



#### CHAPTER iv.

An Act to confirm a Provisional Order of the Local Govern- A.D. 1886.  
ment Board under the provisions of the Redistribution of  
Seats Act, 1885, relating to the Parish of Misson.

[25th September 1886.]

**W**HEREAS the Local Government Board have made the  
Provisional Order set forth in the Schedule hereto, under  
the provisions of the Redistribution of Seats Act, 1885:

48 & 49 Vict.  
c. 23.

And whereas it is requisite that the said Order 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 Order set out in the Schedule hereto shall be and the  
same is hereby confirmed, and all the provisions thereof shall, from  
and after the passing of this Act, have full validity and force.

The Order  
in schedule  
confirmed.

2. This Act may be cited as the Local Government Board's  
Provisional Order Confirmation (County Divisions) Act, 1886.

Short title.

A.D. 1836.

SCHEDULE.

*Misson  
Order.*

PARISH OF MISSON.

*Provisional Order under Section 23 of the Redistribution of  
Seats Act, 1885.*

To the Clerk of the Peace of the Parts of Lindsey, in the County of  
Lincoln; —

To the Clerk of the Peace of the County of Nottingham; —

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Misson,  
in the Counties of Lincoln and Nottingham, or one of them; —

To William Thompson, John Staniland, and others, voters for the West  
Lindsey or Gainsborough Parliamentary Division of the County of  
Lincoln; —

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 9 of the Redistribution of Seats Act, 1885, the  
County of Lincoln and the County of Nottingham are respectively divided  
into the Divisions mentioned in the Seventh Schedule to that Act for the purpose  
of returning Members to Parliament;

And whereas by the said section and Schedule the County Petty Sessional  
Division of Epworth in the Parts of Lindsey, as existing on the First day of  
January, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, is included in the West  
Lindsey or Gainsborough Division of the said County of Lincoln, and the County  
Petty Sessional Division of Retford, as existing on the said First day of January,  
One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, is included in the Bassetlaw  
Division of the said County of Nottingham;

And whereas the Parish of Misson is alleged to be situate in the said Petty  
Sessional Division of Epworth, and also in the said Petty Sessional Division of  
Retford, or partly in the one, and partly in the other, and doubt has consequently  
arisen as to the Division of a County in which the said parish was intended by  
the said Seventh Schedule to be included for the purpose of returning Members  
to Parliament;

And whereas it is provided by Section 23 of the said Act that if any doubt  
arise as to the Parliamentary Division of a County in which any parish is  
intended by the Schedules to that Act to be included, such doubt shall, for

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any year subsequent to the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, on the application of any voter, be determined by an Order of the Local Government Board to be made after local inquiry, and to be confirmed by Parliament ;

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And whereas application has been made to the Local Government Board in accordance with the last-mentioned section to determine the said doubt, and the Local Government Board have caused local inquiry to be made upon the subject :

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the power given to Us by Section 23 of the Redistribution of Seats Act, 1885, do, by this Our Order, determine that the said Parish of Misson was, for the purpose of returning Members to Parliament, intended by the Seventh Schedule to the said Act to be included in the Bassetlaw Division of the County of Nottingham, and that no part of the said parish was, for that purpose, intended to be included in the West Lindsey or Gainsborough Division of the County of Lincoln.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this  
Twentieth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-  
six.

(I.S.)

JAMES STANSFELD, President.

HUGH OWEN, Secretary.

