without modifications all or some of the provisions of the Pontypool Gas and Water Acts and Orders 1873 to 1936, the Blaenavon Gas and Water Order 1872, the Blaenavon Gas (Charges) Order 1923 and any other Order or any Act relating to the Blaenavon Company.

Any local or other public authority company or person desiring to bring before the Board of Trade any objection to the draft Order may do so by registered letter addressed to the Director of Gas Administration, Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W.I, and despatched on or before the 12th day of June 1937. Any such objection must state (a) the specific grounds of objection and (b) the omissions additions or modifications asked for, and a copy thereof must at the same time be forwarded to the under-mentioned Solicitors or Parliamentary Agents.

A copy of the draft Order and an Ordnance Map showing the situation of the existing gas works of the Company, of the Blaenavon Company and of the Usk Company and the boundaries of the Company's existing limits for the supply of gas and of the added limits have been deposited for public inspection at the office of the Company at the aforesaid address and at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Monmouth at the County Hall, Newport, Mon.

Printed copies of the draft Order may be obtained at the price of one shilling per copy at the offices of the under-mentioned Solicitors and Parliamentary Agents.

Dated this 7th day of May 1937.

BYTHWAY AND SON, Pontypool, Mon., Solicitors.

REES AND FRERES, 7, Victoria Street, London, S.W.I, Parliamentary Agents.

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## Board of Trade.—1937.

## EAST RETFORD GAS.

(Application for a Special Order under the Gas Undertakings Acts 1920 to 1934.)

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to the Board of Trade by the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of East Retford (hereinafter referred to as "the Corporation") whose address is the Municipal Buildings, The Square, Retford, for a Special Order (hereinafter referred to as "the Order") under and in pursuance of the Gas Undertakings Acts 1920 to 1934, for all or some of the following, amongst other, purposes (that is to say):—

r. To empower the Corporation for the purposes of their gas undertaking to purchase take and hold further lands by agreement, and to make further provision with respect to the retention and disposal of lands acquired by the Corporation for any of the purposes of their gas undertaking, and with respect to the proceeds of the sale of any lands or other property of the Corporation under the powers proposed to be enacted by the Order. 2. To authorise the Corporation to hold, purchase or take on lease houses, cottages and other buildings for persons employed by them in connection with their gas undertaking and to erect, fit up, maintain and let any such buildings.

3. To extend the existing limits for the supply of gas by the Corporation by the addition thereto of the parishes or townships of Askham, Babworth, Barnby Moor, Beckingham, Bole, Cottam, East Drayton, Eaton, Elkesley, Gamston, Grove, Hayton, Headon, Laneham, Lound, North Leverton with Habblesthorpe, North Wheatley, Rampton, Saundby, South Leverton, South Wheatley, Stokeham, Sturtonle-Steeple, Sutton, Treswell and West Burton, and so much of the parish of East Markham as prior to the first day of April nineteen hundred and thirty-five formed part of the parish of Askham, all in the rural district of East Retford in the county of Nottingham (which parishes or townships and part of parish are hereinafter referred to as "the added limits ") and to authorise the Corporation to exercise within the added limits all the powers, rights, privileges and authorities for and in relation to the supply of gas which they have or may exercise from time to time within their said existing limits.

4. To confer further powers upon the Corporation in regard to their gas undertaking and, amongst other things, to empower the Corporation to lay pipes in private streets and pipes for ancillary purposes; to authorise the Corporation to break up streets outside their limits for the time being for the supply of gas but bounding those limits or streets so situated upon which the said limits abut for the purpose of supplying gas to premises abutting upon any such street and being within the said limits; to enable the Corporation to make specifications as to the construction and placing of pipes &c.; to authorise the Corporation to require the placing of meters in positions approved by them; and to make provision as to the inspection and testing of meters.

5. To empower the Corporation in connection with and for the purposes of their gas undertaking to provide, fit up and maintain showrooms and offices and exhibit specimen installations &c. and things used in connection with the manufacture and consumption of gas and resulting from the manufacture thereof and to give demonstrations of the uses to which gas can be put, and to authorise the Corporation to appoint and pay persons for the purposes aforesaid and by public advertisement or otherwise or by such other acts as they may deem expedient, to assist develop or promote the use of gas within their limits of supply.

6. To confer upon the Corporation power to purchase, sell, let for hire, fix, repair and remove engines, stoves, ranges, pipes and other gas fittings for lighting, motive, heating, ventilating, cooking or any other purposes, and to demand and take such remuneration or rents and charges and make such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon; to make provision as to the exemption of any such fittings from distress or the landlord's remedy for rent, etc., and to secure that any such fittings shall continue to be the property of the Corporation and to be removable by them although fixed to premises or to soil thereunder; to make provision as to the charges for gas supplied by