

and public bodies, commissioners, companies, trustees, or other legal authorities, and all persons whomsoever to make and carry into effect contracts and agreements for lighting any streets, roads, ways, passages, or other places, manufactories, stations, or other buildings, or otherwise upon such terms and conditions as they shall respectively think fit, or as may be defined in the Act.

To define, authorize, alter, and regulate the existing capital of the dissolved Company, or the capital of the Company, and its distribution into shares, and the capitalization or conversion into capital of moneys raised or expended by the dissolved Company, or by the Company out of their undivided profits or otherwise.

To enable the Company to raise further capital by shares, stock, borrowing on mortgage or bond, or debenture stock, or any of those means, and to attach, if it should be thought desirable, to such shares or stocks, or any part thereof, a preference or priority of dividend over the existing or ordinary shares of the Company, and to make further and other provision with reference to the augmentation of the share and loan capital of the Company.

To authorize the Company to sell or transfer all or any part of the gasworks, undertaking, rights, powers, privileges, things, or authorities (hereinafter called "the Undertaking") to be by the proposed Act authorized and conferred on the Company, or already in the possession of the dissolved Company, and to empower the Cocker-mouth Local Board to purchase the whole or any part of the undertaking of the Company, upon such terms and conditions, and in consideration of such annual or other payments as may be agreed upon, or as may be prescribed by or under the proposed Act, and so as to effectually vest the same in the Cocker-mouth Local Board, including the powers proposed to be conferred on the Company with respect to the maintenance, extension, and renewal of the existing works, the levying and receiving of tolls, rates, and duties, the manufacture and supply of gas, and of the residual products resulting from the manufacture of gas, the acquisition of lands, the raising of money, and otherwise, and to provide for the dissolution of the Company, and the winding up of the affairs of the Company.

To authorize and empower the Cocker-mouth Local Board to raise money for the purposes aforesaid, and to raise such money by mortgage or otherwise of the lands, works, and property which they are now or may hereafter become possessed of or acquire under any Act or Acts of Parliament under which they may now or hereafter be acting, and of their rates and assessments of any kind, market tolls, stallages, gas and water rates, revenues, rents, and charges, slaughter-house tolls, and revenues of every kind which they now are or may hereafter become entitled to levy, raise, or take under any Act or Acts, Orders or Order, or any or either of them, lands, works, property, funds, rates, tolls or charges, and revenues, and to make the special provisions to be defined in the proposed Act with regard to the time and mode of repayment of the said borrowed moneys.

To confirm and sanction all or any agreements relating to the objects of the proposed Act.

And it is intended to incorporate with the proposed Act all or some of the provisions of "The Companies Clauses Acts, 1845, 1863, and 1869," "The Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1845, 1860, and 1869," as amended by "The Lands Clauses (Umpire) Act, 1883," "The Public

Health Act, 1875," "The Gasworks Clauses Acts, 1847 and 1871," or some parts of those respective Acts, and any other Act or Acts relating directly or indirectly to the Company, or to the Cocker-mouth Local Board; and to confer upon the Company and such Local Board all powers, rights, and privileges necessary for carrying into effect the objects of the proposed Act, and to vary and extinguish all rights and privileges which will interfere with its objects.

Printed copies of the proposed Act will, on or before the 21st day of December next, be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 1st day of November, 1886.

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In Parliament.—Session 1887.

Northampton Gas
(Additional Lands; Power to Manufacture Gas and Convert Residual Products; Sale of superfluous Lands; Interim Dividend; Additional Capital; Amendment of Acts; Incorporation of General Acts.)

A PPLICATION will be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session thereof, by the Northampton Gas Light Company (hereinafter called the Company), for leave to bring in a Bill for the following, or some of the following purposes, that is to say:

1. To enable the Company to acquire by agreement and hold for the purposes of the intended Act and of their undertaking generally, lands (in which term, whensoever used in this notice, are included houses, buildings, and other hereditaments) and property, and especially certain lands and property in the parish of Hardingstone, in the county of Northampton, forming parts of a close of land called "Baulms-holme," belonging, or reputed to belong, to the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Northampton (hereinafter referred to as the Corporation). The description of the said lands is as follows, that is to say:

A piece of land containing about 5 acres 2 roods and 25 perches, and bounded on the north by the River Nene, on the north-west by a railway or siding belonging or reputed to belong to the Company, and leading to their gas works from the London and North Western Railway on the south-west by an arm of the River Nene, and on the east by a line drawn from a point in the southern bank of the said river, about half a chain east of the occupation bridge leading into the said close in a southerly direction to the said arm of the said river.

A piece of land containing about 1 acre 3 roods and 13 perches, and bounded on the south-east by the said railway or siding, on the north-east by the said River Nene, and on all other sides by an arm of the said river.

2. To enable the Company on the said lands and on the following lands, that is to say—

Certain land in the said parish of Hardingstone, containing about 1 acre and 1 rood, and belonging or reputed to belong to the Company, and bounded on the south-east by the said railway or siding of the Company, on the west partly by the London and North Western Railway, and partly by an arm or branch of the said River