

Metropolis Management Act 1855

1855 CHAPTER 120

Appeals

CCXI Power to appeal against Orders and Acts of Vestries and District Boards in relation to Construction of Works.

Any Person who deems himself aggrieved by any Order of any Vestry or District Board in relation to the Level of any Building, or any Order or Act of any Vestry or District Board in relation to the Construction, Repair, Alteration, stopping or filling up, or Demolition of any Building, Sewer, Drain, Watercloset, Privy, Ashpit, or Cesspool, may, within Seven Days after Notice of any such Order to the Occupier of the Premises affected thereby, or after such Act, appeal to the Metropolitan Board of Works against the same; and all such Appeals shall stand referred to the Committee appointed by such Board for hearing Appeals as herein provided; and such Committee shall hear and determine all such Appeals, and may order any Costs of such Appeals to be paid to or by the Vestry or District Board by or to the Party appealing, and may, where they see fit, award any Compensation in respect of any Act done by any such Vestry or District Board in relation to the Matters aforesaid; provided that no such Compensation shall be awarded in respect of any such Act which may have been done under any of the Provisions of this Act; on any Default to comply with any such Order as aforesaid, unless the Appeal be lodged within Seven Days after Notice of such Order has been given to the Occupier of the Premises to which the same relates.

CCXII Metropolitan Board to appoint a Committee for hearing Appeals.

The Metropolitan Board of Works shall appoint a Committee for the Purpose of hearing all such. Appeals, as, may be made to the said Board as aforesaid, which Committee, shall, have Power to hear and decide all such Appeals, and the Metropolitan Board of Works shall from Time to Time fill up any Vacancy in such Committee, and the Chairman, of the said Board shall, by virtue of his Office of Chairman, be a Member of the said Committee in addition to the Members appointed by the said Board, and shall preside at all Meetings of such Committee at which he is present; and in case of a Vacancy in the Office of such Chairman, or, in his Absence, some other Member of the Committee shall be chosen to preside, and all the Powers

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of such Committee, may be exercised by any Three of them, and any Member of such Committee may at any Time resign his Office.