

completion and opening for traffic of the street or road (Work No. 2) above described, to discontinue the use of the said footbridge for which the said street or road is to be substituted, and to take down the said footbridge and dispose of the materials thereof.

11. To authorise the Corporation to purchase, and the Great Grimsby Waterworks Company, Limited, (incorporated under the Companies Act, 1862, and hereinafter referred to as "the Company,") to sell to the Corporation, the Waterworks undertaking authorised by the Great Grimsby Waterworks Act, 1863, and all lands, works, easements, real and personal property, powers, rights, and privileges of the Company, for such price or consideration and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon between the Corporation and the Company, and to sanction and confirm any contract or agreement made or which may be made between the Corporation and the Company for such purchase, and to constitute the purchased premises and any extensions thereof made or to be made under the powers of the Waterworks Clauses Act, 1847, the water undertaking of the Corporation.

12. To provide, in the event of such purchase being effected, for the discharge of the debts and liabilities; the payment of compensation to the officers and servants, the distribution of the assets, and the winding up and dissolution of the Company, and to empower the Corporation and the Company to enter into and carry into effect all such contracts and agreements, and to confer on them respectively all such powers as may be necessary or expedient for or in relation to the matters aforesaid, and to confirm or alter any such contracts and agreements as may already have been or may hereafter be made between the Corporation and the Company, with reference thereto.

13. To authorise the Corporation, on the completion of such purchase as aforesaid, to carry on the undertaking of the Company, or any part thereof, and to maintain, improve, alter, and enlarge the existing waterworks, and to have all usual and necessary powers for breaking up streets, roads, highways, bridges, and places, for laying, maintaining, repairing and renewing mains, pipes, and other works, and for the purchase, sale, letting, hiring, or otherwise dealing in meters, fittings, and other apparatus, articles and things used in the sale, supply, and consumption of water, and to have and exercise all or any of the powers, rights, authorities, and privileges of the Company in as full and ample a manner in all respects as the Company could or might lawfully have exercised the same respectively, and also such further and other powers, rights, authorities, and privileges with respect to the several matters aforesaid as may be necessary, proper, or convenient, or as may be provided for in the Bill; and to authorise the Corporation to retain and hold, or to sell, demise, or otherwise dispose of any property and rights, acquired under the powers of the Bill, which may not be required or which it may not be desired to retain for the purposes of their Water Undertaking.

14. To enable the Corporation, on and after the acquisition by them of the said waterworks undertaking, to make, levy, demand, and recover rates, rents, charges and remunerations, differential or otherwise, for or in relation to the supply of water meters, fittings and apparatus, and to confer, vary and extinguish exemptions from the payment of such rates, rents, charges and remunerations.

15. To authorise the Corporation, if so agreed

upon between them and the Company, to create and grant rent charges or annuities or other annual sums, in payment or part payment for the purchase of the waterworks undertaking herein before referred to.

16. To confer upon the Corporation all needful powers for regulating and defining their water supply and the mode thereof, and for preventing frauds on and abuses of their supply, and for preventing the water delivered or supplied by the Corporation from being fouled, misused, or wasted, and for preventing any interference with their water or their works.

17. The Bill will repeal, alter, and amend, so far as may be necessary, the provisions of the said Great Grimsby Waterworks Act, 1863, and any other Act directly or indirectly affecting the Company or the Corporation.

18. To empower the Corporation to advance money to the Great Grimsby School Board, and to the Guardians of the Poor of the Grimsby Union for the purpose of paying off existing mortgages and other liabilities, and for the purpose of such advance to raise money by the creation and issue of corporation stock, and to empower the said School Board and the said Guardians to accept such advances, and to provide for the discharge of the loans, and for the mortgage of all or any part of the school property and revenue of the said Board and the poor rate of the said Grimsby Union respectively to the Corporation, as security for such advances and interest thereon.

19. To alter and enlarge the present borrowing powers of the Corporation, and to enable them, for all or any of the purposes of the Bill, to apply their corporate funds, rates, and revenues, for the time being, and any moneys which they are already authorised to borrow, or over which they have control, and to borrow and re-borrow further moneys by mortgage, debentures, debenture stock, Corporation stock, or annuities, and to charge the moneys borrowed or to be borrowed by the Corporation, or owing by them, upon all or any one or more of the following securities, (that is to say):—The Borough Fund, Borough Rate, General District Rate, and the lands, tenements, hereditaments, undertakings, and property, including the water undertaking when acquired by the Corporation, and the market and fair tolls and charges, and the other rates, rents, tolls, and revenues of the Corporation, whether as a Municipal Corporation or as a Sanitary Authority, or in any other capacity, and to alter the present mode of charging moneys borrowed, and the provisions now in force as to the Sinking Funds, to be set apart for paying off moneys now owing or to be borrowed by the Corporation and by the said Boards and Sanitary Authorities, and to consolidate all or any of the before-mentioned moneys, and otherwise to provide for the repayment of moneys borrowed.

20. To make further and better provision with regard to the creation, issue, and transfer of Corporation stock; the closing of the transfer books, unclaimed dividends, forgery, registration of stock and other securities held by friendly and other societies; redemption and extinction of stock, the keeping of registers and appointment of Registrar, certificates of stock, transmission on death or marriage, payment of dividends, joint holders, sale of land free from claims of stock-holders, coupons, premiums, and sinking fund, issue of annuity certificates, conversion of stock and purchase of stock for extinction.

21. To authorise the Corporation notwithstanding the provisions contained in the Trust