

Town and District of Coatbridge, in the parishes of Old Monkland and New Monkland, in the County of Lanark, as hereinafter specified and described, and all the lands, houses, and places within the same, into a separate and independent Burgh (hereinafter called 'the Burgh'), by the Name and Title of the Town of Coatbridge, or such other Title as the Bill may provide, with all the rights, powers, privileges, liberties, immunities, faculties, authorities, and Civil and Criminal jurisdictions, and Municipal Government usually conferred on, possessed by, pertaining or competent by Law to, and exercised within Burghs in Scotland.

The limits of the Burgh (the description thereof being subject to the rules of construction laid down in the Public Act 2 and 3 William IV., cap. 65, section 5), will comprehend and include the lands, houses, and places in the area comprehended within a line commencing on the highway from Old Monkland Church to Coatbridge, at a point 45 yards north of the line of the north side wall of the said church, and proceeding along the said highway northward to a point in line with the north wall of the Old Monkland Cemetery; thence about 105 yards westward along the line of the said wall; thence northward, parallel to and at a distance of 100 yards westward from the west side of the said highway to a point 100 yards southward from the south side of the avenue leading to Kirkwood Farmhouse; thence about 152 yards westward, parallel to the said avenue; thence northward, crossing the Edinburgh and Glasgow Highway at a point about 158 yards westwards from the aforesaid highway from Old Monkland Church to Coatbridge, and continuing about 121 yards northward thereafter; thence north-eastward, parallel to and 100 yards north-westward from the north-west side of the said Edinburgh and Glasgow highway, to a point 100 yards westward from the west side of Blair Road; thence northward, parallel to and 100 yards westward from the west side of Blair Road, to the highway from Coatbridge to Townhead Farm; thence north-eastward to the bridge which carries the Caledonian Railway over the now disused Espleside Colliery Railway; thence eastward to the Airdrie North Burn at a point about 667 yards below the Burnbank Bridge, measured along the course of the said burn; thence eastward, crossing the highway from Coatbridge to New Monkland Church, at a point about 130 yards southward from the front of Kipps Farmhouse, and continuing to the boundary between the lands of Kipps and Kippsbyre; thence southward following the said boundary and a line in continuation thereof to the south boundary of the Airdrie and Coatbridge Branch Railway, at a point about 182 yards eastward from the boundary between the parishes of Old Monkland and New Monkland; thence along the south fence of the said branch railway to the south east-corner of the bridge over the Edinburgh and Glasgow Highway; thence southward to the east side of the Monkland Canal, at a point 333 yards northward from the north side of Sikeside Canal Bridge; thence across the said canal in a south-westerly direction; thence southward along the west side of the said canal to a burn, about 137 yards from the south wing of Sikeside Canal Bridge; thence along the said burn to the North Calder Water; thence along the North Calder Water to the Caledonian Railway Bridge; thence westward to the south entrance of the tunnel on

the old mineral line of railway near Rosehall Colliery; thence westward for a distance of about 474 yards, to a point 100 yards southward from the south side of the highway leading from Coat-hill to Old Monkland Church; thence westward parallel to the last mentioned highway to the herein before described point of commencement of the said line in the parishes of Old Monkland and New Monkland and County of Lanark.

To make provision for the revision of the boundaries of the Burgh from time to time, and the extension thereof, on application to the Sheriff, or in such other manner as may be provided in the Bill.

To provide for the application, adoption, and enforcement within the Burgh, subject to such modifications and alterations, if any, as shall be deemed necessary or expedient, or as shall be provided for by the Bill, of all or some of the parts or sections, or clauses of the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862; the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1862, Amendment Act; the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Amendment Act, 1878; and the General Police and Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1882 (hereinafter referred to as 'the Police Acts'); the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867; the Public Health (Scotland) Amendment Act, 1871; the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867, Amendment Act, 1875; and the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867, Amendment Act, 1879 (hereinafter referred to as 'the Public Health Acts'); and the Artisans and Labourers Dwellings Improvement (Scotland) Act, 1875, and of all or any other public Acts relating to police sanitary, or improvement purposes; and the Bill will incorporate, subject to such alterations and amendments as may be necessary, the Lands Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845, and the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts Amendment Act, 1860.

To divide or to make provision for the division of the Burgh into Wards for Municipal and Police purposes, and to fix and define the number and the boundaries thereof, and to provide for the future alteration and readjustment of the number and boundaries of the Wards.

To provide that the Magistrates, and the Magistrates and Council, shall within the Burgh possess the same powers, authorities, and jurisdictions, as the Magistrates and Magistrates and Council respectively of Royal and Parliamentary Burghs in Scotland, and that the laws and enactments applicable and in force within and regarding such Royal and Parliamentary Burghs, shall apply to and be in force within the Burgh.

To provide for the municipal government of the Burgh, to confer powers on the householders within the limits thereof, in the manner and under the conditions to be provided in the Bill, and to provide for the qualification, registration, and voting of electors of the Burgh; to provide for the election of Magistrates and Councillors for the Burgh, and their number, and to confer powers on the Magistrates and Councillors so to be elected (hereinafter called 'the Town Council') to elect or appoint a Provost, Bailies, Treasurer, Town Clerk, and other usual and necessary office-bearers, and to provide for the arrangements at the election of the Provost, Magistrates, and Councillors, and for the expenses incurred at such elections; to provide for establishing a common good for the Burgh and for the management thereof, and to make provision for suitable