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Secretary to Commissioners.

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Scheme, under the Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882, for the Administration of the Endowment known as the Innerpeffray Mortification, in the Parish of Monzie, and County of Perth.

Preamble.

1, 2. Future Administration; Transference of Property.

3. Constitution and Election of Governing Body.—The governing body, hereinafter called the governors, shall consist of three persons, of whom

One shall be appointed by the proprietor of the estate of Innerpeffray;

One shall be appointed by the Earl of Camperdown; and

One shall be elected by the School Board of Muthill.

The governors appointed by the proprietor of the estate of Innerpeffray and the Earl of Camperdown shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of five years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governor elected by the School Board of Muthill, who may be elected either out of their own number or otherwise, shall, in the case of the first election, hold office for a period of three years, and thereafter until the first day of August after the expiry of that period. The governors shall, in the case of all elections or appointments subsequent to the first, hold office for a period of five years from and after the expiry of the term of office of their predecessors, except as hereinafter provided. Each election shall be made at a meeting convened and conducted according to the ordinary rules and practice of the electing body. Any governor may be re-elected or re-appointed. The first governors shall be elected or appointed as soon as conveniently may be after the date of this Scheme. The clerk or other officer of the governors shall, at least one month before the expiry of the term of office of any governor, give notice to the body or person entitled to elect or appoint, who shall, as soon as conveniently may be after such notice, appoint or elect a governor to hold office from the expiry of said term. Any election or appointment not made as aforesaid within three months from the date of this Scheme, or from the date of the notice of expiry of a term of office, or from the date of the notice of a vacancy, as hereinafter prescribed, shall in that case be made by the then existing governors.

4–10. Vacancies; Meetings; Chairman; Quorum and Execution of Deeds and Minutes.

11–15. Accounts; Business Arrangements; Investment of Funds; Audit; First Meeting.

16–19. Clauses relating to Transference of Administration; and Preservation of Vested Interests.

Application of Income.

20. Application of Income.—The governors, after paying the necessary expenses of management, and the burdens and taxes affecting the Endowment, shall apply the free income of the Endowment in the manner hereinafter provided.

21. School to be Managed by School Board of Muthill.—The governors shall grant the use of the school and teacher's house at Innerpeffray to the School Board of Muthill, and shall pay to the said School Board the annual sum of £20, under the condition that they shall keep the said school and teacher's house in proper repairs, and shall maintain a school therein; but if the School Board refuse to accept the transference of said school, or if at any time they refuse to fulfil the conditions of transference, the governors shall themselves maintain a school in said buildings in the same manner and under the same conditions as if the school were a public school, and they shall apply the said annual sum of £20 for the maintenance of said school; provided always that it shall be in their power to cease to maintain the said school with the consent of the Scotch Education Department. In the event of the school falling to be maintained by the governors, they shall entrust the whole management thereof, including the appointment and dismissal of teachers, to the foresaid Honourable Captain Arthur Drummond, so long as he desires to retain the same, under the obligation always that he shall annually report to the governors all matters relating to said school.

22. Library.—The governors shall expend the remainder of the free annual income in maintaining the library at Innerpeffray; but it shall be in the power of the governors to transfer the library to any town or village within five miles of Innerpeffray provided that prior to the removal of said library provision to the satisfaction of the governing body shall have been made for its custody and for the due use thereof, and that the name of the Innerpeffray Library shall be affixed to all books belonging thereto at the time of transference. The governors shall have power to stipulate that they should be represented on any body to which the custody of the library should be transferred by at least one of their number. In the event of the library being transferred under this section the governors shall pay to the body to whom it is transferred the whole remaining free annual income of the Endowment, and shall be entitled to require from said body an annual statement of the application of said payment.

General Clauses.

23. Residue of Income.—The residue of the free annual income, in so far as it has not been applied under the provisions of this Scheme, shall be invested by the governors as soon as it shall amount to £50, and form part of the capital fund of the Endowment.

24–28. Future Administration; Power to apply to Court of Session for Alteration; Power to make Bye-Laws and receive additional Donations. Scheme to be Printed.