

by compulsion or agreement, or to take on, lease, and hold any lands, houses, or buildings, in the parishes, townships, and county aforesaid, and to create and acquire by compulsion or agreement, permanent easements or way-leaves in, under, over, or connected with any lands, houses, or buildings in the parishes, townships, and county aforesaid, and to empower the Corporation to hold and appropriate to all or any of the purposes of the intended Act any lands for the time being vested in them.

To empower the Corporation to divert, collect, impound, take, use, and appropriate for the purposes of the intended Act, or other the purposes of their Water Undertaking, all such streams, springs, and waters, as can or may be intercepted or taken by the intended works, or as may be found on, in, or under any of the lands for the time being belonging to, or which may be acquired by the Corporation, or over or in respect of which they have or may acquire easements, and especially the Scout Moor Brook and Dearden Brook, and all tributaries and streams flowing into that brook above a certain point in the said brook, distant $4\frac{1}{2}$ chains, or thereabouts, measured in a straight line in a north-easterly direction from the centre of the aforesaid Dearden Clough Bridge all of which streams and waters now flow either directly or indirectly into the river Irwell, the river Mersey, the Manchester Ship Canal, the Manchester Bolton and Bury Canal Reservoir, the Manchester Bolton and Bury Canal, Fletcher's Canal, Butchersfield Canal, the Woolston Canal, and the Runcorn and Latchford Canal, or some of them.

To empower the Corporation to purchase and take by compulsion or agreement for the purposes of protecting from pollution, contamination, fouling or discoloration, the waters which they are to be empowered to take, and for other the purposes of their Undertaking, all or some of the lands, houses, and buildings within such of the drainage areas of the Scout Moor Brook and Dearden Brook and its tributaries, the waters of which said brook and its tributaries are intended to be impounded by the waterworks and Undertaking of the Corporation, all which lands, houses, and buildings so proposed to be taken are situate in the aforesaid townships or parishes of Ramsbottom and Walmersley-cum-Shuttleworth.

Upon the lands so proposed to be taken, as last aforesaid, to empower the Corporation to lay down sewers, drains, water-courses, and other works necessary and proper for preventing the waters which are intended to be taken by the Corporation from being polluted, fouled, contaminated, or discoloured, and otherwise for the protection of the waters and the waterworks of the Corporation. To make provision for the protection of the waters which the Corporation shall be authorised to take, and for preventing such waters from being polluted, contaminated, discoloured, diverted, or taken, and to empower or require the Corporation to grant leases of any lands so acquired by them in the said drainage area, such leases to contain proper provisions for guarding against the pollution of water and nuisances. To constitute the lands and powers proposed to be authorised and conferred by the intended Act part of the Water Undertaking of the Corporation.

To empower the Corporation to purchase by agreement, and to hold for the purposes of their Undertaking, lands, not exceeding 25 acres in extent, other than the lands required by them, as aforesaid, for the purposes of the intended Undertaking, and for the protection from pollution of the gathering grounds and the waters taken and impounded therefrom.

To make provision with reference to the quantity or amount of compensation (in water or otherwise) to be given by the Corporation in respect of the proposed taking, impounding, or diverting of water, and with reference to the time and manner of the delivery of any compensation water.

To make such provision as may have been, or may be agreed upon, or as may be thought proper by Parliament, or be prescribed or authorised by the Bill for the protection and benefit of the landowners, mine and mineral owners, owners of mills and other works, and other bodies and persons whose property, rights, and interests will or may be affected by the intended works, and of their property, rights, and interests, and to authorise, confirm, or give effect to any agreements or arrangements which may be entered into between the Corporation and any such land, mine, mill, or other owners, bodies, or persons, or some, or any of them.

To authorise the Corporation to discharge water from any of the intended works into any rivers, streams, or water-courses on the line thereof, or near thereto, or with which such works may be made to communicate.

To authorise the Corporation within the parishes, townships, and county aforesaid, and within the district of the Corporation, for the supply of water, and for the purposes of the intended Act, to lay down, construct, and maintain, and from time to time to inspect, alter, and renew mains, pipes, culverts, and other water-works in, through, along, under, across, and over public highways, streets (whether dedicated to the public use or not), roads, rivers, streams, canals, paths, railways, and tramways, and to break up, cross, alter, divert, stop up (either temporarily or permanently), and interfere with any roads, streets, highways, footways, bridges, canals, towing paths, railways, tramways, sewers, drains, rivers, streams, brooks, water-courses, culverts, pipes, and telegraph posts, wires, and other electrical apparatus, or other works within the parishes, townships, and county aforesaid, and to appropriate the soil and surface of any highways, roads, or footpaths diverted, stopped up, or disused.

To discontinue as public highways, and to vest in the Corporation the site and soil of the portions of all public roads and footpaths shown upon the said plans as intended to be diverted or stopped up under the powers of the intended Act, and to extinguish all rights of way, and other rights, in or over any lands which shall be taken under the powers of the Bill; and in the case of public roads and footpaths to provide for the maintenance and repair of the new or substituted portions of roads and footpaths by, and at the expense of, the road authorities or other persons respectively who are, for the time being, legally liable for the repair and maintenance of the respective portions of roads and footpaths so diverted, or otherwise, as may be prescribed by the intended Act.

To authorise the Corporation to hold any lands which they may acquire under the authority of the intended Act free from the provisions of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act 1845, with respect to superfluous lands, and to sell, lease, and dispose of any lands acquired by them, and to empower the Corporation to acquire, by compulsion or agreement, any mines or minerals under any lands proposed to be taken, notwithstanding the provisions of the Waterworks Clauses Act 1847 with respect to mines.

To confer upon the Corporation the powers of the Public Health Acts in regard to the construction of waterworks both within and without