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CHAPTER ccxi.

A.D. 1875.

An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board relating to the Boroughs of Abingdon and Barnsley, the District of Bradford (Wilts), the Boroughs of Colchester, Daventry, and Deal, the Evesham Union, the Borough of King's Lynn, the Districts of Kirkby Lonsdale and Leigh, the Mitford and Launditch Union, the Boroughs of Nottingham, Hastings, and Stafford, the Stockton Union, the Borough of Sudbury, and the District of Todmorden. [13th August 1875.]

WHEREAS the Local Government Board have, as regards the several districts herein mentioned, made the Provisional Orders set forth in the schedule hercunto annexed, under the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1858, and the Public Health Act, 1872, respectively:

And whereas it is requisite that the said Orders should be confirmed by Parliament:

Be it therefore 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:

1. The Orders set out in the schedule hereunto annexed shall be and The Prothe same are hereby confirmed, and all the provisions thereof shall, from and after the passing of this Act, have full validity and force.

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Except that the Order relating to Sudbury shall not come into operation until the ninth day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and that the loan described therein as advanced to the sewer authority of the hamlet of Ballingdon-cum-Brundon shall signify the loan which was charged upon the highway rates of the said hamlet by the Hedingham Highway District Board; and except that the Order relating to Leigh shall be read and have effect as if the words "as herein-after mentioned" had not been inserted in section five thereof, and the adjustment

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A.D. 1875. therein referred to shall be made by the Local Government Board within twelve months after the passing of this Act.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as "The Local Government Board's Pro-" visional Orders Confirmation (Abingdon, Barnsley, &c.) Act, 1875."

SCHEDULE.

BOROUGH OF ABINGDON.

Provisional Order for altering the Incidence of Charge of Expenses of the Abingdon Urban Sanitary Authority.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Abingdon, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —

To the Ratepayers and Occupiers of Land within the said Borough;—And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the provisions of Section 4 of the Public Health Act, 1872, the Borough of Abingdon, in the County of Berks, became an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of that Borough, acting by the Council, became the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by Section 16 of the said Act, it is enacted that all expenses incurred or payable by an Urban Sanitary Authority under the Sanitary Acts shall, if the Local Government Acts, or the provisions of those Acts with respect to rating, were at or immediately before the passing of that Act in force throughout the district of such authority, be defrayed in manner provided by those Acts; and that if the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the borough at or immediately before the passing of that Act, in the case of the council of a borough, they shall be defrayed out of the borough fund or borough rate;

And whereas the said Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said Borough at or immediately before the passing of the said Act;

And whereas by Section 9 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, it is enacted that if application be made to the Local Government Board, whereby it shall be alleged that it would be inequitable or inconvenient in the district of any Urban Sanitary Authority that the expenses referred to in the said sixteenth section should be borne as therein provided, the said Board may, after inquiry, by a Provisional Order, alter the incidence of such charge in respect of the whole or some of the expenditure referred to, as to them shall appear to be fair and equitable;

And whereas application has been made by the Council of the said Borough of Abingdon, to the Local Government Board, alleging that it was inequitable that the expenses referred to in the sixteenth section of the Public Health Act, 1872, should be borne as therein provided, and praying the Board to alter the incidence of those expenses;

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And whereas upon receipt of such application the Local Government Board directed an inquiry to be held on the subject, and the same was held, after due notice thereof, and report has been made to them thereon:

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Now, therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, all the expenses incurred or payable under the Sanitary Acts by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Abingdon, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, shall be defrayed by such rate or rates and in such manner as if the provisions of the Local Government Acts, as defined by Section 60 of the Public Health Act, 1872, with respect to rating, except such as reserve any previous exemptions from rating under any local Act, had been at or immediately before the passing of the last-mentioned Act in force throughout the Urban Sanitary District of the said Borough.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twelfth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

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G. Sclater-Booth, President. John Lambert, Secretary.

(L.S.)

BOROUGH OF BARNSLEY.

Provisional Order to enable the Urban Sanitary Authority for the Borough of Barnsley, to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Barnsley, in the West Riding of the County of York, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Barnsley, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough, require to purchase and take certain lands and premises which are described in the Schedule hereto annexed, for the purpose of carrying out certain works for the disposal, purification, and discharge of the sewage of the said Borough;

And whereas the Council of the said Borough have made due publication in the newspaper and served the several notices as required by the Local Government Act, 1858, and have presented a Petition to the Local Government Board, stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said lands and premises, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement;

And whereas, upon receipt of such Petition, the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held in the District in which the lands and premises

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A.D. 1875. are situate, as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer of the said Petition, which Inquiry has been held and report duly made to them thereon:

Now, therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do, by this Our Order, empower the said Urban Sanitary Authority, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the whole of the lands and premises described in the paragraphs numbered 1, 2, and 3, and to the extent of 56 acres of the lands described in the paragraph numbered 4, in the Schedule hereto annexed, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, as extended by the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

- 1. All that area of land comprising several closes or parcels of land lying immediately above and including Grange Mill, in the Parishes of Roystone and Darfield, containing 16 acres or thereabouts.
- 2. All that area of land comprising several closes or parcels of land immediately below the last mentioned area of land, on the south side of the River Dearne, in the said Parish of Roystone, containing 12 acres or thereabouts.
- 3. All that area of land comprising several closes or parcels of land immediately adjoining the last-mentioned area of land, numbered 2, and lying between the said river and the tail stream of Grange Mill aforesaid, in the said Parish of Roystone, and containing 16 acres or thereabouts.
- 4. All that area of land comprising several closes or parcels of land adjoining the last-mentioned area of land, numbered 3, and lying below the Priory and the Barnsley and Pontefract Turnpike Road, in the said Parish of Roystone, and containing 111 acres or thereabouts.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President.

(L.S.)

H. Fleming, Secretary.

DISTRICT OF BRADFORD-ON-AVON.

Provisional Order for partially repealing and altering a Local Act.

To the Commissioners for executing the powers and provisions of a Local Act of Parliament passed in the third year of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for paving, "lighting, watching, and improving the Town of Bradford, in the "County of Wilts;"—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the powers and provisions of a Local Act of Parliament passed in the third year of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act for paying, lighting, watching, and improving the Town of

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" Bradford, in the County of Wilts," certain Commissioners were appointed to A.D. 1875. execute the said Act within the limits of the Town of Bradford, in the County of Wilts, as defined by Section 107 of that Act;

And whereas the Town of Bradford, as defined by the said Act, is an Improvement Act District within the meaning of the Public Health Act, 1872, and under the provisions of that Act the said District became, from the date of that Act, an Urban Sanitary District, and the said Commissioners became, from the same date, the Urban Sanitary Authority for such District;

And whereas by Section 33 of the last-mentioned Act, the Local Government Board are empowered, on the application of the Sanitary Authority of any District, by Provisional Order, wholly or partially to repeal, alter, or amend any Local Acts which relate to the same subject-matters as the Sanitary Acts other than certain Acts specified in that section;

And whereas the Local Act above mentioned relates to the same subjectmatters as the Sanitary Acts, and the said Commissioners, as such Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, have applied to the Local Government Board to issue a Provisional Order for partially repealing and altering that Act;

And whereas, upon receipt of the said application, the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held, and the same was held, after due notice, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the following provisions shall take effect, viz.—

I.—Sections 69 to 78, both inclusive, and Section 103 of the said Local Act shall be repealed, except in regard to any arrears of rates due on the said Twenty-ninth day of September, and any other matter or thing arising out of or dependent upon any of such sections and not then completed or concluded;

II.—The said Commissioners shall, in lieu of the rates heretofore authorised to be made and levied under the said Local Act, make and levy a General District Rate within the said Urban Sanitary District of Bradford, in accordance with the provisions of the law relating to the making and levying of such a rate in an Urban Sanitary District for the time being in force, and apply such rate to all the purposes of the said Act, and to such other purposes as shall for the time being be chargeable upon a General District Rate in an Urban Sanitary District;

III.—All the outstanding debts and liabilities of the said Commissioners shall be charged upon and payable out of the said General District Rate so to be made and levied as aforesaid.

> Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

(L.S.)

G. Sclater-Booth, President. H. Fleming, Secretary.

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BOROUGH OF COLCHESTER.

Provisional Order for altering the Incidence of Charge of Expenses of the Colchester Urban Sanitary Authority.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Colchester, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —

To the Ratepayers and Occupiers of Land within the said Borough;—And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the provisions of Section 4 of the Public Health Act, 1872, the Borough of Colchester, in the County of Essex, became an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of that Borough, acting by the Council, became the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by Section 16 of the said Act, it is enacted that all expenses incurred or payable by an Urban Sanitary Authority under the Sanitary Acts shall, if the Local Government Acts, or the provisions of those Acts with respect to rating, were at or immediately before the passing of that Act in force throughout the district of such authority, be defrayed in manner provided by those Acts; and that if the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said district at or immediately before the passing of that Act, in the case of the council of a borough, they shall be defrayed out of the borough fund or borough rate;

And whereas the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said Borough at or immediately before the passing of the said Act;

And whereas by Section 9 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, it is enacted that if application be made to the Local Government Board, whereby it shall be alleged that it would be inequitable or inconvenient in the district of any Urban Sanitary Authority that the expenses referred to in the said sixteenth section should be borne as therein provided, the said Board may, after inquiry, by a Provisional Order, alter the incidence of such charge in respect of the whole or some of the expenditure referred to, as to them shall appear to be fair and equitable;

And whereas application has been made by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the said Borough, acting as the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of that Borough, to the Local Government Board, alleging that it was inequitable that the expenses referred to in the sixteenth section above recited should be borne as therein provided, and praying the Board to alter the incidence of those expenses;

And whereas upon receipt of such application the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held on the subject, and the same was held, after due notice thereof, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, all the expenses incurred or payable, under the Sanitary Acts, by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Colchester, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid,

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shall be defrayed by such Rate or Rates and in such manner as if the provisions of the Local Government Acts, as defined by Section 60 of the Public Health Act, 1872, with respect to rating, except such as reserve any previous exemptions from rating under any Local Act, had been at or immediately before the passing of the said Public Health Act, 1872, in force throughout the Urban Sanitary District of the said Borough.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President.

(L.S.) H. Fleming, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF DAVENTRY.

Provisional Order for altering the Incidence of Charge of Expenses of the Daventry Urban Sanitary Authority.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Daventry, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough; —

To the Ratepayers and Occupiers of Land within the said Borough; — And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the provisions of Section 4 of the Public Health Act, 1872, the Borough of Daventry, in the County of Northampton, became an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of that Borough, acting by the Council, became the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by Section 16 of the said Act, it is enacted that all expenses incurred or payable by an Urban Sanitary Authority under the Sanitary Acts shall, if the Local Government Acts, or the provisions of those Acts with respect to rating, were at or immediately before the passing of that Act in force throughout the district of such authority, be defrayed in manner provided by those Acts; and that if the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said district at or immediately before the passing of that Act, in the case of the council of a borough, they shall be defrayed out of the borough fund or borough rate;

And whereas the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said Borough at or immediately before the passing of the herein-before recited Act;

And whereas by Section 9 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, it is enacted that if application be made to the Local Government Board, whereby it shall be alleged that it would be inequitable or inconvenient in the district of any Urban Sanitary Authority that the expenses referred to in the said sixteenth section should be borne as therein provided, the said Board may, after inquiry, by a Provisional Order, alter the incidence of such charge in respect of the whole or some of the expenditure referred to, as to them shall appear to be fair and equitable;

And whereas application has been made by certain Ratepayers of the said Borough, to the Local Government Board, alleging that it was inequitable that

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A.D. 1875. the expenses referred to in the sixteenth section above recited, should be borne as therein provided, and praying the Board to alter the incidence of those expenses;

And whereas upon receipt of such application the Local Government Board directed an inquiry to be held on the subject, and the same was held, after due notice thereof, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, all the expenses incurred or payable, under the Sanitary Acts, by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Daventry, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, shall be defrayed by such Rate or Rates and in such manner as if the provisions of the Local Government Acts, as defined by Section 60 of the Public Health Act, 1872, with respect to rating, except such as reserve any previous exemptions from rating under any Local Act, had been at or immediately before the passing of the last-mentioned Act in force throughout the Urban Sanitary District of the said Borough.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

(L.S.)

G. Sclater-Booth, President. John Lambert, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF DEAL.

Provisional Order for altering the Incidence of Charge of Expenses of the Deal Urban Sanitary Authority and for partially repealing and altering a Local Act.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Deal, in the County of Kent, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the powers and provisions of a Local Act of Parliament passed in the fifty-second year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for more effectually paving, cleansing, lighting, "and watching the highways, streets, and lanes within the Town and Borough of Deal, in the County of Kent, and for removing and preventing encroachments, unusances, and annoyances therein," certain Commissioners were appointed to execute the said Act in the Town and Borough of Deal, in the County of Kent, and were thereby anthorised to levy certain rates upon the property therein described for the purposes of that Act, and also to levy upon all sorts of coal, coke, or cinder, landed or delivered within the limits of the Parish of Deal, or brought into or carried through the Town or Borough of Deal, or through any part thereof, the rate or duty therein mentioned;

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And whereas the said Commissioners incurred certain debts under the A.D. 1875. powers and provisions of the said Local Act, of which the sum of ten thousand six hundred pounds, or thereabouts, is due and payable, and is charged upon the rates and duties leviable under that Act;

And whereas, on the passing of the Public Health Act, 1872, the Borough of Deal became, under Section 4 of that Act, an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of that Borough, acting by and herein-after called "the Council," became the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by Section 7 of the Public Health Act, 1872, from and after the first meeting of the said Council as the Urban Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of the said Borough, all the powers, rights, duties, capacities, liabilities, and obligations within the said Borough exerciseable or attaching by and to the said Commissioners under the Local Government Acts, were transferred to the Council, as such Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by Section 9 of the last-mentioned Act, from and after the first meeting of the said Council, as such Urban Sanitary Authority, all such property, real and personal, including all interest, easements, and rights in, to, and out of property, real and personal (including things in action), as belonged to or was vested in, or would but for that Act have belonged to or been vested in the said Commissioners, were, so far as such property is applicable to and for the purposes of any such powers, rights, duties, liabilities, capacities, or obligations, passed to and vested in such Urban Sanitary Authority, subject to all debts, liabilities, and obligations affecting the property so transferred;

And whereas under the provisions of Section 2 of an Act passed in the twentieth and twenty-first years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to amend the Acts concerning Municipal Corporations " in England," all the rights, powers, estates, property, and liabilities of the said Commissioners under the said Local Act, have been, by deed, transferred to the Council, who thereupon became the Commissioners for executing the powers and provisions of the said Local Act;

And whereas by Section 16 of the Public Health Act, 1872, it is enacted that all expenses incurred or payable by an Urban Sanitary Authority under the Sanitary Acts shall, if the Local Government Acts, or the provisions of those Acts with respect to rating, were at or immediately before the passing of that Act in force throughout the district of such authority, be defrayed in manner provided by those Acts; and if the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said district at or immediately before the passing of that Act, in the case of the council of a borough, they shall be defrayed out of the borough fund or borough rate;

And whereas the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said Borough at or immediately before the passing of the herein-before recited Act;

And whereas by Section 9 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, it is enacted that if application be made to the Local Government Board, whereby it shall be alleged that it would be inequitable or inconvenient in the district of any Urban Sanitary Authority that the expenses referred to in the said sixteenth section should be borne as therein provided, the said Board may, after inquiry, by a Provisional Order, alter the incidence of such charge in respect

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A.D. 1875. of the whole or some of the expenditure referred to, as to them shall appear to be fair and equitable;

And whereas by Section 33 of the Public Health Act, 1872, it is enacted that the Local Government Board may, on the application of the Sanitary Authority of any district, by Provisional Order, wholly or partially repeal, alter, or amend any Local Acts, other than certain Acts therein specified, which relate to the same subject matters as the Sanitary Acts;

And whereas the Council have applied to the Local Government Board alleging that it was inequitable that the expenses referred to in the sixteenth section above recited should be borne as therein provided, and praying the Board to issue a Provisional Order to alter the incidence of the charge of those expenses, and to partially repeal and alter the said Local Act;

And whereas upon receipt of such application the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held on the subject, and the same was held, after due notice thereof, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the following provisions shall take effect, viz.:—

I.—All the expenses incurred or payable, under the Sanitary Acts or the said Local Act, by the Council as such Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, shall be defrayed by such rate, and in such manner, as if the provisions of the Local Government Acts, as defined by Section 60 of the Public Health Act, 1872, with respect to rating, except such as reserve any previous exemptions from rating under any Local Act, had been at or immediately before the passing of the last-mentioned Act in force throughout the Urban Sanitary District of the said Borough;

II.—So much of the said Local Act as provides for the assessing, levying, and recovering of the rate thereby authorised, and as applies to the Highway Rate, the Surveyor of Highways, the application of moneys raised under the said Local Act, and the reduction of such rates, shall be wholly repealed, except so far as the same shall have been acted upon, and so far as it may be necessary to continue the same for the purpose of enabling the said Council to recover all rates due under the said Local Act on the said twenty-ninth day of September;

III.—The said Local Act shall in other respects be altered as follows, viz.:—
The rate or duty charged upon coal, coke, and cinders under that Act shall not, after the date aforesaid, exceed the sum of one shilling and sixpence per chaldron or ton landed, delivered, brought into, or carried through the said Parish, Town, or Borough respectively, as aforesaid;

Provided that the Council may, if they see fit, omit to demand and collect the payment of the said rate or duty charged upon coal, coke, and cinders.

IV.—In every case where any coals, coke, or cinders shall have been landed or delivered within the Parish of Deal, or brought into or carried through the Town or Borough of Deal, and the rate or duty imposed by the said Local Act thereon shall have been paid, if such coal, coke, or cinders be forwarded to any other place or places out of the said Parish, Town, or Borough, for sale or

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consumption, the collector of the said rate or duty is hereby directed and required to return and pay on demand to the person or persons who shall have paid such rate or duty or to some other person or persons on his, her, or their behalf, a drawback of so much of the rate or duty paid for the coal, coke, or cinders so forwarded for sale or consumption, as the Council shall from time to time by writing under the hand of their Clerk or Treasurer fix and determine.

V.—The Council shall divide the said Urban Sanitary District into two parts, one part to comprise that portion of the Borough, usually known as Lower Deal, which adjoins unto or abuts upon any of the streets, lanes, public passages, or places within the said Borough which have been paved by virtue of the powers conferred by the said Local Act, and the other to comprise the remainder of the said Borough, and shall make a separate assessment annually, and levy and make a rate in the nature of a General District Rate upon the first part of their District to defray, within the term of thirty years from the date aforesaid, so much of the said debt of ten thousand six hundred pounds, with the interest from time to time accruing thereon, together with the necessary expenses to be incurred in levying, making, and recovering the same, as shall remain due and owing on the date aforesaid;

VI.—The Council may, from time to time, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, borrow the amount required for the purpose of liquidating the said debt, upon the security of the rate or rates charged by this Order with the payment of the expenses of the said Urban Sanitary Authority.

Given under the Scal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President. John Lambert, Secretary.

(L.S.)

EVESHAM UNION.

Provisional Order to enable the Rural Sanitary Authority for the Evesham Union to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Evesham Union, in the Counties of Worcester and Gloucester, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Guardians of the Poor of the Evesham Union, in the Counties of Worcester and Gloucester, as the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union, require to purchase and take certain lands and premises situate in the Rural Sanitary District of that Union, and which are described in the Schedule hereto annexed, for the purpose of constructing works of sewerage and for the supply of water for the Parish of Hampton, in the said Rural Sanitary District;

And whereas the said Guardians have made due publication in the newspaper and served the several notices as required by the Local Government Act, 1858,

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and have presented to the Local Government Board a Petition stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said lands and premises, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement;

And whereas upon receipt of such Petition, the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held in the District, as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer of the said Petition, which Inquiry has been held and report duly made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do, by this Our Order, empower the said Guardians, as such Rural Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the lands and premises described in the Schedule hereto annexed, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, as extended by the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

Parish of Hampton, in the County of Worcester.

No. on Plan.	Descriptio	n.	Owner.	Occupier.
1	Garden -	-	John and George Sansome -	John and George Sansome.
2	Orchard		John and George Sansome -	John and George Sansome.
3	Garden -	- +	John and George Sansome -	William Gould.
4	Garden -		Henry Workman	Sarah Malin,
5	Garden -		Henry Workman	Charles White.
6	Garden -		Henry Workman	John Jordan.
7	Gardens and prem	is¢s -	Mary Staite	Charlotte White, Thomas Hyde, John Hemmings, Arthur Hemmings, Edward Latham.
8	Garden -		Louisa Hawley and Henry John Toovey Hawley.	Mary Hyde.
9	Pond -		Ditto	John William Jones.
11	Turnpike Road	-	Commissioners of the Evesham and Pershore Turnpike Trust.	
13	Occupation Road	•	Edward Charles Rudge, Ben- jamin Workman, John and George Sansome.	

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President. H. Fleming, Secretary.

(L.S.)

BOROUGH OF KING'S LYNN.

A.D. 1875,

Provisional Order for altering the Incidence of Charge of Expenses of the King's Lynn Urban Sanitary Authority.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of King's Lynn, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

To the Owners and Occupiers of Land within the said Borough; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the provisions of Section 4 of the Public Health Act, 1872, the Borough of King's Lynn, in the County of Norfolk, became an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of that Borough, acting by the Council, became the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by Section 16 of the said Act, it is enacted that all expenses incurred or payable by an Urban Sanitary Authority under the Sanitary Acts shall, if the Local Government Acts, or the provisions of those Acts with respect to rating, were at or immediately before the passing of that Act in force throughout the district of such authority, be defrayed in manner provided by those Acts; and that if the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said district at or immediately before the passing of that Act, in the case of the council of a borough, they shall be defrayed out of the borough fund or borough rate;

And whereas the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said Borough at or immediately before the passing of the herein-before recited Act;

And whereas by Section 9 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, it is enacted that if application be made to the Local Government Board, whereby it shall be alleged that it would be inequitable or inconvenient in the district of any Urban Sanitary Authority that the expenses referred to in the said sixteenth section should be borne as therein provided, the said Board may, after inquiry, by a Provisional Order, alter the incidence of such charge in respect of the whole or some of the expenditure referred to, as to them shall appear to be fair and equitable;

And whereas application has been made by certain owners and occupiers of land within the said Borough to the Local Government Board, alleging that it is inequitable that the expenses referred to in the sixteenth section above recited should be borne as therein provided, and praying the Board to alter the incidence of those expenses;

And whereas upon receipt of such application the Local Government Board directed an inquiry to be held on the subject, and the same was held, after due notice thereof, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, All the expenses incurred or payable, under the Sanitary Acts, by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of

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A.D. 1875. King's Lynn, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, shall be defrayed by such Rate or Rates and in such manner as if the provisions of the Local Government Acts, as defined by Section 60 of the Public Health Act, 1872, with respect to rating, except such as reserve any previous exemptions from rating under any Local Act, had been at or immediately before the passing of the last-mentioned Act in force throughout the Urban Sanitary District of the said Borough.

> Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

> > G. Sclater-Booth, President.

(L.S.)

H. FLEMING, Secretary.

DISTRICT OF KIRKBY LONSDALE.

Provisional Order to enable the Urban Sanitary Authority for the District of Kirkby Lonsdale to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845.

To the Kirkby Lonsdale Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Kirkby Lonsdale, in the County of Westmoreland; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Kirkby Lonsdale Local Board, as the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Kirkby Lonsdale, in the County of Westmoreland, require to purchase and take the lands, water, and right to take and convey water, described in the Schedule hereto annexed, for the purpose of constructing certain works for the supply of water to their District;

And whereas the said Local Board have made due publication in the newspaper and served the several notices as required by the Local Government Act, 1858, and have presented a Petition to the Local Government Board, stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said lands and rights, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement;

And whereas upon receipt of such Petition, the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held in the said District as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer of the said Petition, which Inquiry has been held, and report duly made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do, by this Our Order, empower the Kirkby Lonsdale Local Board, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the lands, water, and right to take and convey water, described in the Schedule hereto annexed, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, as

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extended by the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, with respect to the A.D. 1875. purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

Three acres of land in certain fields known as "Low Meadow," "High Meadow," and "Square Field," situate in the Township of Kirkby Lonsdale, in the Parish of Kirkby Lonsdale, in the County of Westmoreland, and belonging to the Earl of Bective, Kirkman Daniel Hodgson, and Benjamin Buck Greene, and occupied by Nathaniel Bland, and the right of purchasing water, and the right to take and convey water therefrom.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. SCLATER-BOOTH, President. H. FLEMING, Secretary.

(L.S.)

DISTRICT OF LEIGH.

Provisional Order for dissolving the Local Government Districts of Bedford,

Pennington, and West Leigh; and for other purposes.

To the Bedford Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Bedford, in the County of Lancaster;—

To the Pennington Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Pennington, in the same County;—

To the Westleigh Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Westleigh, in the same County; —

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Leigh Union, in the same County, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 22 of the Public Health Act, 1872, the Local Government Board are, by Provisional Order, empowered to dissolve any Local Government District, and to merge any such District in some other Sanitary District, and it is enacted that any Order made in pursuance of that section may provide for the settlement of any differences, or the adjustment of any accounts or apportionment of any liabilities arising between Districts, Parishes, or other Places, in consequence of the exercise of any powers conferred by that section, and may direct the persons by whom and to whom any moneys found to be due are to be paid, and the mode of raising such moneys;

And whereas on or about the fourth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, the Local Government Act, 1858, came into force in the Township of Bedford, in the County of Lancaster, and such Township became a Local Government District, within the meaning of the above-recited section;

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And whereas on or about the twenty-fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, the Local Government Act, 1858, came into force in the Township of Pennington, in the said County, and such Township became a Local Government District, within the meaning of the above-recited section;

And whereas on or about the sixteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, the Local Government Act, 1858, came into force in the Township of Westleigh, in the said County, and such Township became a Local Government District, within the meaning of the above-recited section;

And whereas certain works of sewerage, paving, and for the supply of water have been executed in the said Local Government Districts respectively, in respect whereof certain debts have been incurred by the Local Boards thereof respectively;

And whereas it has been represented to the Local Government Board that it would be desirable to dissolve the said Local Government Districts, and to merge them in the Rural Sanitary District of the Leigh Union; and the Local Government Board caused local inquiries, of which public notice was duly given, to be made upon the subject, and report has been made to them thereon, and they have determined that it is expedient that such dissolution should be effected:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the Local Government Districts of Bedford, Pennington, and Westleigh shall be dissolved, and shall be merged in the Rural Sanitary District of the Leigh Union, and be subject to the jurisdiction of the Guardians of the Poor of that Union, as the Sanitary Authority for such Rural Sanitary District.

And whereas by Section 24 of the same Act, it is enacted that the Local Government Board may, by Provisional Order, declare any portion of any Rural Sanitary District to be an Urban Sanitary District, and that, upon such Order being confirmed by Parliament, the portion of the District referred to therein shall become a Local Government District, and shall be subject to the jurisdiction of a Local Board;

And whereas by Section 15 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, it is enacted that when the Local Government Board form an Urban Sanitary District under Section 24 above-recited, they may, by the Order constituting the District, if they see fit, divide the District into Wards for the election of members of the Local Board;

And whereas from and after the date aforesaid the said Local Government Districts will, for the purposes of the Sanitary Acts, be merged in and form part of the Rural Sanitary District of the Leigh Union;

And whereas it is expedient that that part of the Rural Sanitary District of the Leigh Union which comprises the said Townships of Bedford, Pennington, and Westleigh be constituted an Urban Sanitary District, and that such District be divided into Wards as herein mentioned:

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Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Declare that, from and after the First day of October next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, All that part of the Rural Sanitary District of the Leigh Union which comprises the Townships of Bedford, Pennington, and Westleigh shall be, and is hereby constituted an Urban Sanitary District within the meaning of the Public Health Act, 1872, under the name of the Leigh Urban Sanitary District, and that such Urban Sanitary District shall become a Local Government District, and be subject to the jurisdiction of a Local Board.

Provided that the Guardians of the Poor of the Leigh Union, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union, shall continue to act for the said Urban Sanitary District in all respects as if this Order were not made until the first meeting of the Local Board to be elected for the said District.

And We do Order that from and after the said First day of October, the following provisions shall take effect, viz.:—

I.—The Leigh Urban Sanitary District, when constituted as aforesaid, shall, for the purposes of the election of a Local Board, be divided into three Wards, to be termed the Bedford Ward, the Pennington Ward, and the Westleigh Ward respectively.

II.—The Bedford Ward shall consist of the Township of Bedford, the Pennington Ward shall consist of the Township of Pennington, and the Westleigh Ward shall consist of the Township of Westleigh.

III.—The members of the said Local Board shall consist of eighteen persons, who shall be qualified as required, and be elected in the manner prescribed, by the law in force for the time being for the election of members of a Local Board, in the case where such Board is to be elected in a place having a known and defined boundary in which there is no Churchwarden or any Overseer.

Provided that the notice for the first election of members shall be published within one calendar month next following the said First day of October, and the members first elected, and any member elected to fill a casual vacancy among the members first elected, shall hold their or his office respectively as if they or he had been first elected at an annual election in the year next ensuing the said First day of October.

IV.—One third of the members of the Local Board for the said Urban Sanitary District of Leigh shall be elected for the Bedford Ward, one third for the Pennington Ward, and the remaining third for the Westleigh Ward, so that six members shall be elected by the electors qualified to vote in each of the said Wards respectively.

V.—From and after the date of the first meeting of the Local Board to be elected for the Leigh Urban Sanitary District, all the powers, rights, duties, lands, tenements, hereditaments, moneys, properties, works, debts, liabilities, and obligations, including so much of the said debts respectively as may be due at the date of the constitution of the said Urban Sanitary District, or may have belonged to, or have been exerciseable by, or were attached to, the Local Boards for the Local Government Districts hereby dissolved, at the time of their dissolution, shall be transferred to the Local Board to be elected for such Urban Sanitary District, and the said debts shall be charged equally and

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Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President.

John Lambert, Secretary.

MITFORD AND LAUNDITCH UNION.

Provisional Order to enable the Rural Sanitary Authority for the Mitford and Launditch Union to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Mitford and Launditch Union, in the County of Norfolk, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

(L.S.)

WHEREAS the Guardians of the Poor of the Mitford and Launditch Union, in the County of Norfolk, as the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union, require to purchase and take certain lands and premises situate and being in the Rural Sanitary District of that Union, and which are described in the Schedule hereto annexed, for the purpose of constructing works of sewerage and of water supply for the Parish of East Dereham, in the said Rural Sanitary District;

And whereas the said Guardians have made due publication in the newspaper, and served the several notices as required by the Local Government Act, 1858, and have presented to the Local Government Board a Petition stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said lands and premises, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement;

And whereas upon receipt of such Petition the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held in the District as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer of the said Petition, which Inquiry has been held, and report duly made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, acting under the authority of the several Statutes in that behalf, do, by this Our Order, empower the said Guardians, as such Rural Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference to the lands and premises described in the Schedule hereto annexed, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, as extended by the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement, or any of them.

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County of NORFOLK.

Parish.	Description.	Owners.	Lessees and Occupiers.
GRESSENHALL -	A piece of meadow land containing 11A. 3R. 30P. or thereabouts, immediately to the west of "Rush Meadow," in the Parish of East Dereham.	The Trustees of John Sutton Hastings, deceased.	John Hastings.
SCARNING -	A piece of meadow land containing 6 acres or thereabouts, lying to the south of "Rush Meadow," and abutting on the public highway leading from East Dereham to Longham.	Barry Girling	Barry Girling.
SCARNING -	A piece of meadow land containing 3A. 3R. 22P. or thereabouts, lying to the south - west of "Rush Meadow," and separated from the last-mentioned land by "Water Lane."	The Trustees of the Scarning Free School.	William Ransom Long.
East Dereham	Part of an enclosure of arable land containing 2 roods or thereabouts, abutting on the south-east side of the public highway from East Dereham to Swanton Morley and Hoe.	William Earle Gascoyne Lytton Bulver and Mary Anne Dering, his wife.	Thomas Brown.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

(L.s.)

G. Sclater-Booth, President. John Lambert, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF NOTTINGHAM.

Provisional Order to enable the Urban Sanitary Authority for the Borough of Nottingham, to put in force the Compulsory Clauses of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Nottingham, in the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Nottingham, acting by the Council, are empowered by Section 85 of the

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Nottingham Improvement Act, 1874, after the commencement of that Act, from time to time, to purchase and take, by agreement, any public weighing machine or weighing house existing at the commencement of that Act;

And whereas by Section 104 of the same Act, it is enacted that the regulations contained in Section 75 of the Local Government Act, 1858, shall be observed with respect to the purchase of lands by the said Council;

And whereas the said Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough, require to purchase and take a certain public weigh-house and weighing machines, with the lands and appurtenances thereto, situated in the said Borough, existing at commencement of the first-mentioned Act;

And whereas the Council of the said Borough have made due publication in the newspaper and served the several notices as required by the Local Government Act, 1858, and have presented a Petition to the Local Government Board, stating as required by that Act, and praying, with reference to the said weigh-house, weighing machines, lands, and appurtenances, to be allowed to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement;

And whereas, upon receipt of such Petition, the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held in the District as to the propriety of assenting to the prayer of the said Petition, which Inquiry has been held and report duly made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do, by this Our Order, empower the said Urban Sanitary Authority, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, to put in force, with reference, to the weighhouse, weighing machines, lands, and apportenances known as "Holbrook's Weighing Machine," existing at the time of the passing of the said recited Act, and situate on Sion Hill, at the junction of the Derby Road and Wellaton Street, in the said Borough, the powers of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, as extended by the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement, or any of them. The latter than the supplementation of the supplementary of

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twelfth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five:

G. Sclater-Booth, President. (L.S.) JOHN LAMBERT, Secretary. the first of the first the same of the same of the

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BOROUGH OF HASTINGS.

Provisional Order for dissolving the St. Leonard Improvement Act District.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Hastings, in the County of Sussex, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

To the Commissioners for executing the powers and provisions of an Act of Parliament passed in the second year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for better "paving, lighting, watching, and otherwise improving the Town of "Saint Leonard, in the County of Sussex";—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the powers and provisions of a Local Act of Parliament passed in the second year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for better paving, lighting, watching, and otherwise "improving the Town of Saint Leonard, in the County of Sussex," certain Commissioners were appointed to execute the said Act in the said Town of Saint Leonard;

And whereas the District for which the said Commissioners acted was an Improvement Act District within the meaning of the Public Health Act, 1872;

And whereas from the date of the last-mentioned Act the Borough of Hastings, which comprised within its area the said Improvement Act District of Saint Leonard, became an Urban Sanitary District of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of that Borough, acting by the Council, became, from the same date, the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by Section 22 of the last-mentioned Act, it is enacted that in the case of a Borough comprising within its area the whole of an Improvement Act District, the Local Government Board may, by Provisional Order, dissolve such District, and transfer to the Council of the Borough the jurisdiction and powers of the Improvement Commissioners of such District; and further that any Order made in pursuance of that section may if necessary provide for the settlement of any differences or the adjustment of any accounts or apportionment of any liabilities arising between Districts, Parishes, or other Places in consequence of the exercise of any powers conferred by that section, and direct the persons by whom and to whom any moneys found to be due are to be paid, and the mode of raising such moneys;

And whereas the Commissioners acting under the said Local Act have applied to the Local Government Board to dissolve the said Improvement Act District and to transfer all the powers now vested in the said Commissioners to the Council of the Borough of Hastings;

And whereas the Local Government Board accordingly directed an inquiry to be held, and the same was held, after due notice, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and

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A.D. 1875. after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the said Improvement Act District shall be dissolved, and all the jurisdiction, powers, rights, lands, hereditaments, tenements, moneys, rates, property, effects, and liabilities then vested in or attaching to the said Commissioners under the said Local Act, shall be transferred to the Council of such Borough, and the said Local Act shall be executed as if the name of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Hastings, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority thereof, had been used throughout the said Local Act in the place of the said Commissioners;

Provided always, that all matters and things commenced by the Commissioners under the authority of the said Local Act, and not then concluded, shall be continued under the same authority until the Council shall take charge of and continue the same.

And whereas the said Commissioners have incurred certain debts amounting to the sum of Twenty-seven thousand seven hundred pounds, in respect of matters to which the Sanitary Acts relate, of which the sum of Sixteen thousand three hundred and ninety-six pounds now remains due and owing and charged upon the said Improvement Act District, and the rates, duties, and assessments leviable and payable under the said Local Act within such District;

And whereas the said Council have incurred certain debts amounting to the sum of One hundred and twenty-one thousand one hundred and fifty pounds in respect of matters to which the Sanitary Acts relate;

And whereas the sum of Ten thousand and seven hundred pounds, part of the said sum of One hundred and twenty-one thousand one hundred and fifty pounds, was incurred under the provisions of a Local Act of Parliament passed in the second year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for paving, lighting, watching, cleansing, and improving the "Town and Port of Hastings, in the County of Sussex, and for establishing "and regulating Markets therein, and supplying the Inhabitants thereof with "water; and for other purposes."

And whereas the sum of Eighty-four thousand two hundred and seventy-six pounds, part of the said sum of One hundred and twenty-one thousand one hundred and fifty pounds, now remains due and owing and charged upon the rates of so much of the Borough of Hastings as is exclusive of the said Improvement Act District;

And whereas it appears to the Local Government Board expedient that the sum of Ten thousand four hundred and sixty pounds, part of the said sum of Sixteen thousand three hundred and ninety-six pounds, and the said sum of Eighty-four thousand two hundred and seventy-six pounds shall, from and after the dissolution of the said Improvement Act District as aforesaid, be charged equally and uniformly upon the whole of the said Borough, and that the sum of Five thousand nine hundred and thirty-six pounds, being the balance of the said sum of Sixteen thousand three hundred and ninety-six pounds, shall be charged as herein-after mentioned:

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Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, do further Order that A.D. 1875. from and after the date of the dissolution of the said Improvement Act District as aforesaid:—

I.—The said sums of Ten thousand four hundred and sixty pounds and Eighty-four thousand two hundred and seventy-six pounds, with the interest from time to time accruing thereon, shall be charged upon the General District Rate of the whole of the said Borough of Hastings.

II.—The said sum of Five thousand nine hundred and thirty-six pounds, with interest thereon at the rate of Four pounds and ten shillings per cent. per annum, shall be charged upon that part of the said Borough which formerly constituted the said Improvement Act District, and the said Council shall make and levy upon that part a rate or rates, in accordance with the provisions of the first-mentioned Act, to defray the said sum of Five thousand nine hundred and thirty-six pounds, with interest thereon as aforesaid, within the term of twenty years, from the said Twenty-ninth day of September, by equal annual or half yearly instalments, together with the necessary expenses to be incurred in making and levying the same, the first of such rates to be made and levied as soon as convenient after the said Twenty-ninth day of September.

> Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President. JOHN LAMBERT, Secretary.

(L.S.)

BOROUGH OF STAFFORD.

Provisional Order for dissolving the Stafford Improvement Act District, and for repealing a Local Act.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Stafford, in the County of Stafford, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough: —

To the Commissioners for executing the powers and provisions of an Act of Parliament passed in the eleventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act for paving,

" lighting, watching, cleansing, regulating, and improving the streets,

" lanes, and other public passages and places within the Borough of

" Stafford, in the County of Stafford";—

And to all whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the powers and provisions of a Local Act of Parliament passed in the eleventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act for paving, lighting, watching, cleansing, regulating, " and improving the streets, lanes, and other public passages and places within "the Borough of Stafford, in the County of Stafford," certain Commissioners were appointed to execute the said Act in the Borough of Stafford, in the County of Stafford;

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And whereas the District for which the said Commissioners acted was an Improvement Act District within the meaning of the Public Health Act, 1872;

And whereas the Borough of Stafford, which comprised within its area the said Improvement Act District, became, under the provisions of section 4 of the last-mentioned Act, and from the date of that Act, an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of that Borough, acting by the Council, became, from the same date, the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas the provisions of the Local Government Acts, as defined by the said Act, with respect to rating, were at the passing of the said Act in force throughout the District of such authority;

And whereas by Section 22 of the said Act, it is enacted that in the case of a Borough comprising within its area the whole of an Improvement Act District, the Local Government Board may, by Provisional Order, dissolve such District, and transfer to the Council of the Borough the jurisdiction and powers of the Improvement Commissioners of such District;

And whereas by Section 33 of the said Act, the Local Government Board are empowered, on the application of the Sanitary Authority of any District, by Provisional Order, wholly or partially to repeal, alter, or amend any Local Acts, other than certain Acts specified in that section, which relate to the same subject matters as the Sanitary Acts;

And whereas the said Commissioners have, under the powers of the said Local Act, incurred a certain debt amounting to the sum of five thousand pounds, in respect of certain matters to which the Sanitary Acts relate, of which the sum of two thousand pounds now remains unpaid;

And whereas the Local Act above mentioned relates to the same subject matters as the Sanitary Acts, and the Council, as such Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, have applied to the Local Government Board, praying them to issue a Provisional Order to repeal the said Local Act in part, and to provide for the transfer of the property, debts, liabilities, and obligations of the said Commissioners to the said Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas, upon receipt of the said application, the Local Government Board directed an inquiry to be held, and the same was held, after due notice, and report has been made to them thereon;

And whereas it appears to the Local Government Board expedient that the said District should be dissolved, that the said Local Act should be repealed in part, and that all the powers now vested in the said Commissioners should be transferred as aforesaid:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the several Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the following provisions shall take effect; viz.,—

I.—The said Improvement Act District shall be dissolved, and all the jurisdiction, powers, rights, lands, hereditaments, tenements, moneys, rates, property, effects, debts, and liabilities vested in or now attaching to the said Commis-

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sioners under the said Local Act shall, so far as they are not now transferred A.D. 1875. by operation of the Statutes in that behalf, be transferred to the Council of such Borough acting as such Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid;

II.—The said Local Act shall be repealed, except as to sections 38 to 55, both inclusive, which sections shall be altered so that the powers and duties therein given to or imposed upon the Commissioners shall, after this Order comes into operation, be given to and imposed upon the Urban Sanitary Authority aforesaid;

Provided always, that all matters and things commenced by the Commissioners under the authority of those sections of the said Local Act which are hereby repealed, and not concluded at the day aforesaid, shall be continued by the Commissioners thereunder until the Council shall take charge of and continue the same;

III .- The balance now remaining unpaid of the said debt of five thousand pounds shall be transferred to the said Council, and shall, with the interest from time to time chargeable thereon, be charged upon the General District Rate of the said Borough.

> Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Twelfth day of June, One thousand eight hundred and seventyfive.

(L.S.)

G. Sclater-Booth, President. JOHN LAMBERT, Secretary.

WOLVISTON SPECIAL DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

Provisional Order for dissolving the Wolviston Special Drainage District.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Stockton Union, in the County of Durham, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union; —

To the Inhabitants of the Wolviston Special Drainage District, in the said Union; ---

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 22 of the Public Health Act, 1872, it is enacted, that where a Special Drainage District has been formed under the Sewage Utilization Acts previously to the passing of that Act, and works have been executed therein, in respect of which a loan has been raised, the Local Government Board may, by Provisional Order, dissolve such District and merge it in the Parish in which it is situated; and that any Order made in pursuance of that section may, if necessary, provide for the settlement of any differences, or the adjustment of any accounts or apportionment of any liabilities arising between Districts, Parishes, or other Places, in consequence of the exercise of any powers conferred by that section, and may direct the persons by whom and to whom any moneys found to be due are to be paid, and the mode of raising such moneys;

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And whereas the Township of Wolviston, in the County of Durham, is comprised in the Rural Sanitary District of the Stockton Union, and part of the said Township was, in or about the year 1867, formed into a Special Drainage District, called "The Wolviston Special Drainage District," under the Sewage Utilization Acts; and certain Drainage Works have been executed in the said District, in respect whereof a loan of three hundred and eighty pounds was raised by the Sewer Authority, and duly charged upon the Rates thereof;

And whereas by Section 8 of the above-recited Act, all the powers, rights, duties, capacities, liabilities, and obligations of the Sewer Authority of the said Special Drainage District (including the liability for the payment of the said sum of three hundred and eighty pounds) were transferred to the Guardians of the said Union as the Sanitary Authority for the said Rural Sanitary District;

And whereas application has been made to the Local Government Board to issue a Provisional Order for dissolving the said Special Drainage District, and for directing the persons by whom the balance of the said loan of three hundred and eighty pounds, amounting to the sum of two hundred and sixty pounds or thereabouts, and interest, shall be paid;

And whereas upon receipt of the said application, the Local Government Board directed an Inquiry to be held, and the same was held after due notice, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the said Wolviston Special Drainage District shall be dissolved, and shall be merged in the said Township of Wolviston.

And We do hereby Direct, that so much of the said sum of two hundred and sixty pounds as shall be then outstanding shall, together with the interest thereon, be paid by the Guardians of the said Union, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union, who shall charge the payments which they shall make in respect of so much of the said sum of two hundred and sixty pounds as shall be outstanding, and the interest thereon, to the said Township of Wolviston.

And We do hereby Determine that such payments when made shall be deemed to be "Special Expenses" within the meaning of Sections 17 and 18 of the Public Health Act, 1872.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President. H. Fleming, Secretary.

(L.S.)

BOROUGH OF SUDBURY.

A.D. 1875.

Provisional Order for altering the Incidence of Charge of Expenses of the Sudbury Urban Sanitary Authority.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Sudbury, in the Counties of Suffolk and Essex, being the Urban Sanitary Authority for that Borough;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS under the provisions of Section 4 of the Public Health Act, 1872, the Borough of Sudbury, in the Counties of Suffolk and Essex, became an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of that Borough, acting by the Council, became the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas by Section 16 of the said Act, it is enacted that all expenses incurred or psyable by an Urban Sanitary Authority under the Sanitary Acts shall, if the Local Government Acts, or the provisions of those Acts with respect to rating, were at or immediately before the passing of that Act in force throughout the district of such authority, be defrayed in manner provided by those Acts; and that if the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said district at or immediately before the passing of that Act, in the case of the council of a borough, they shall be defrayed out of the borough fund or borough rate;

And whereas the Local Government Acts were not so in force in the said Borough at or immediately before the passing of the herein-before recited Act;

And whereas by Section 9 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, it is enacted that if application be made to the Local Government Board, whereby it shall be alleged that it would be inequitable or inconvenient in the district of any Urban Sanitary Authority that the expenses referred to in the said sixteenth section should be borne as therein provided, the said Board may, after inquiry, by a Provisional Order, alter the incidence of such charge in respect of the whole or some of the expenditure referred to, as to them shall appear to be fair and equitable;

And whereas at the date of the passing of the Public Health Act, 1872, certain debts, amounting to the sum of ten thousand pounds, or thereabouts, were due and owing by the Commissioners appointed to execute certain Local Acts of the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, and of the fifth year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, in the Town and Borough of Sudbury, intituled respectively "An Act for paving, lighting, "cleansing, watching, watering, and improving the Town and Borough of Sudbury, in the County of Suffolk," and "An Act to amend, alter, and "enlarge the powers and provisions of an Act for paving, lighting, cleansing, "watching, watering, and improving the Town and Borough of Sudbury, in the County of Suffolk," which debts were on the passing of the said Public Health Act, 1872, transferred to the Council of the said Borough, as the Sanitary Authority thereof;

And whereas the sum of seven thousand two hundred and eight pounds is owing by the Urban Sanitary Authority of the said Borough of Sudbury, in

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A.D. 1875. respect of certain loans advanced to them for the construction of works for the supply of water to the said Borough;

And whereas the sum of six hundred and eighty pounds, or thereabouts, is owing in respect of a certain loan advanced to the Sewer Authority of the Hamlet of Ballingdon-cum-Brundon, situated within the said Urban Sanitary District, which debt has been transferred to the said Urban Sanitary Authority by operation of the Public Health Act, 1872;

And whereas application has been made by certain ratepayers in respect of land within the Urban Sanitary District of the said Borough of Sudbury, to the Local Government Board, alleging that it was inequitable that the expenses referred to in the sixteenth section above recited, should be borne as therein provided, and praying the Board to alter the incidence of those expenses;

And whereas upon receipt of such application the Local Government Board directed an inquiry to be held on the subject, and the same was held, after due notice thereof, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, All the expenses incurred or payable, under the Sanitary Acts, by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Sudbury, acting by the Council, as the Urban Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, together with so much of the said sum of seven thousand two hundred and eight pounds as shall then be due, and the said interest from time to time accruing thereon, shall be defrayed by such rate or rates and in such manner as if the provisions of the Local Government Acts, as defined by Section 60 of the Public Health Act, 1872, with respect to rating, except such as reserve any previous exemptions from rating under any Local Act, had been at or immediately before the passing of the last-mentioned Act in force throughout the Urban Sanitary District of the said Borough.

Provided always, that the said Urban Sanitary Authority shall have and exercise all the powers formerly vested in the said Commissioners under the said Local Acts of making and levying the rates by those Acts authorised to be made and levied, for the purpose of defraying the said sum of ten thousand pounds, so due under the said Local Acts, or so much thereof as shall be due and owing, together with the interest from time to time accruing thereon.

Provided also, that the said Urban Sanitary Authority shall make and levy annually, in the said Hamlet of Ballingdon-cum-Brundon, a rate or rates in the nature of a Borough Rate, for the purpose of defraying the said sum of six hundred and eighty pounds, or so much thereof as may be due and owing at the date aforesaid, together with the interest from time, to time accruing thereon.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President. John Lambert, Secretary.

(L.S.)

DISTRICT OF TODMORDEN.

A.D. 1875.

Provisional Order for dissolving the Local Government Districts of Cornholme and Todmorden, and for other purposes.

- To the Cornholme Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Cornholme, in the County of Lancaster, and in the West Riding of the County of York; —
- To the Todmorden Local Board, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of Todmorden, in the said County and West Riding; —
- To the Guardians of the Poor of the Burnley Union, in the County of Lancaster, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union; —
- To the Guardians of the Poor of the Todmorden Union, in the County of Lancaster, and in the West Riding of the County of York, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union;—
- To the Inhabitants of the Townships of Langfield and Stansfield, in the West Riding of the County of York, and of the Township of Todmorden and Walsden, in the County of Lancaster, all in the said Todmorden Union, and to the Inhabitants of the Township of Cliviger, in the said County of Lancaster; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 22 of the Public Health Act, 1872, the Local Government Board are, by Provisional Order, empowered to dissolve any Local Government District, and to merge any such District in some other Sanitary District, and it is enacted that any Order made in pursuance of that section may provide for the settlement of any differences, or the adjustment of any accounts or apportionment of any liabilities arising between Districts, Parishes, or other Places, in consequence of the exercise of any powers conferred by that section, and may direct the persons by whom and to whom any moneys found to be due are to be paid, and the mode of raising such moneys;

And whereas on or about the Twenty-fourth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, the Local Government Act, 1858, came into force in the District of Cornholme, in the County of Lancaster, and in the West Riding of the County of York, respectively comprising part of the Township of Cliviger, in the Burnley Union, and parts of the Townships of Todmorden and Walsden and Stansfield in the Todmorden Union, and such District became a Local Government District within the meaning of the above-recited section;

And whereas on or about the Twenty-ninth day of April, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, the Local Government Act, 1858, came into force in the District of Todmorden, comprising parts of the Townships of Todmorden and Walsden, Langfield and Stansfield, in the said County and Riding, in the Todmorden Union, and such District became a Local Government District within the meaning of the above-recited section;

And whereas certain works of sewerage have been executed in the Local Government District of Todmorden, in respect whereof a debt of fifteen thousand pounds has been incurred by the Todmorden Local Board;

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And whereas it has been represented to the Local Government Board that it would be desirable to dissolve the said Local Government Districts, and to merge the former in the Rural Sanitary Districts of the Burnley and Todmorden Unions respectively, and the latter in the Rural Sanitary District of the Todmorden Union, and the Local Government Board caused local inquiries, of which public notice was duly given, to be made upon the subject, and report has been made to them thereon, and they have determined that it is expedient that such dissolution should be effected:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the Twenty-ninth day of September next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, the Local Government District of Cornholme shall be dissolved, and be merged in the Rural Sanitary District of the Burnley and Todmorden Unions respectively, and the Local Government District of Todmorden shall also be dissolved, and be merged in the Rural Sanitary District of the Todmorden Union.

And whereas by Section 24 of the Public Health Act, 1872, it is enacted that the Local Government Board may, by Provisional Order, declare any portion of any Rural Sanitary District to be an Urban Sanitary District, and that, upon such Order being confirmed by Parliament, the portion of the District referred to therein shall become a Local Government District, and shall be subject to the jurisdiction of a Local Board;

And whereas by Section 15 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, it is enacted that, when the Local Government Board form an Urban Sanitary District under the last-mentioned Section, they may, by the Order constituting the District, if they see fit, divide the District into Wards for the election of members;

And whereas from and after the date aforesaid the said Local Government District of Cornholme will, for the purposes of the Sanitary Acts, be merged in and form part of the Rural Sanitary Districts of the Burnley and Todmorden Unions;

And whereas from and after the same date the Local Government District of Todmorden will, for the purposes of the Sanitary Acts be merged in and form part of the Rural Sanitary District of the Todmorden Union;

And whereas so much of the Townships of Langfield and Stansfield, in the said West Riding, and of the Township of Todmorden and Walsden, in the County of Lancaster, as was not included in either of the Local Government Districts hereby dissolved, are comprised in the Rural Sanitary District of the Todmorden Union;

And whereas it is expedient that the parts of the Rural Sanitary Districts of the Burnley and Todmorden Unions which are described in the Schedule hereto annexed shall be constituted an Urban Sanitary District as herein mentioned:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Declare that, from and after the First day of October next following the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order, All those parts of the Rural Sanitary Districts of

the Burnley and Todmorden Unions which are described in the Schedule hereto A.D. 1875. annexed shall be, and are hereby constituted an Urban Sanitary District within the meaning of the Public Health Act, 1872, under the name of the Todmorden Urban Sanitary District, and that such Urban Sanitary District shall become a Local Government District, and be subject to the jurisdiction of a Local Board.

Provided that the Guardians of the Poor of the Burnley and Todmorden Unions respectively, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authorities for those Unions, shall continue to act for so much of each of the said Urban Sanitary Districts as is situate therein in all respects as if this Order were not made until the first meeting of the Local Board to be elected for the said District.

And We do Order that—

I.—The members of the said Local Board shall consist of fifteen persons, who shall be qualified as required, and be elected in the manner prescribed, by the law in force for the time being for the election of members of a Local Board, in the case where such Board is to be elected in a place having a known and defined boundary in which there is no Churchwarden or any Overseer.

Provided that the notice for the first election of members shall be published within one calendar month next following the said First day of October, and the members first elected, and any member elected to fill a casual vacancy among the members first elected, shall hold their or his office respectively as if they or he had been first elected at an annual election in the year next ensuing the said First day of October.

II.—The Todmorden Urban Sanitary District, as hereby constituted, shall, for the purposes of the election of a Local Board, be divided into four Wards, to be termed respectively the Langfield Ward, the Todmorden Ward, the Walsden Ward, and the Stansfield Ward.

III .- The Langfield Ward shall consist of the Township of Langfield, the Todmorden Ward of the Hamlet of Todmorden, the Walsden Ward of the Hamlet of Walsden, and the Stansfield Ward of the parts of the Townships of Cliviger and Stansfield hereby included in the said Urban Sanitary District.

IV .-- One-fifth of the members of the said Local Board shall be elected for each of the Langfield, Todmorden, and Walsden Wards, and two-fifths for the Stansfield Ward, so that three members shall be elected by the electors qualified to vote in the Langfield, Todmorden, and Walsden Wards for each of such Wards, and six members shall be elected for the Stansfield Ward by the electors qualified to vote therein.

V.—From and after the date of the first meeting of the Local Board to be elected for the Urban Sanitary District hereby constituted, all the powers, rights, duties, lands, tenements, hereditaments, moneys, properties, works, debts, liabilities, and obligations, including so much of said debt of fifteen thousand pounds as may be due at the date of the constitution of the said Urban Sanitary District, belonging to, exerciseable by, or attaching to the Local Boards for the Local Government Districts hereby dissolved, shall be transferred to the Local Board to be elected for such Urban Sanitary District, and the said debt of fifteen thousand pounds, or so much as shall be due on the said first day of October, and the interest from time to time accruing thereon, shall,

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VI.—The Local Board to be elected for the Urban Sanitary District hereby constituted shall, within one month after their first meeting, divide their District into two parts, one to comprise the part thereof which formerly constituted the Todmorden Local Government District, and the other to comprise the remainder of the said Urban Sanitary District, and shall in each and every year for the space of twenty years from the said First day of October make separate assessments, and levy and make such a rate in the nature of a General District Rate upon the first part of such District as shall be sufficient to raise the sum of three hundred and twenty pounds, to meet the annual payments on account of principal and interest of the said sum of fifteen thousand pounds, so charged upon the said Urban Sanitary District as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

All those parts of the Rural Sanitary Districts of the Burnley and Todmorden Unions which are comprised within a line commencing at the point on the northern boundary of the Township of Stansfield where the said boundary is crossed by the road to Blackshaw Head at the Sportsman Inn, New Delight, and thence following in a southerly direction the eastern side of Old Shaw Lane to the point where the said lane meets the highway leading from Burnley to Hebden Bridge at Blackshaw Head; thence crossing the said highway and proceeding in a westerly direction along the south side thereof to Davy Lane; thence along the eastern side of the said lane to the point where it crosses Jumble Hole Clough, along the left bank of the said clough to the boundary between the Townships of Stansfield and Erringden, and thence along the lastmentioned boundary to the boundary of the Township of Langfield; thence along the castern and southern boundaries of such Township to the boundary of the Township of Todmorden and Walsden, and along such boundary in a westerly and northerly direction to the boundary of the Local Government District of Cornholme dissolved by this Order at or near Portsmouth Mill; thence along the western boundary of such District to the western boundary of the Township of Stansfield; thence in a northerly and an easterly direction along the last-mentioned boundary to the starting point.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Fourteenth day of June, in the year One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

G. Sclater-Booth, President. John Lambert, Secretary.

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