

by the Act of 1910, to subscribe to the capital of the Company or the District Company, and to guarantee or pay interest on or make up deficiencies on dividends or interest on such Company's capital, and to enable any such owner, body company or person to grant and such Company to accept mortgages or other security for the payment of any moneys so guaranteed, and to authorize the Company or the District Company to enter into agreements with any such owner, body, company or person for all or any of such purposes, and to confirm any agreements that have been or may be made with reference thereto.

To make provision with respect to the entry upon, survey and valuation at any time of lands and buildings to be purchased or used under the powers of the intended Act or under the Act of 1910, and as to the payment of costs in certain cases of disputed compensation by persons claiming compensation in respect of lands and buildings, and as to determining the purchase money and compensation payable in respect of lands and property required for the purposes of the said Acts, and to provide for limiting the amount thereof, and claims in respect thereof in cases of recent buildings and alterations and recently created interests therein.

To transfer to and vest in the District Company the undertaking of the Company, or to provide for such transfer and vesting by amalgamation or otherwise upon such terms and conditions as have been or may be agreed upon, or as may be provided or prescribed by the intended Act, and to dissolve or provide for the dissolution of the Company, and to provide for the exercise and fulfilment by the District Company of all the rights, powers, privileges, liabilities and obligations of the Company, whether with reference to the acquisition of lands, the construction and maintenance of works, the raising of capital, the fixing, demanding, and recovering of rates, tolls and charges or otherwise.

To empower the District Company, for all or any of the purposes of the intended Act and the general purposes of their undertaking, to apply any capital or funds now belonging to them or which they are authorized to raise, and to raise further capital by the creation and issue of new shares or stock with or without either guaranteed or preferential dividend or other rights or privileges attached thereto, and to issue stock at a discount or price below the nominal amount thereof, and to apply the provisions of the Metropolitan District Railway Act, 1908, relating to bearer warrants and certificates.

To incorporate with the intended Act all or some of the provisions of the Lands Clauses Acts; the Railways Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845; the Railways Clauses Act, 1863; or any Act amending any such Acts, and, if deemed expedient to alter, amend or repeal so far as may be necessary for the purposes of the intended Act, the Act of 1910, and 27 and 28 Vict., cap. 322, and any other Act relating to the Company and the District Company and their undertakings.

To vary and extinguish any rights and privileges which would interfere with the objects of the intended Act, and to confer other rights and privileges.

Printed copies of the Bill for the intended Act will be deposited in the Private Bill Office

of the House of Commons on or before the 17th day of December next.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1912.

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### WESTGATE AND BIRCHINGTON GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

(Change of Name of Company; Extension of Limits of Supply of Gas to include Parish of St. Nicholas-at-Wade and Portions of Parishes of Wood (otherwise Acol) and Westgate-on-Sea not within Existing Limits; Alteration of Act of 1881 with respect to Testing of Gas; Further Provisions and Regulations in regard to the Supply of Gas; Supply of Gas in Bulk; Power to the Company to Produce, Store and Supply Electricity throughout the Parishes of Westgate-on-Sea, Birchington, Wood (otherwise Acol) and St. Nicholas-at-Wade, all in the Rural District of the Isle of Thanet, in the County of Kent; Construction of Generating Station and Works for Supply of Electricity; Breaking-up of and Interference with Streets and Roads, Railways and Tramways, and Laying Down and Erection of Electric Lines, Wires, Posts and Apparatus; Appropriation of Existing Lands of Company; Taking and Recovering of Rates and Charges; Supply of Energy in Bulk outside Area of Supply; Additional Capital and Borrowing Powers in respect of Gas and Electricity Undertakings; Financial Provisions; Agreements with Local Authorities; Purchase, Lease and Sale of Lands; Appointment of Officers; Superannuation Allowances; Profit Sharing; Incorporation, Repeal and Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the ensuing Session by the Westgate and Birchington Gas Company (hereinafter called "the Company") for leave to bring in a Bill for the following or some of the following purposes (that is to say):—

1. To change the name of the Company to that of "The Westgate and Birchington Gas and Electricity Company, or such other name as may be defined in the Bill, and to incorporate with the intended Act Part IV (Change of Name) of the Companies Clauses Act, 1863.

2. To extend the Company's limits for the supply of gas as defined by section 4 of the Westgate and Birchington Gas Act, 1881, so as to include the parish of St. Nicholas-at-Wade, so much of the parish of Wood (otherwise Acol) as is not included within the existing limits of supply of the Company, and so much of the parish of Westgate-on-Sea not included within the existing limits of supply of the Company as lies to the south of an imaginary line, commencing at the point at which the most northerly boundary of the said parish of Wood (otherwise Acol) meets the eastern boundary of the parish of Westgate-on-Sea (such point being 766 yards or thereabouts in a north-north-westerly direction from the northern point of the buildings at Woodchurch Farm), and proceeding due west to the western boundary of the said parish of Westgate-on-Sea, all in the rural district of the