

Every company, corporation, or person, desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objection respecting this application, may do so by letter, addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Railway Department of the Board of Trade, on or before the 15th of January next, and copies of such representation or objections must, at the same time, be sent to the Promoters; and in forwarding to the Board of Trade such objections, the objectors or their agents should state that a copy of the same has been sent to the Promoters or their agents.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1886.

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Stowmarket Water.

(Provisional Order.)

(Maintenance and Construction of Waterworks; Supply of Water to Stowmarket and Neighbourhood; Purchase of Lands; Rates; Provisions for Protection of Water; Agreements with and Powers to Stowmarket Local Board and other Bodies and other matters).

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to the Board of Trade, pursuant to the Gas and Water Works Facilities Act, 1870, for a Provisional Order for effecting the purposes, or some of the purposes, following, that is to say:—

1. To empower Edward Greene, Esq., M.P., Edward Walter Greene, and Edward William Lake, Esq. (trading under the name or style of Messieurs E. Greene & Sons), their executors, administrators, successors, and assigns (hereinafter called "the Undertakers") to supply water for public and private purposes to and within the parishes, townships, and places following, or some of them, that is to say:—Stowmarket, Stow, Upland, Combes, Badley, Creeting St. Peter or West Creeting, Creeting St. Mary, Needham Market, Barking, Darmsden, Coddendam, all in the county of Suffolk.

2. To empower the undertakers to maintain and continue, and from time to time enlarge the existing well and pumping station belonging to them, situate in their premises in the Station-road, Stowmarket, and to construct and maintain—

(a) A service reservoir to be situate in the north-east corner of the field belonging to and occupied by John Hayward, which field is numbered 305 on the tithe commutation map of the said parish of Stowmarket; and

(b) An aqueduct, conduit, or line of pipes commencing at the well and pumping station hereinbefore described and terminating in the reservoir hereinbefore described.

The whole of the above mentioned works will be situate in the parish of Stowmarket in the county of Suffolk, and to empower the undertakers in connection with such works to construct and maintain all proper and necessary embankments, filtering beds, softening tanks, dams, gauges, drains, sluices, catchpits, conduits, culverts, channels, wells, cuts, adits, aqueducts, tunnels, roads, approaches, apparatus, engines, works, and conveniences.

3. To authorize the undertakers to deviate from the lines and levels of the intended works.

4. To empower the undertakers to lay down, maintain, take up, alter, repair, and renew

mains, pipes, culverts, and other works for the supply of water in any of the parishes and places before mentioned, and for that purpose to cross, break up, open, alter, divert, or stop up, and interfere with either temporarily or permanently any roads, highways, footpaths, streets, public places, bridges, canals, navigations, towing paths, railways, tramways, sewers, drains, pipes, rivers, streams, brooks, and watercourses.

5. To authorize the undertakers to purchase by agreement, and to take on lease and to hold, sell, and dispose of any lands, houses, springs, streams, waters, and other hereditaments, or any estate, right, interest, or easement therein, in or near the several parishes and places before-mentioned, or some of them, and to collect, take, and use in the intended works all or any springs and waters on or near the site thereof, or in or under any lands for the time being of the undertakers.

6. To empower the undertakers to supply water by measure, and to sell or to let or provide on hire cisterns, tanks, meters, fittings, and other apparatus.

7. To enable the undertakers to demand, levy, and recover rates, rents, and charges, differential or otherwise, for or in respect of the supply of water, and for the sale and letting for hire of meters, fittings, instruments, pipes, and other apparatus, and to confer exemptions from the payment of rates, rents, and charges.

8. To make effectual provision for the protection of the waterworks and property of the undertakers, and for preventing the waste, fouling, misuse, and undue consumption of their water, and for imposing penalties in respect of all or any such matters.

9. To enable the undertakers, on the one hand, and any company, sanitary authority, public body, officers, or persons, on the other hand, to enter into and carry into effect contracts and agreements for or with respect to the supply by the undertakers to any such company, sanitary authority, or public body, officers, or persons, of water in bulk or otherwise for domestic, public, sanitary, trading, or other purposes, whether within or beyond the limits for the supply of water as above defined, all necessary powers.

10. To empower the undertakers, on the one part, and the Local Board of Stowmarket on the other part, to enter into and carry into effect agreements for or with respect to the purchase by the said Local Board of the undertaking proposed to be authorized by the Provisional Order, or to make provision for the transfer of such undertaking to the said Local Board, on such terms and conditions as may be provided for or prescribed by the Order, and to confer upon the undertakers and the said Local Board all necessary powers in that behalf, and to authorize the said Local Board to apply their funds, revenues, and rates to such purposes, and to sanction and confirm any such agreement as aforesaid.

11. To vary or extinguish all existing rights and privileges which would or might in any way prevent or interfere with any of the objects of the Provisional Order, and to confer other rights and privileges.

12. And notice is hereby also given, that on or before the 30th day of November instant, plans and sections of the proposed works and a copy of this notice, as published in the *London Gazette*, will be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Suffolk, at his office at Ipswich in