the period so determined and sanctioned is herein-after referred to as "the prescribed period," and shall be the prescribed period for the purpose of the Local Loans Act, 1875.
- Art. IV.—(1.) The Corporation shall repay the moneys borrowed by virtue of this Order (other than moneys borrowed under the provisions of the Local Loans Act, 1875,) by equal annual instalments of principal, or by equal annual instalments of principal and interest combined, or by means of a sinking fund, or partly by one of these methods and partly by another or the others of them.
- (2.) Subject to the provisions of Article V. of this Order, if the Corporation determine to repay by means of a sinking fund any moneys borrowed by virtue of this Order, such sinking fund shall be formed and maintained either-
  - (a.) By payment to the fund throughout the prescribed period of such equal annual sums as will together amount to the moneys for the repayment of which the sinking fund is formed. A sinking fund so formed is herein-after called a non-accumulating sinking fund; or

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- (b.) By payment to the fund throughout the prescribed period of such equal annual sums as with accumulations at a rate not exceeding three pounds per centum per annum will be sufficient to pay off within the prescribed period the moneys for the repayment of which such sinking fund is formed. A sinking fund so formed is herein-after called an accumulating sinking fund.
- (3.) Every sum paid to a sinking fund, and, in the case of an accumulating sinking fund, the interest on the investments of the sinking fund, shall, unless applied in repayment of the loan in respect of which the sinking fund is formed, be immediately invested in statutory securities, as defined by the Act of 1885 as hereby altered, the Corporation being at liberty from time to time to vary and transpose such investments.
- (4.) In the case of a non-accumulating sinking fund the interest on the investments of the fund may be applied by the Corporation towards the equal annual payments to the fund.
- (5.) The Corporation may at any time apply the whole or any part of any sinking fund in or towards the discharge of the money for the repayment of which the fund is formed: Provided that in the case of an accumulating sinking fund, the Corporation shall pay into the fund each year, and accumulate during the residue of the prescribed period, a sum equivalent to the interest which would have been produced by such sinking fund so applied, if invested, at the rate per centum per annum on which the annual payments to the sinking fund are based.
- (6.)—(a.) If and so often as the income of an accumulating sinking fund is not equal to the income which would be derived from the amount invested if the same were invested at the rate per centum per annum on which the equal annual payments to the fund are based, any deficiency shall be made good by the Corporation.
  - (b.) If and so often as the income of an accumulating sinking fund is in excess of the income which would be derived from the amount invested if the same were invested at the rate per centum per annum on which the equal annual payments to the fund are based, any such excess may be applied towards such equal annual payments.
  - (7.) Any expenses connected with the formation, maintenance, investment, application, management, or otherwise of any sinking fund under this Order shall be paid by the Corporation, in addition to the payments provided for by this Order.
  - Art. V.—(1.) If it appears to the Corporation at any time that the amount in the sinking fund, with the future payments thereto, in accordance with the provisions of this Order, together with the accumulations thereon (in the case of an accumulating sinking fund), will probably not be sufficient to repay within the prescribed period the moneys for the repayment of which the sinking fund is formed, it shall be the duty of the Corporation to make such increased payments to the sinking fund as will cause the sinking fund to be sufficient for that purpose: Provided that if it appears to the Local Government Board that any such increase is necessary, the Corporation shall increase the payments to such extent as the Board may direct.

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(2.) If the Corporation desire to accelerate the repayment of any loan they may increase the amounts payable to any sinking fund.

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- (3.) If the amount in any sinking fund, with the future payments thereto, in accordance with the provisions of this Order, together with the accumulations thereon (in the case of an accumulating sinking fund), will, in the opinion of the Local Government Board, be more than sufficient to repay within the prescribed period the moneys for the repayment of which the sinking fund is formed, the Corporation may reduce the payments to be made to the sinking fund, either temporarily or permanently, to such an extent as that Board shall approve.
- (4.) If the amount in any sinking fund at any time, together with the probable accumulations thereon (in the case of an accumulating sinking fund), will, in the opinion of the Local Government Board, be sufficient to repay the loan in respect of which it is formed within the prescribed period, the Corporation may, with the consent of that Board, discontinue the equal annual payments to such sinking fund until the Board shall otherwise direct.
- (5.) Any surplus of any sinking fund remaining after the discharge of the whole of the moneys for the repayment of which it was formed shall be applied to such purpose or purposes as the Corporation, with the consent of the Local Government Board, may determine.

Art. VI. The Corporation shall, except as herein-after provided, have power to re-borrow for the purpose of paying off any moneys borrowed or re-borrowed by virtue of this Order which have not been repaid and are intended to be forthwith repaid, or in respect of any moneys which have been repaid by the temporary application of funds at the disposal of the Corporation within twelve months before the re-borrowing, and which at the time of the repayment it was intended to re-borrow:

Provided that the Corporation shall not have power to re-borrow for the purpose of paying off any moneys repaid by instalments or annual payments, or by means of a sinking fund, or out of moneys derived from the sale of land, or out of any capital moneys properly applicable to the purpose of such repayment, other than moneys borrowed for that purpose: Provided also, that any moneys re-borrowed shall be deemed to form the same loan as the money for the repayment of which the re-borrowing has been made, and shall be repaid within the prescribed period.

Art. VII.—(1.) The treasurer of the Borough shall, within twenty-one days after the Twenty-fifth day of March in each year, if during the twelve months next preceding the said Twenty-fifth day of March any sum is required to be paid as an instalment or annual payment, or to be appropriated, or to be paid to a sinking fund, in pursuance of the provisions of this Order, or in respect of any money raised thereunder, and at any other time when the Local Government Board may require such a return to be made, transmit to the Local Government Board a return, in such form as may from time to time be prescribed by that Board, and, if required by the Board, verified by statutory declaration of the treasurer of the Borough, showing for the year next preceding the making of such return, or for such other period as the Board may prescribe, the amounts which have been appropriated, and the amounts which have been

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paid to or invested or applied for the purpose of the sinking fund, and the description of the securities upon which any investment has been made, and the purposes to which any portion of the sinking fund or investment or of the sums accumulated by way of compound interest, has been applied during the same period, and the total amount (if any) remaining invested at the end of the year; and, in the event of his failing to make such return, the treasurer shall for each offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds, to be recovered by action on behalf of the Crown in the High Court; and, notwith-standing the recovery of such penalty, the making of the return shall be enforceable by writ of mandamus to be obtained by the Local Government Board out of the High Court.

- (2.) If it appears to the Local Government Board by that return, or otherwise, that the Corporation have failed to pay any instalment or annual payment required to be paid, or to appropriate any sum required to be appropriated, or to set apart any sum required for any sinking fund (whether such instalment or annual payment or sum is required by this Order, or by the Local Government Board in virtue thereof, to be paid, appropriated, or set apart), or have applied any portion of any sinking fund to any purpose other than those authorised, the Local Government Board may, by Order, direct that the sum in such Order mentioned, not exceeding double the amount in respect of which default has been made, shall be paid or applied as in such Order mentioned; and any such Order shall be enforceable by writ of mandamus to be obtained by the Local Government Board out of the High Court.
- Art. VIII. All moneys from time to time borrowed by virtue of this Order shall be applied by the Corporation only for the purposes for which the same are respectively authorised to be borrowed, excepting that moneys which may have been borrowed in excess of the amount required shall be applied in such manner as the Corporation, with the approval of the Local Government Board, determine.
- Art. IX. Where the Local Government Board cause any local inquiry to be held with reference to any of the purposes of this Order, the costs incurred by that Board in relation to such inquiry (including such reasonable sum, not exceeding three guineas a day, as that Board may determine, for the services of any inspector or officer of the Board engaged in such inquiry) shall be paid by the Corporation, and the Local Government Board may certify the amount of the costs so incurred, and any sum so certified and directed by that Board to be paid by the Corporation shall be a debt due to the Crown from the Corporation.
- Art. X.—(1.) The mortgagees of the Corporation by virtue of this Order may enforce the payment of arrears of interest or of principal, or of principal and interest, by the appointment of a receiver. The amount of arrears to authorise the appointment of a receiver shall not be less than five hundred pounds in the whole.
- (2.) The application for the appointment of a receiver shall be made to the High Court, and the Court, if it thinks fit, may appoint a receiver on such terms as it thinks fit, and may at any time discharge the receiver and otherwise exercise full jurisdiction over him.

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Art. XI.—(1.) The Corporation shall cease to have power to create and issue A.D. 1893. irredeemable stock. Bury

(2.) The Corporation shall not invest any sinking fund established by them in any security of the Corporation.

Art. XII. Sub-section (3) of Section 135 of the Act of 1885 shall be altered by the insertion of the words "other than the Corporation" in lieu of the words "including the Corporation."

> Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Thirteenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninetythree.

(1..s.)

HENRY H. FOWLER, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

# BOROUGH OF CHARD.

Chard Order.

Order.

Provisional Order for altering the mode of defraying the Expenses of an Urban Sanitary Authority.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Chard, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS at the time of the passing of the Public Health Act, 1875, the expenses incurred by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Chard, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough for sanitary purposes, were defrayed otherwise than in the manner provided by the Local Government Acts;

And whereas the Local Government Board have received an application from the said Urban Sanitary Authority, praying them to declare, by Provisional Order, that the expenses of the said Urban Sanitary Authority incurred in the execution of the Public Health Act, 1875, shall be defrayed out of a district fund and general district rate to be levied by them under that Act:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 208 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other 38 & 39 Vict. Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the Twenty-ninth c. 55. day of September, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, all the expenses of the said Urban Sanitary Authority incurred in the execution of the Public Health Act, 1875, shall be defrayed out of a district fund and general district rate to be levied by them under that Act, subject to the provisions of

A.D. 1893. that Act with respect to the mode of defraying in certain cases the expenses of  $\frac{1}{Chard}$  the repair of highways.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Tenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

(L,S,)

HENRY H. Fowler, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

Chorley Order. (1.)

Order.

(I.)

# BOROUGH OF CHORLEY.

Provisional Order for altering certain Local Acts and a Confirming Act.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Chorley, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Borough of Chorley (herein-after referred to as "the Borough") is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, acting by the Council (herein-after referred to as "the Corporation"), are the Urban Sanitary Authority, and the unrepealed provisions of the Chorley Improvement Act, 1853, and the Chorley Improvement Act, 1871 (which Acts are herein-after together referred to as "the Local Acts," and each of which Acts is herein-after referred to as the Act of the year in which it was passed), as altered by the Provisional Orders herein-after recited, are in force in the Borough;

And whereas by Section 147 of the Act of 1871 the Chorley Commissioners, who were the predecessors of the Corporation, were empowered to borrow for the purposes of the Local Acts, in addition to the amount of their existing debt, any further sums not exceeding the sum of eighty-five thousand pounds;

And whereas by Article V. of a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the Fifth day of June, One thousand eight hundred and ninety, and duly confirmed by the Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 12) Act, 1890 (which Order and Act are herein-after respectively referred to as "the Order of 1890" and "the Confirming Act of 1890"), Section 147 of the Act of 1871 was altered so as to enable the Corporation, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, and subject to the provisions of the Order, to borrow, on the security of the general improvement rate, and for the purposes of the Local Acts, any sum or sums, not exceeding in the whole the sum of ten thousand and seven hundred pounds, in addition to any sum which they were authorised to borrow under the Local Acts;

And whereas by another Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the Fifth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and duly

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34 & 35 Vict.
c. lxvi.

53 & 54 Vict. c. clxxx. [56 & 57 Vict.] Local Government Board's [Ch. cxx.] Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 11) Act, 1893.

confirmed by the Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 10) Act, 1891 (which Order and Act are herein-after respectively referred to as "the Order of 1891" and "the Confirming Act of 1891"), the Act of 1871 was further altered so as to enable the Corporation to borrow, on the security of the revenue arising from their gas undertaking and of the general improvement rate, such sums as might be necessary to enable the Corporation to purchase and redeem, by agreement with the annuitants, all or any of the gas annuities payable under Section 78 of the Act of 1871:

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Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by 38 & 39 Vict. any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the date c. 55. of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the following provisions shall take effect (that is to say):—

- Art. I.—(1.) The Local Acts and the Confirming Acts of 1890 and 1891, so far as they respectively relate to the Orders of 1890 and 1891, shall be altered so as to enable the Corporation, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, and subject to the provisions of this Order, to borrow the following sums in addition to the sums which they are authorised to borrow by the Local Acts and the Orders; viz.,--
  - (a.) On the security of the revenue arising from their gas undertaking and of the general improvement rate, or upon either of such securities, such sum or sums as may be necessary for the purposes of that undertaking, not exceeding in the whole the sum of nineteen thousand six hundred and forty pounds.
  - (b.) On the security of the general improvement rate, such sum or sums as may be necessary for the purposes of their public slaughter-houses, not exceeding in the whole the sum of three hundred and sixty pounds.
- (2.) The provisions of subdivisions (2) to (7) of Article V. and the provisions of Article VI. of the Order of 1890 shall (mutatis mutandis) apply to any moneys borrowed under this Order as if such moneys were borrowed under the Order of 1890.
- Art. II. The Local Acts shall be further altered so as to provide that, where the Local Government Board cause any local inquiry to be held with reference to any of the purposes of this Order, the costs incurred by that Board in relation to such inquiry (including such reasonable sum, not exceeding three guineas a day, as that Board may determine, for the services of any inspector or officer of the Board engaged in such inquiry) shall be paid by the Corporation, and the Local Government Board may certify the amount of the costs so incurred, and any sum so certified and directed by that Board to be paid by the Corporation shall be a debt due to the Crown from the Corporation.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Tenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

(L.s.)

HENRY H. Fowler, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

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### BOROUGH OF CHORLEY.

Chorley.
Order.
(2.)

Provisional Order for altering the Chorley Improvement Act, 1871.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Chorley, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

34 & 35 Viet. e. lxvi WHEREAS the Borough of Chorley is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, acting by the Council (herein-after referred to as "the Corporation"), are the Urban Sanitary Authority, and the unrepealed provisions of the Chorley Improvement Act, 1871 (herein-after referred to as "the Local Act"), as altered by certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board duly confirmed by Parliament, but which do not affect the subject-matter of this Order, are in force in the said Borough;

And whereas by Section 10 of the Local Act it was enacted that that Act should, with respect to the supply of gas, be put in force within the following limits, herein-after called "the Chorley gas limits," that is to say, the Township and Parish of Chorley, the Townships of Duxbury, Heath Charnock, Coppull, Charnock Richard, in the Parish of Standish, and the Townships of Euxton, Heapey, Wheelton, and Whittle-le-Woods in the Parish of Leyland, all in the County of Lancaster;

26 Viet. c. viii. And whereas by virtue of Section 3 of the Leyland and Farington Gas Act, 1863, the Township of Clayton-le-Woods, in the Parish of Leyland, is comprised in the limits within which the Leyland and Farington Gas Company are by that Act authorised to supply gas, but that Company are unable or unwilling to supply gas within the part of that Township herein-after defined, and it is expedient that the Chorley gas limits should be extended so as to include that part of the said Township:

38 & 39 Vict. c. 55. Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, Section 10 of the Local Act shall be altered so that the Chorley gas limits shall be extended to include, in addition to the Parish and Townships now within those limits, so much of the Township of Clayton-le-Woods as lies either east of the road described on the six-inch Ordnance Map as the "Wigan and Preston (north of the Yarrow) Trust (Higher Road)" or not more than one quarter of a mile due west of so much of the said road as is north of Oak Vale, or not more than half a mile due west of so much of the said road as is south of Oak Vale.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Tenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

(L.s.)

HENRY H. FOWLER, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

#### BOROUGH OF DARWEN.

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DarwenOrder.

Provisional Order for altering the Darwen Corporation Act, 1887.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Darwen, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Borough of Darwen is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, acting by the Council (herein-after referred to as "the Corporation"), are the Urban Sanitary Authority, and the Darwen 50 & 51 Vict. Corporation Act, 1887 (herein after referred to as "the Local Act"), is in force c. clii. in the Borough;

And whereas by Section 151 of the Local Act the Corporation were empowered, in addition to any moneys they were then authorised to borrow, or which they might be authorised to borrow under the provisions of the Public Health Acts or any public general Act, to borrow (inter alia), on the security of the water rates and other rates, rents, and profits payable to the Corporation for the supply of water, and the general district rate, for the extension and improvement of the waterworks, ten thousand pounds;

And whereas by Section 153 of the Local Act the period within which the moneys borrowed under the Local Act are to be repaid is prescribed;

And whereas by Section 155 of the Local Act provision was made with respect to the mode of repayment of moneys borrowed under the Local Act:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other 38 & 39 Vict. Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the date of c. 55. the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the Local Act shall be altered so as to provide as follows (that is to say):—

- Art. I. Section 151 shall be altered by the insertion therein of the words "For the extension and improvement of the waterworks, thirty thousand " pounds: Provided that no more than ten thousand pounds of the said sum of "thirty thousand pounds shall be borrowed without the sanction of the "Local Government Board" in lieu of the words "For the extension and
- "improvement of the waterworks, ten thousand pounds."

Art. II. Section 153 shall be altered so as to provide that all moneys borrowed with the sanction of the Local Government Board under the powers conferred by this Order shall be repaid within such period, not exceeding forty years from the date of borrowing, as the Corporation, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, shall determine, and the period so determined and sanctioned shall be the prescribed period for the purpose of the Local Loans Act, 1875, and of Section 155 of the Local Act.

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Order.

Art. III. Section 155 shall be altered by the addition thereto of the following provision:—

- "(6.) If it appears to the Corporation at any time that the amount in any sinking fund to which this section relates, with the future payments
  - "thereto, in accordance with the provisions of this section, together with the accumulations thereon, will probably not be sufficient to repay the
  - "moneys in respect of which the sinking fund is formed within the period
- " prescribed for their repayment, it shall be the duty of the Corporation to
- "make such increased payments to the sinking fund as will cause the
- " sinking fund to be sufficient for that purpose: Provided that if it appears
- " to the Local Government Board that any such increase is necessary, the
- "Corporation shall increase the payments to such extent as the Board may
- " direct."

Arc. IV. Where the Local Government Board cause any local inquiry to be held with reference to any of the purposes of the Local Act, the costs incurred by that Board in relation to such inquiry (including such reasonable sum, not exceeding three guineas a day, as that Board may determine, for the services of any inspector or officer of the Board engaged in such inquiry) shall be paid by the Corporation, and the Local Government Board may certify the amount of the costs so incurred, and any sum so certified and directed by that Board to be paid by the Corporation shall be a debt due to the Crown from the Corporation.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Tenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

(L.s.)

HUGH OWEN, Secretary.

Leicester Order.

#### BOROUGH OF LEICESTER.

Provisional Order for altering the Leicester Corporation Act, 1884.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Leicester, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Borough of Leicester (herein-after referred to as "the Borough") is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, acting by the Council (herein-after referred to as "the Corporation"), are the Urban Sanitary Authority, and the unrepealed provisions of the Leicester Corporation Act, 1884 (herein-after referred to as "the Local Act"), as altered by certain other Local Acts, and by a Provisional Order duly confirmed by Parliament, which do not affect the subject-matter of this Order, are in force in the Borough;

47 & 48 Vict. c. xxxii.

And whereas by Section 4 of the Local Act the term statutory security includes (inter alia) any mortgage, bond, debenture, debenture stock, corporation stock, annuity, rentcharge, rent, or other security authorised by or under any Act of Parliament passed or to be passed of any municipal corporation, including the Corporation;

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And whereas by Section 10 of the Local Act the Corporation were empowered to borrow money for the purposes in that section mentioned;

And whereas by Section 25 of the Local Act the Corporation were empowered from time to time, by resolution of the Council, to exercise any statutory borrowing power by creation of stock, either redeemable or irredeemable, to be from time to time issued in accordance with the provisions of that Act, but it was provided that all redeemable stock at any time, and from time to time, created should be created on and subject to such terms and conditions as that the same should be of one and the same class of stock;

And whereas by Section 28 of the Local Act provision is made for the establishment of the Leicester Corporation Loans Fund for the payment of dividends on all Corporation Stock, and for redemption and extinction, or purchase and extinction, of all Corporation Stock:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other 38 & 39 Vict. Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the date of the c. 55. Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the Local Act shall be altered so as to provide as follows (that is to say):—

- Art. I. The Corporation may from time to time, if they think fit, by resolution determine that any sum or sums which the Guardians of the Poor of the Leicester Union or the Leicester School Board (each of which Authorities is herein-after referred to as the "borrowing authority") may be by law authorised to borrow or re-borrow upon the security of any rates or funds, and which the borrowing authority may be desirous of borrowing from the Corporation, shall be lent by the Corporation accordingly.
- Art. II. Any sum or sums which the Corporation shall resolve to lend as aforesaid may be raised either by the issue of Leicester Corporation Redeemable Stock according to the provisions of the Local Act as hereby altered, or by borrowing or re-borrowing the same on mortgage of the borough fund and district fund and general district rate; and the provisions of Sections 236 to 239, both inclusive, of the Public Health Act, 1875, shall apply to all money raised 38 & 39 Vict. by borrowing on mortgage under this Article:

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Provided that the Corporation shall not raise any money under the powers conferred by this Order by the issue of Leicester Corporation Irredeemable Stock.

- Art. III. The following previsions shall apply to moneys borrowed or raised for the purpose of loans to a borrowing authority:--
  - (1.) The sum shall be lent by the Corporation to a borrowing authority for a period not exceeding that for which the borrowing authority is authorised to borrow or re-borrow the same, and with a provision for repayment by equal annual instalments of principal or of principal and interest combined.

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- (2.) If any sum payable to the Corporation for principal in respect of any sum lent to a borrowing authority shall not be received within six months of the time appointed for the payment thereof, a like sum shall be set apart out of the borough fund; and if after the application or investment of the sum so set apart, or the payment thereof into the loans fund, as hereinafter provided by this Article, the whole or any part thereof shall be received by the Corporation, the sum so received shall be carried to the credit of the borough fund.
- (3.) The following provisions shall apply to moneys borrowed and not raised by the issue of stock:—-
  - (a.) Every sum so borrowed shall be repaid by the Corporation within a period to expire not more than one year after that for which the same was lent by them to the borrowing authority.
  - (b.) All sums received from any borrowing authority for interest shall be applied towards the payment of interest payable in respect of moneys so borrowed, the balance (if any) being carried to the credit of the borough fund.
  - (c.) All sums received from any borrowing authority for principal, and all sums set apart out of the borough fund under subdivision (2) of this Article, shall be applied towards the repayment of the principal payable in respect of moneys so borrowed, and until so applied shall be invested in statutory securities, other than securities of the Corporation, the Corporation being at liberty from time to time to vary and transpose such investments. The interest derived from such investments shall be applied in making good any loss or deficiency of or in the principal moneys so invested that may arise by depreciation of the investments or otherwise, and if not required for that purpose shall be applied as if the same had been received for interest from a borrowing authority.
- (4.) The following provisions shall apply to moneys raised by the issue of stock:—
  - (a.) All sums received from any borrowing authority for interest shall be paid into the loans fund established in respect of the stock so issued, and shall be applied in paying the dividends on such stock.
  - (b.) All sums received from any borrowing authority for principal, and all sums set apart out of the borough fund in pursuance of subdivision (2) of this Article, shall be paid into the loans fund established in respect of the stock so issued, and shall be applied in the redemption or purchase and extinction of such stock, and until so applied shall be invested in statutory securities, other than securities of the Corporation, the Corporation being at liberty from time to time to vary and transpose such investments. The interest derived from such investments shall be applied in making good any loss or deficiency of or in the principal moneys so invested that may arise by depreciation of the investments or otherwise.
  - (c.) If the sum received as interest from any borrowing authority, or derived from such investments as aforesaid, is more than is required 14

for the purpose to which the same is to be applied as above mentioned, the surplus may be applied in reduction of any contributions payable out of Corporation revenues in respect of dividends on the stock so issued.

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- (5.) If any doubt shall arise as to how much of any sum received by the Corporation from any borrowing authority is to be regarded as principal or interest, the question shall be determined by the Local Government Board.
- (6.) The town clerk of the Borough shall, within twenty-one days after the Thirty-first day of March in each year, if during the twelve months next preceding the said Thirty-first day of March any sum is payable to the Corporation in respect of moneys lent by them to the borrowing authority, and raised otherwise than by the issue of stock, and at any other time when the Local Government Board may require such a return to be made, transmit to the Local Government Board a return, in such form as may be prescribed by that Board, and verified by statutory declaration, if so required by them, showing, for the year next preceding the making of such return, the amounts which have been received from the borrowing authority for principal, the amounts which have been applied directly towards the repayment of the principal payable in respect of moneys raised under Article II. of this Order, and the amounts which have been invested, and the description of the securities upon which any investment has been made, and the purposes to which any portion of the investment has been applied during the same period, and the total amount (if any) remaining invested at the end of the year; and, in the event of his failing to make such return, such town clerk shall for each offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds, to be recovered by action on behalf of the Crown in the High Court, and, notwithstanding the recovery of such penalty, the making of the return shall be enforceable by writ of mandamus to be obtained by the Local Government Board out of the High Court.
- (7.) If it appears to the Local Government Board by that return, or otherwise, that the Corporation have failed to apply or invest, as required by paragraph (c) of subdivision (3) of this Article, any sum by that paragraph required to be applied or invested, or have misapplied any of the investments or the produce of the sale thereof, the Local Government Board may, by Order, direct that the sum in such Order mentioned, not exceeding double the amount in respect of which such default or misapplication has occurred, shall be applied directly towards repayment of principal, or be invested, and any such Order shall be enforceable by writ of mandamus to be obtained by the Local Government Board out of the High Court.
- Art. IV.—(1.) Notwithstanding anything contained in Section 25 of the Local Act, the Corporation may from time to time exercise any statutory borrowing power by the creation and issue, under the powers of the Local Act, of a new class of redeemable stock, at such price, not being lower than ninety-five pounds per centum, and bearing such dividend, not exceeding three pounds per centum per annum, as the Corporation may, by the resolution for such issue, determine:

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Provided that all stock at any time, and from time to time, so created shall be created on and subject to such terms and conditions as that the same shall form one and the same class of stock, bearing one and the same rate of dividend, and shall become redeemable as herein-after provided, after the expiration of the same period from the first creation of the stock.

- (2.) After the expiration of such a period from the creation of the stock as the Corporation shall by the resolution creating such stock declare, the stock shall be redeemable at par at the option of the Corporation, and within such a period (not exceeding sixty years) from the first creation of the stock, as the Corporation shall by such resolution declare, the whole of the stock shall be redeemed or purchased and extinguished.
- (3.) All stock created and issued under this Article shall be charged in the same manner as, and rank pari passu with, stock issued under the Local Act, and shall otherwise be subject to the provisions of the Local Act, except so far as the same are expressly altered by this Order.
- Art. V.—(1.) A separate loans fund, to be called the Leicester Corporation Loans Fund (No. 2), shall be established and formed in respect of any stock which may be created and issued by the Corporation under Article IV. of this Order, and all the provisions of the Local Act as altered by this Order in regard to the loans fund established under Section 28 shall, mutatis mutandis, apply to the separate loans fund so to be established and formed: Provided that the Corporation shall not be empowered to apply any part of the Leicester Corporation Loans Fund in purchasing or redeeming any stock created in pursuance of Article IV. of this Order, or any part of the Leicester Corporation Loans Fund (No. 2) in purchasing or redeeming any stock not created under that Article: Provided also, that the Corporation shall not be empowered to invest any sums paid into the Leicester Corporation Loans Fund (No. 2) in statutory securities of the Corporation.
- (2.) So long as any moneys are required to be paid to the Leicester Corporation Loans Fund under the provisions of sub-section (1) of Section 32 of the Local Act, no moneys shall be required to be paid to the Leicester Corporation Loans Fund (No. 2) under that sub-section:

Provided that if any money to which that sub-section applies shall arise from any sale, lease, or other disposition of land or other property which shall have been purchased or otherwise acquired by means of money raised by stock created under Article IV. of this Order, or by means of moneys which shall have been converted into stock so created, then the money so arising shall be paid into the Leicester Corporation Loans Fund (No. 2).

Art. VI. The Local Government Board may at any time and from time to time, on the application of the Corporation, approve a scheme for the consolidation for the purposes of repayment of all or any of the loans raised by the Corporation (otherwise than by the issue of stock) under any statutory borrowing power, whether or not existing at the date of the Act confirming this Order, and any such scheme shall fix the period or periods within which the loans so consolidated shall be discharged, and for that purpose may extend or vary any period allowed for the payment off of such loans by the statutory borrowing power: Provided that the Local Government Board, in

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approving the period or periods as aforesaid, shall have due regard to the amounts of the several loans and the periods allowed for the payment off of such loans respectively by the statutory borrowing power.

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Art. VII. Where the Local Government Board cause any local inquiry to be held with reference to any of the purposes of this Order, the costs incurred by that Board in relation to such inquiry (including such reasonable sum, not exceeding three guineas a day, as that Board may determine, for the services of any inspector or officer of the Board engaged in such inquiry) shall be paid by the Corporation, and the Local Government Board may certify the amount of the costs so incurred, and any sum so certified and directed by that Board to be paid by the Corporation shall be a debt due to the Crown from the Corporation.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Thirteenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

,(L.s.)

Henry H. Fowler, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

### PORT OF LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool (Port) Order.

Provisional Order for partially repealing certain Confirming Acts.

- To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Liverpool, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that City;—
- To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Birkenhead, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —
- To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Bootle, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—
- To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Southport, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—
- To the Birkdale Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Birkdale, in the County of Lancaster;—
- To the Bromborough Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Bromborough, in the County of Chester;—
- To the Garston Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Garston, in the County of Lancaster;—
- To the Little Crosby Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Little Crosby, in the County of Lancaster;—
- To the Great Crosby Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Great Crosby, in the County of Lancaster;—
- To the Higher Bebington Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Higher Bebington, in the County of Chester;—

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- To the Lower Bebington Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Lower Bebington, in the County of Chester;—
- To the Toxteth Park Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Toxteth Park, in the County of Lancaster;—
- To the Wallasey Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Wallasey, in the County of Chester; —
- To the Waterloo-with-Seaforth Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Waterloo-with-Seaforth, in the County of Lancaster;—
- To the Guardians of the Poor of the Ormskirk Union, in the County of Lancaster, being the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of that Union;—
- To the Guardians of the Poor of the Prescot Union, in the County of Lancaster, being the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of that Union;—
- To the Guardians of the Poor of the West Derby Union, in the County of Lancaster, being the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of that Union;—
- To the Guardians of the Poor of the Wirrall Union, in the County of Chester, being the Sanitary Authority for the Rural Sanitary District of that Union; ---

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Port of Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, is a Port established for the purposes of the laws relating to the Customs of the United Kingdom;

37 & 38 Vict. c. clii. And whereas by a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the Eleventh day of June, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and duly confirmed by the Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation Act, 1874 (No. 4) (which Order and Act are herein-after respectively referred to as "the Order of 1874" and "the Confirming Act of 1874"), the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Liverpool, acting by the Council, were, from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, permanently constituted the Port Sanitary Authority of the whole of the said Port of Liverpool, together with the waters of the said Port;

And whereas by another Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the Nineteenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and duly confirmed by the Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (Aberdare, &c.) Act, 1875 (which Order and Act are herein-after respectively referred to as "the Order of 1875" and "the Confirming Act of 1875"), so much of the Order of 1874 as related to the payment of the expenses incurred or to be incurred by the said Port Sanitary Authority was repealed and other provision was made with respect to the payment of such expenses;

And whereas the Local Government Board propose, by order under the Public Health Act, 1875, and the Public Health (Ships, &c.) Act, 1885, to make other

38 & 39 Viet. c. clxxv.

38 & 39 Vict. c. 55. 48 & 49 Vict. c. 35. [56 & 57 Vici.] Local Government Board's [Ch. cxx.] Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 11) Act, 1893.

provision for permanently constituting a Port Sanitary Authority for the Port of A.D. 1893. Liverpool, and it is expedient that the Confirming Acts of 1874 and 1875, so far as they respectively relate to the Orders of 1874 and 1875, should be repealed as herein-after mentioned:

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Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Section 297 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and by any other Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the day on which the first meeting shall be held of the Port Sanitary Authority for the Port of Liverpool, permanently constituted under any Order to be made by the Local Government Board pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, and the Public Health (Ships, &c.) Act, 1885, so much of the Confirming Act of 1874 as relates to the unrepealed provisions of the Order of 1874, and so much of the Confirming Act of 1875 as relates to the Order of 1875, shall be wholly repealed, except so far as the same may have been acted upon.

> Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Thirteenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninetythree.

(L.S.)

HENRY H. Fowler, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

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### BOROUGH OF CHARD.

Chard Order. (2.)

Provisional Order made in pursuance of Sections 59 and 87 of the Local Government Act, 1888, for altering the Borough of Chard Order, 1892.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Chard; — And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by the Borough of Chard Order, 1892 (herein-after referred to as "the Order"), being a Provisional Order made by the Local Government Board in pursuance of Sections 54 and 59 of the Local Government Act, 1888 (which 51 & 52 Vict. Act is herein after referred to as "the Act"), and duly confirmed by the Local c. 41. Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 6) Act, 1892, the 55 & 56 Vict. then existing Borough of Chard was extended so as to include a portion of c. exerci. the Rural Sanitary District of the Chard Union (herein-after referred to as "the Rural District"), and the Borough of Chard as so extended is hereinafter referred to as the Borough;

And whereas by Article IX. of the Order it was ordered that the provisions of Section 120 of the Act should apply to every officer who by virtue of the Order, or of anything done in pursuance or in consequence thereof, should suffer any direct pecuniary loss by abolition of office, or by diminution or loss of fees or salary,

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with the substitution of "borough fund and borough rate" in sub-section (8) for "county fund as a payment for general county purposes," and with such other modifications as are necessary to make those provisions applicable to such officer and to the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough, acting by the Council (herein-after referred to as "the Corporation");

And whereas by subdivision (1) of Article XIII. of the Order it was ordered that the liability for the repayment of so much of a sum of two thousand three hundred and twenty-three pounds sixteen shillings and eightpence (being the sum which at the date of the Order remained unpaid in respect of a sum of three thousand two hundred pounds borrowed by the Rural Authority of the Rural District) as should be owing on the Ninth day of November, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and for the payment of the interest thereon, should be transferred and attach to the Corporation, and that such sum, tegether with so much of any sums borrowed by the Corporation and charged upon the borough fund and borough rate of the then existing Borough as would on that date be owing, should be charged upon the borough fund and borough rate of the Borough;

And whereas by subdivision (1) of Article XIV. of the Order the Corporation were required to pay certain sums out of the borough fund and borough rate of the Borough to the said Rural Authority;

And whereas the Local Government Board have, in pursuance of Section 208 of the Public Health Act, 1875, made a Provisional Order dated the Tenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, by virtue of which, if confirmed, all the expenses of the Corporation, as the Urban Sanitary Authority, incurred in the execution of the Public Health Act, 1875, will, from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, be defrayed out of a district fund and general district rate, to be levied by them under that Act, subject to the provisions of that Act with respect to the mode of defraying in certain cases the expenses of the repair of highways; and it is expedient that the Order should be altered as herein-after mentioned:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by Sections 59 and 87 of the Act, and by any other enactments in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (herein-after referred to as "the commencement of this Order"), the Order shall be altered as follows:—

Art. I. Article IX. shall be altered by the insertion after the words "with the substitution" of the words "in the case of any such officer whose office or "employment relates wholly or partly to sanitary purposes as defined by the "Public Health Act, 1875, of 'district fund and general district rate' and in "the case of any other such officer."

Art. II. Subdivision (1) of Article XIII. shall be altered so as to provide that so much of the said sum of two thousand three hundred and twenty-three pounds sixteen shillings and eightpence, and of any other sums borrowed by the Corporation before the Ninth day of November, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, in pursuance of sanctions granted by the Local Government

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Board under the Public Health Act, 1875, as will remain outstanding at the commencement of this Order, and the interest payable in respect of any such sums, shall be charged upon and defrayed out of the district fund and general district rate of the Borough, but that all other sums to which that Article applies shall continue charged upon the borough fund and borough rate of the Borough:

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Provided that nothing in this Article contained shall prejudice, alter, invalidate, or affect any mortgage or other security which may have been given in respect of any moneys which will so become chargeable upon the district fund and general district rate of the Borough, except that such mortgage or other security shall take effect as if the same were a mortgage of such fund and rate.

Art. III. Subdivision (1) of Article XIV. shall be altered by the insertion of the words "district fund and general district rate of the Borough" in lieu of the words "borough fund and borough rate of the Borough."

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Eleventh day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

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HENRY H. Fowler, President. Hugh Owen, Secretary.

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