



Railways (Electrical Power) Act 1903

1903 CHAPTER 30 3 Edw 7

3 Board of Trade inquiries.

- (1) Before making an order under this Act, the Board of Trade shall be satisfied that the public notice, required by rules made under this Act, of the application for the order has been given, and shall consider any objections, made by the council of any county, any local authority or other person, to the application in accordance with those rules, and give to those by whom the objection is made an opportunity of being heard, and, if after consideration the Board decide that the objection should be upheld, the Board shall not make the order or shall modify the order so as to remove the objection.
- (2) The Board of Trade may, if they think fit, hold a local inquiry for the purpose of considering any application for an order under this Act, and the ^{M1}Board of Trade Arbitrations, &c. Act 1874, shall apply to any inquiry so held as if—
 - (a) the inquiry was held on an application made in pursuance of the special Act; and
 - (b) the parties making the application for the order and any person objecting to any such application were parties to the application within the meaning of section three of that Act.

Marginal Citations

M1 1874 c. 40.

Changes to legislation:

Railways (Electrical Power) Act 1903, Section 3 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 31 May 2023. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Commencement Orders yet to be applied to the Railways (Electrical Power) Act 1903

Commencement Orders bringing legislation that affects this Act into force:

- [S.I. 2005/3107 art. 23](#) commences (2004 c. 32)