



## CHAPTER XXV.

An Act to confirm a Scheme of the Charity Commissioners for the application or management of the Charity called the Hospital of Robert Earl of Leicester in Warwick in the County of Warwick.

A.D. 1926.

[30th June 1926.]

**W**HEREAS the Charity Commissioners in their report to His Majesty of their proceedings during the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five reported that they had approved and certified a Scheme for the application or management of the Charity called the Hospital of Robert Earl of Leicester in Warwick in the county of Warwick :

And whereas it is expedient that the Scheme as the same is fully set out and defined in the schedule to this Act should be confirmed :

Be it therefore enacted by the King'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 said Scheme is hereby confirmed Provided always that nothing in this Act or in the said Scheme shall be held to interfere with the ordinary jurisdiction over endowed charities now exerciseable or hereafter to become exerciseable by the High Court of Justice and the Charity Commissioners.

Confirma-  
tion of  
Scheme.

2. This Act may be cited as the Robert Earl of Leicester's Hospital Charity Scheme Confirmation Act 1926.

Short title.

[Ch. xxv.] *Robert Earl of Leicester's* [16 & 17 GEO. 5.]  
*Hospital Charity Scheme Confirmation Act, 1926.*

A.D. 1926.

SCHEDULE.

*Scheme for the application or management of the Charity called the Hospital of Robert Earl of Leicester in Warwick in the County of Warwick.*

1. In this Scheme unless the context otherwise requires the following expressions shall have the following meanings:—

The expression "the Hospital" shall mean the above-mentioned Hospital;

The expression "the said Deed" shall mean a Deed Poll for the foundation and regulation of the Hospital dated 21st November 1585 (28th Elizabeth) and under the hand and seal of Robert Earl of Leicester;

The expression "the Statutes" shall mean the Ordinances Statutes and Rules made by Robert Earl of Leicester on the 26th November 1585 (28th Elizabeth) for the Order and Government of the Hospital in the Town of Warwick called the Hospital of Robert Earl of Leicester in Warwick;

The expression "the Act of 1813" shall mean the Act of Parliament 53 Geo. III. c. 213 entitled "An Act for altering the Rules Statutes and Ordinances of the Hospital of Robert Earl of Leicester in Warwick and for enabling the Master and Brethren of the said Hospital to raise Money on the Security of the Estates thereof in order to provide for the reception of additional Brethren therein";

The expression "the Controllers" shall mean the Bishop of Worcester the Recorder of Coventry and the Recorder of Warwick for the time being.

2. As from the date of this Scheme the Bishop of Worcester the Dean of Worcester and the Archdeacon of Worcester for the time being or any two of them shall cease to be Visitors of the Hospital and the Bishop of Coventry for the time being shall be the Visitor of the Hospital and shall exercise the powers and perform the duties conferred or imposed on the Visitors by the Statutes or the Act of 1813.

3. As from the date of this Scheme the power of granting licence to the Master of the Hospital to be absent from the Hospital which power is by clause 31 of the Statutes conferred on the Controllers or any two of them shall be exercised by the Bishop of Coventry for the time being.

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4. As from the date of this Scheme the powers and duties (other than and except the power mentioned in the last preceding clause hereof) which are conferred or imposed on the Controllers or any two of them by the said Deed the Statutes the Act of 1813 or any of them shall be exercised and performed by the Bishop of Coventry the Recorder of Warwick and the Archdeacon of Warwick for the time being or any two of them in the same manner as if in all places in the said Deed the Statutes and the Act of 1813 in which the Controllers are mentioned the Bishop of Coventry for the time being had been named in place of the Bishop of Worcester for the time being and the Archdeacon of Warwick for the time being had been named in place of the Recorder of Coventry for the time being. A.D. 1926.

5. The Master and Brethren of the Hospital may set apart and let in allotments in the manner prescribed by and subject to the provisions of the Allotments Extension Act 1882 any portion of the land belonging to the Hospital other than buildings and the appurtenances of buildings.

6. The Charity Commissioners may from time to time in the exercise of their ordinary jurisdiction establish Schemes for the alteration of any of the provisions of this Scheme or of the Act of 1813 as if those provisions had been made by a Founder in the case of a charity having a Founder.

7. Any question as to the construction of this Scheme or as to the regularity or the validity of any acts done or about to be done under this Scheme shall be determined conclusively by the Charity Commissioners upon such application made to them for the purpose as they think sufficient.

8. The date of this Scheme shall be the date of the Act of Parliament confirming the same.

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