

ELIZABETH II



1968 CHAPTER xxx

An Act to increase the borrowing powers of the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board; and for other purposes.

[26th July 1968]

WHEREAS by the Mersey Docks and Harbour Act, 1857 1857 c. clxii. (being an Act for consolidating the docks at Liverpool and Birkenhead into one estate and for vesting the control and management of them in one public trust and for other purposes), the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board (hereinafter called "the Board") was incorporated for the purposes therein mentioned and by that Act and subsequent enactments relating to the Board various powers have from time to time been conferred on the Board:

And whereas it is expedient that the borrowing powers of the Board for the general purposes of their undertaking be increased as by this Act provided:

And whereas it is expedient that the other provisions of this Act be enacted:

And whereas the objects of this Act cannot be attained 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:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board Act 1968.

Increase of
borrowing
powers.
1958 c. vii.

2. Paragraph (iv) of section 13 (Further borrowing powers for works conservancy and general purposes) of the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board Act, 1958, is hereby amended by the substitution for the word "two" of the word "ten".

Costs of
Act.

3. The Board out of any moneys for the time being in its hands shall pay and discharge all the costs, charges and expenses of and incidental to the applying for, obtaining and passing of this Act.

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