

2. The price paid for the transfer of the Order by the Corporation to the Company is £200.

3. The powers, duties, or liabilities of the Undertakers to be excepted or modified, and the terms of the transfer are as follows:—

(a.) Certain clauses of the Order not to apply to the Company, viz.:—

Section 7 as to purchase and use of lands.

Section 28 as to remuneration of electric inspectors.

Section 52 as to the application of revenue.

Section 53 as to the application of capital moneys.

Section 54 so far as relates to the authentication of any notice, order, or document by the Council.

Section 68, incorporating section 265 of the Public Health Act, 1875.

(b.) Annual accounts before publication are to be audited by such person as the Board of Trade may appoint.

(c.) If after expiration of seven years from date of transfer Council make representation to Board of Trade that prices or methods of charge ought to be altered Board may make order varying prices or methods of charge.

(d.) Where Council are givers of notice under section 12 of Order they may require Company to give security for repayment of expenses incurred by them in complying with the requisition or to deposit with Council £150 as security to Council for repayment of expenditure incurred by them in complying with the requisition.

(e.) Company may acquire for purposes of Undertaking such lands as they think necessary.

(f.) The Company shall commence the works necessary for installing the electric light throughout the Council's district within twelve months of the approval of deed of transfer by Board of Trade, and works shall be proceeded with continuously and with all possible despatch.

(g.) Where execution of works will involve breaking up of street or bridge Company shall serve notice on Council describing proposed works and Council may require amendments reasonably necessary.

(h.) Company shall not place any street boxes above ground except with consent of Council in addition to other consent required by Order.

(i.) Council may prescribe hours during which Company may have access to street boxes.

(j.) Requisition requiring Company to lay down distributing mains throughout any street in which Council have control of public lamps may be made by Council, but such requisition shall not be binding upon Company unless Council give written undertaking to take for three years a supply of energy for lighting the public lamps in such street.

(k.) Company upon receiving notice from Council requiring them to supply energy to any public lamps within 75 yards from any distributing mains of Company shall give supply to such lamps in such quantities as Council may require.

(l.) Prices to be charged by Company for energy supplied to public lamps, and prices charged to ordinary consumers shall be settled by agreement between Council and Company, or in case of difference by arbitration.

(m.) Company shall supply the Council with

copy map of area of supply as provided in section 51 of Order.

(n.) Copy of all regulations made by Board of Trade under Order or Electric Lighting Acts affecting the Undertaking shall, on being printed, be served on Council.

(o.) The Company is not to place any electric line above ground, except as provided in section 6 of the Order, without the consent of the Council, in addition to that of the Board of Trade.

(p.) The Company is not to consent to, or concur in, the revocation of the Order under section 57 of the Order without the approval in writing of the Council.

(q.) The Company, without the approval in writing of the Board of Trade and the consent of the Council, is not to transfer the Undertaking.

(r.) In case the Company, in the opinion of an arbitrator appointed by the Board of Trade, makes default in the performance of its obligations, the Company may be required to sell the Undertaking to the Council on such terms as the arbitrator may determine.

(s.) Company shall not be prevented from borrowing money on security of mortgages of Undertaking and approval of Board of Trade shall not be necessary for validity of such mortgages.

4. A copy of the draft deed is deposited for public inspection at the office of the undersigned Clerk to the Council at the Union Offices, Wordsley, Stourbridge, during one month from the date hereof, and printed copies will be supplied by the undersigned Clerk to every person demanding the same on payment of six pence for each copy.

By order.

GEO. F. JAMES, Clerk to the Kingswinford Rural District Council, the Union Offices, Wordsley, Stourbridge.

27th September, 1899.

The Locomotives Act, 1898.

Administrative County of Norfolk.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Norfolk County Council have made the following Bye-laws, and that the said County Council intend to apply to the Local Government Board for confirmation of the same, viz.:—

Bye-laws made by the County Council of Norfolk with respect to Locomotives in the Administrative County of Norfolk for prohibiting or restricting the use of Locomotives on any specified highway in the County on account of the highway being crowded or unfitted for locomotive traffic, or of the inconvenience caused to inhabitants, or of any other reasonable cause; and for regulating the use of locomotives and of waggons drawn by locomotives on any highway; and for prohibiting or restricting the use of a locomotive on any specified bridge in the county, if the Council are satisfied that such bridge is unsuited for locomotive traffic, or that such use would be attended with damage to the bridge or danger to the public.

1. Throughout these Bye-laws the expression "the Council" means the County Council of Norfolk.

2. These Bye-laws shall extend and apply to all parts of the Administrative County of Norfolk, except the borough of King's Lynn, which is a borough containing, according to the census of 1881, a population of ten thousand or upwards.

3. A person in charge of a locomotive shall