

of reference respectively as relates to the parishes in the City of London and the Precinct of Bridewell, together with a copy of this Notice, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited with the town clerk of that city at his office at the Guildhall in the city of London, and that on or before the same day a copy of so much of the said plans, sections and book of reference respectively as relates to the city of Westminster, together with a copy of this Notice, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection with the town clerk of that city at his office at the town hall, Charing Cross-road, and that on or before the same day a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and book of reference respectively as relates to each metropolitan borough in the county of London, in or through which the said railways and works or any part thereof are, or is intended to be made or in which any lands to be taken or acquired compulsorily under the powers of the intended Act are situate, together with a copy of this Notice, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection as follows, that is to say:—As regards the metropolitan borough of Kensington, with the town clerk thereof at his office at the town hall, High-street, Kensington; as regards the metropolitan borough of Fulham, with the town clerk thereof at his office at the town hall, Walham-green; and as regards the metropolitan borough of Hammersmith with the town clerk thereof at his office at the town hall, Broadway, Hammersmith.

20. And notice is hereby further given that on or before the 20th day of December, 1902, printed copies of the intended Act will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1902.

ASHURST, MORRIS, CRISP and Co.,  
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In Parliament.—Session 1903.

**PELICAN LIFE INSURANCE AND BRITISH  
EMPIRE MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE  
COMPANIES.**

(Combination of Interests; Transfer of Undertaking, etc., of British Empire Mutual Life Assurance Company to Pelican Life Insurance Company and Change of Name of that Company; Substitution of Memorandum and Articles for existing Laws, etc.; Extension of Objects; Provisions as to Funds of both Companies; Dissolution of Company transferred; Amendment and Repeal of Acts, etc., etc.)

**N**OTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the Session of 1903 by, or on behalf of, the Pelican Life Insurance Company (hereinafter called "the Pelican Company") and the British Empire Mutual Life Assurance Company (hereinafter called "the British Empire Company"), for leave to bring in a Bill for the following, or some of the following, amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To effect a combination of the interests of the Pelican and the British Empire Companies (hereinafter called "the two Companies"), and to provide for the continuance of their businesses by the Pelican Company under the name of the Pelican and British Empire Life Office, or such other name as the Bill may prescribe, and to change the name of the Pelican Company to the Pelican and British Empire Life Office or such other name as aforesaid (which Company under

its new name is hereinafter referred to as "the Combined Office"), and to substitute for the existing laws and regulations of the Pelican Company, a Memorandum and Articles of Association, amongst other things, defining and extending the objects, powers, rights, duties and obligations of the Combined Office and of its directors, officers, members, policy holders and annuitants, and otherwise, and defining its capital, and providing for the continuance of its business, and to make provision as to the operation of such Memorandum and Articles of Association under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and otherwise.

2. To provide for the transfer to the Combined Office of the Undertaking, business, property, funds, assets, rights, powers, and privileges, debts, and liabilities of the British Empire Company, and for the dissolution of that Company, and for the delivery over of its books, papers, and documents, to the Combined Office.

3. To provide for the establishment and maintenance in the hands of the Combined Office of a trust fund, to be called the "British Empire Fund," comprising the whole of the stocks, funds, shares, investments, moneys, and securities, and other assets of the British Empire Company, and for the application thereof for the benefit of the policy holders and annuitants of the British Empire Company, and for the payment of the debts and liabilities of that Company, and for the payment of other outgoings, allowances, pensions, expenses, and otherwise.

4. To define, declare, and regulate the liability of the Combined Office for, and in relation to, the debts, contracts, engagements, and liabilities of the British Empire Company.

5. To provide for the continuance by the Combined Office of the proprietor's funds, established pursuant to the Pelican Life Insurance Company's Act, 1891, or of some other fund or funds in lieu thereof.

6. To empower the two Companies to enter into and carry into effect contracts, agreements, or arrangements for or in respect of all or any of the above matters, and to confirm any such contracts, agreements, or arrangements which may have been or may be entered into, and to make the same binding on the shareholders, policy holders, annuitants, and creditors of the two Companies, and all other persons interested.

7. To annul, repeal, alter, or amend the provisions of the Pelican Life Insurance Company's Act, 1891, and any other Act or Acts relating to the Pelican Company and the British Empire Mutual Life Assurance Act, 1852, and any other Act or Acts relating to the British Empire Company.

8. To provide for the payment of the costs, charges, and expenses of applying for, obtaining, and passing the Bill and other matters in connection with the Bill, or any agreement entered into thereunder, and any Acts, matters, or things to be done in pursuance thereof, or for giving effect thereto.

9. To vary and extinguish all rights and privileges inconsistent with or which would interfere with the objects of the Bill, and to confer other rights and privileges.

10. Printed copies of the proposed Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons on or before the 20th day of December next.

Dated the 20th day of November, 1902.

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morton-street, E.C.;

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