

to confer the powers and effect the objects and purposes hereinafter mentioned, or some of them. That is to say:—

To constitute and appoint the Company as the Harbour Authority for Millport in the County of Bute under the name or style of the Millport Harbour Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") or such other name or style as may be prescribed by the Order, and to confer upon the Board all or any of the following rights, powers, privileges, obligations and liabilities, and to make such other provisions as are hereinafter mentioned.

To transfer to and vest in or provide for the transferring to and vesting in the Board, in such manner as may be prescribed by the Order, the existing Harbour at Millport and the piers, quays, wharves, works and other property and conveniences connected therewith, together with all the rights, powers, privileges and authorities belonging or relating thereto, and to provide for the discharge of the debts and liabilities incurred in respect thereof or to which the same may be subject, and to enable all necessary parties to make and enter into all such deeds, conveyances or agreements as may be necessary or convenient for the objects and purposes aforesaid or any of them on such terms as may be agreed, or as may be provided in the Order, and to sanction, confirm and give effect to any agreement or arrangement made or to be made in respect thereof.

To authorise the construction and maintenance of the following works or some part or parts thereof which are or will be situate at Millport aforesaid in the parish of Cumbrae, Great Cumbrae Island, in the County of Bute and in the foreshore or bed of the sea adjacent thereto:— that is to say;—

The widening and extension of the Company's existing pier at Millport commencing at a point 30 yards or thereabouts Eastwards from the North East Corner of the Company's Offices at Millport and extending thence in an Easterly direction to and terminating at a point 68 yards or thereabouts from the point of commencement.

The dredging, deepening, and improvement of the Harbour and the entrance and approaches thereto.

To confer powers of deviation from the lines and levels shown on the plans and sections to be deposited as hereinafter mentioned.

To authorise the making, placing and maintaining of all necessary embankments, walls, piles, piers, breakwaters, groynes, wharves, railways, tramways, sidings, landing places, pier-heads, slips, stairs, roads, approaches, jetties, warehouses, buildings, sheds, cranes, buoys, lifts, staithe, mooring posts, dolphins, beacons, lights, and other works, machinery, appliances and conveniences in connection with the before mentioned works or any of them, or otherwise for the convenient use of the said pier and Harbour and Works.

To confer powers of dredging and removing any rocks, gravel, sand or other material and deepening the Harbour in the Bay at Millport and altering and improving the channels leading to the Harbour and any channels or banks near thereto and the foreshore and bed of the sea at or near the Harbour and works in order to provide and maintain suitable and convenient means of access to the Harbour and works.

To provide for the management, use, regulation and protection of the harbour, piers, breakwaters, docks, channels, works and conveniences, the regulation and control of vessels, the towage of shipping, the passage, navigation, anchorage, and lying of vessels, ships, boats and other craft at, along or near to the harbour, piers, docks, channels and works, the order and precedence of different classes of vessels passing into or out of the harbour, docks, channels and works, and the placing of buoys, lights, beacons, chains, posts and other conveniences.

To authorise and empower the Board to demand, levy, charge and recover tolls, rates, duties, tonnage and other dues and charges on or in respect of vessels resorting to the Harbour, piers and works or coming within such limits as may be defined by the Order, and on or in respect of passengers, animals, fish, goods, minerals, wares, merchandise and other articles landed, shipped, or unshipped therein or on the quays, works and conveniences belonging to or connected with the Harbour and for the use of staithe or shipping appliances, engines, waggons and carriages and for the hire or use of any pilot or tug, vessels or boats of the Board, and in respect of watching, lighting, and any services to be rendered or performed or cranes, wharves, weighing machines or other conveniences provided by the Board; to confer exemptions from and to compound for any such tolls, rates, duties, charges or other payments or to alter or vary the same or omit the levying of any of them or any part thereof and to advance and revive the same again, or to sell or lease the undertaking or some portion thereof or to lease or compound such rates, duties and charges or any of them as may appear to the Board to be for the interest of the Harbour.

To empower the Board to appoint and remove harbour masters, dock masters, pier masters, meters, weighers, constables and other officers and to define the limits within which such harbour and pier masters may exercise the powers to be conferred them.

To empower the Board to make and enforce bye-laws for the management, control and regulation of the existing and intended harbour, piers and works and with reference to passengers, animals, fish, goods, minerals, wares, merchandise and other articles, ships, vessels, boats, carts, carriages and other vehicles using or passing over or frequenting or resorting to the harbour or piers or any of the works, conveniences, or lands of the Board and with reference to the discharge and tipping of ballast and other matters.

To empower the Board to buoy, light or remove wrecks, obstructions, or floating timber and to recover the cost thereof and to prevent or regulate the deposit of refuse, spoil or rubbish on the beach or foreshore, at or on either side of the harbour within such distance or limits as may be defined by the Order.

To enable the Board to purchase or acquire by Agreement and hold lands, foreshore and other rights and easements for the purposes of the Order.

To empower the Board to purchase, lease or hire and use steam tugs for the assistance and convenience of vessels coming to the harbour and to make and recover charges for or in respect of the services rendered by such steam tugs and other vessels.

To define the limits of the Harbour of Millport and the area within which the powers to be conferred by the Order will be operative.