



# Leeds Supertram Act 1993

## 1993 CHAPTER xv

### PART VI

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND GENERAL

##### *General*

#### **66 Powers of disposal, agreements for operation, etc**

- (1) The Executive may, with the consent of the Secretary of State, sell, lease, charge or otherwise dispose of, on such terms and conditions as they think fit, the whole or any part of the tramway system or the right to operate the tramway system under this Act.
- (2) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1) above, the Executive may enter into and carry into effect agreements with respect to any of the following matters, namely, the construction, maintenance, use and operation of the tramway system, or any part or parts of that system, by any other person, and other matters incidental or subsidiary thereto or consequential thereon, and the defraying of, or the making of contributions towards, the cost of the matters aforesaid by the Executive or any other person.
- (3) Any agreement under subsection (2) above may provide (inter alia) for the exercise of the powers of the Executive in respect of the tramway system or any part or parts thereof, and for the transfer to any person of the tramway system or any part or parts thereof together with the rights and obligations of the Executive in relation thereto.
- (4) The exercise of the powers of any enactment by any person in pursuance of any sale, lease, charge or disposal under subsection (1) above, or any agreement under subsection (2) above, shall be subject to the same restrictions, liabilities and obligations as would apply under this Act if those powers were exercised by the Executive.
- (5) For the avoidance of doubt it is hereby declared that nothing in section 15 (2) of the Transport Act 1968 (restriction on alteration of charges) shall apply in relation to the operation of the tramway system by any person other than the Executive, but this

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subsection is without prejudice to any provision with respect to charges that may be made in an agreement under subsection (1) or (2) above.

- (6) (a) The Council shall have power to acquire or to take on lease from the Executive pursuant to subsection (1) above the whole or any part of the tramway system, or the right to operate that system.
- (b) The Council or the railways board may enter into and carry into effect agreements with the Executive under subsection (2) above.