

conduits, cables, wires, tubes, boxes and apparatus for the purpose of the Undertaking proposed to be authorized by the Bill.

To define the purposes for which and the circumstances in which the Company may supply energy in the said area under the intended Act, and to define the terms upon which and the circumstances in which the Company may be required to afford a supply.

To empower the Company on the one hand and the Acton Urban District Council (hereinafter called the "Acton Council") on the other hand to enter into and carry into effect agreements with respect to the supply of energy by the Company to the Acton Council, and with respect to the following matters:—

The erection and provision of plant and machinery for the production of electrical energy; the laying of mains, cables and wires by the Acton Council and the Company respectively; fixing and defining the amount and character of current to be supplied by the Company to the Acton Council; the measurement of and payments to be made in respect of supply of energy by the Company to the Acton Council; the control and management of works, instruments and meters to be provided by the Company; the opening of streets, roads and footpaths for the purpose of laying mains and wires; any subjects and matters incidental to the supply of energy to the Acton Council; or the Bill may confirm any agreement made or to be made between the Acton Council and the Company touching the matters aforesaid.

To authorize the Company on the one hand and any Company authorized by Provisional Order or Act of Parliament to supply electrical energy and any Local Authority on the other hand, to enter into and carry into effect agreements with respect to the supply of energy by or to the Company to or by any such Company or Local Authority, and to enable the Company to supply energy by agreement to any railway Company, and for the purposes of working any tramways, and to any canal or dock Company, and to any Government Department or Public Authority or body, and to make provisions with respect to the utilization of such supply by the persons to whom the same is given.

To extend to the metropolitan borough of Paddington as constituted under or in pursuance of the London Government Act, 1899, or any part thereof the powers of the Company under the Metropolitan Electric Supply Company (Paddington) Lighting Order, 1890 (confirmed by the Electric Lighting Orders Confirmation (No. 12) Act) with respect to the supply of energy, the breaking up of streets and the laying of mains and otherwise (so far as applicable) and to include within the Company's authorized area of supply the areas added to the borough of Paddington under or in pursuance of the said Act.

To authorize and provide for the distribution by the Company of any moneys received by them by way of purchase money or otherwise in connection with the sale of their Marylebone Undertaking to the Council of the metropolitan borough of St. Marylebone, and to empower the directors, either to return the said money or any part thereof to the shareholders of the Company or to provide for the employment and use thereof or any part thereof as capital for any of the purposes of the Company, and to make any consequential alterations or re-arrangement of the capital, and to alter the nominal amount of the shares in the Company

and to provide for the calling in and cancellation of the existing shares and share certificates of the Company, and to enable the Company to create new shares instead thereof of such nominal amount as may be defined in the Bill, and to issue new certificates and to define the rights of the new shares in respect of voting.

The Bill may provide that the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, shall not apply to any Undertaking or works to be authorized by the intended Act except as may be expressly stated in the Bill and the Bill may incorporate and make applicable to and for the purposes of the intended Act such of the provisions of the said Acts as may be thought applicable or expedient.

The Bill may incorporate the Electric Lighting Clauses Act, 1899, with exceptions and modifications and particularly may provide for the exception of the following sections and provisions:—

(1) Section 13 of the Electric Lighting Act, 1882 as amended by the Electric Lighting (Clauses) Act, 1899, with respect to the breaking up of railways or tramways or roads over bridges and the provisions of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882, and 1888, as to purchase of the Undertaking;

(2) The provisions of the Schedule to the said Act of 1899 with respect to the following matters (that is to say):—The Undertakers, the area of supply, security and accounts, compulsory works, supply, price, electric inspectors, testing and inspection, revocation of powers and nuisance.

To alter and amend so far as may be necessary for the purpose of the intended Act, the Metropolitan Electric Lighting Act, 1889; the Metropolitan Electric Supply Company, (Mid London) Lighting Order, 1889, and the Metropolitan Electric Supply Company (West London) Lighting Order, 1889 (confirmed by the Electric Lighting Orders Confirmation (No. 5) Act, 1889); the Metropolitan Electric Supply Company (Paddington) Lighting Order, 1890 (confirmed by the Electric Lighting Orders Confirmation (No. 12) Act, 1890); the Metropolitan Electric Supply Company Act, 1898; the Metropolitan Electric Supply Company Act, 1901; and any other Act or Acts, Provisional Order or Orders relating directly or indirectly to the Company or their Undertaking.

And notice is hereby given, that on or before the 17th day of December next printed copies of the proposed Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

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