



CHAPTER liv.

An Act to amend the Cleveland Waterworks Acts and for other purposes. [5th July 1889.]

A.D. 1889.

WHEREAS by the Cleveland Waterworks Act 1869 the Cleveland Water Company (herein-after referred to as "the Company") was incorporated and empowered to supply water for domestic and other purposes within the limits of that Act and to charge for the same :

And whereas by the Cleveland Waterworks Act 1871 the Company's limits of supply were extended and the Company was empowered to construct and maintain additional works to raise additional capital and to obtain a further supply of water and the said Act of 1869 was in divers particulars extended and amended :

And whereas by the Cleveland Waterworks Act 1876 the Company's limits of supply were further extended and further powers in relation to the supply of water were conferred upon the Company :

And whereas owing to the depreciation of the value of property within the Company's limits of supply the charges which the Company are authorised to make for water supplied for domestic purposes and which are payable according to the annual value of the tenement supplied are unremunerative and it is expedient that the powers of the Company in relation to such charges should be altered as herein-after provided :

And whereas that object cannot be effected without the authority of Parliament :

May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows (that is to say) :—

1. This Act may be cited as the Cleveland Waterworks Act Short title. 1889.

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Acts to be
read as one
Act.

2. This Act and the recited Acts so far as the same are in force at the passing of this Act as amended by this Act shall be read together as one Act and for this purpose the term "this Act" used in the recited Acts shall where applicable include the present Act.

Alteration of
charges for
water sup-
plied for
domestic
purposes.

3. Notwithstanding anything contained in the forty-seventh and forty-ninth sections of the Cleveland Waterworks Act 1869 or in the thirty-ninth section of the Cleveland Waterworks Act 1871 or in any other enactment the Company shall be at liberty to charge the sum of four shillings per annum for a single watercloset and the sum of four shillings per annum for a single bath in each and every house supplied by them with water the annual value of which shall be less than ten pounds:

And the Company shall not be required to supply water for domestic purposes to any house or part of a house for a less sum than eight shillings and eightpence per annum exclusive of any charges for waterclosets and baths.

Costs of Act.

4. The costs charges and expenses of and incident to the preparing and applying for and the obtaining and passing of this Act shall be paid by the Company.

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