

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS,
1907 AND 1919.

Restoration of lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given that an Order was made on the 4th day of November, 1927, restoring Letters Patent No. 177,095 (14390 of 1921), bearing date the 24th day of May, 1921, and granted to Elliott Lomax Lord and Annie Beatrice Lord for an invention entitled "A new or improved device for use in connection with the flues of kitchen ranges, bath boilers and the like."

W. S. JARRATT,
Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.

URBAN DISTRICT OF HENDON.

BY an Order dated the 26th day of October, 1927, made under Section 77 of the Public Health Act, 1925, the Minister of Health has prescribed the rate of interest, on expenses in respect of private street works incurred by the Urban District Council of Hendon under Section 150 of the Public Health Act, 1875, which are recoverable by the Council, at $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum instead of 5 per cent. per annum. The Order is applicable to expenses incurred by the Council after the 7th day of September, 1925, and in respect of which a demand for payment shall have been served on or after the 31st day of October, 1927. The Order will cease to have effect, subject as therein mentioned, on the 31st day of October, 1929.

A copy of the Order may be inspected at the Town Hall, Hendon, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. (Saturdays 10 a.m. to 12 noon).

Dated this 1st day of November, 1927.

LEONARD WORDEN,

Clerk and Solicitor to the Urban
District Council of Hendon.

Town Hall,
(067) Hendon, N.W. 4.

Board of Trade.—November 1927.

LITTLEHAMPTON GAS.

(Application for Special Order under Section 10 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920.)

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to the Board of Trade forthwith by the Littlehampton Gas Company (hereinafter called "the Company") whose address is Gloucester Road, Littlehampton for a Special Order under Section 10 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, for all or some of the following purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorise the Company to acquire by agreement additional land for the purposes of their undertaking, and to sell or lease any lands vested in or acquired by them and not for the time being required for the said purposes.

2. To enable the Company to purchase and take on lease houses cottages and other buildings for employees and offices showrooms and other buildings and to erect fit up maintain and let any such buildings upon any lands of the Company.

3. To authorise the Company to raise additional money for the purposes of their undertaking by the creation and issue of new "B" ordinary shares and of new preference shares or stock, and by borrowing on mortgage and by the creation and issue of debenture stock, or by any one or more of such means, and to make provisions as to the rights privileges and liabilities of the holders of shares or stock in the new capital and of mortgages and debenture stock of the Company.

4. To enable the Company to raise by the creation and issue of new preference shares or stock any moneys which they are authorised by the Littlehampton Gas Act 1909 to raise by the creation and issue of "C" ordinary shares.

5. To increase or to confirm the increase of the amount of moneys which the Company may borrow on mortgage of their undertaking or raise by the creation and issue of debenture stock in respect of their existing capital and to remove any existing or to prescribe a new limit of interest on preference shares or stock which may hereafter be created by the Company.

6. To make new provisions as to the sale of ordinary shares and preference shares or stock by auction or tender.

7. To define and continue the standard rates of dividend on the existing ordinary capital of the Company, and to prescribe the standard rates of dividend on ordinary capital hereafter issued by the Company and to continue the sliding scale for determining the authorised rates of dividend from time to time on the ordinary capital of the Company but on the basis of the price charged by the Company for gas supplied by them in the several quarters of the year or half year.

8. To make provisions with reference to the dividends on different classes of ordinary shares of the Company.

9. To empower the directors of the Company to form a Renewal Fund and to make new provisions as to the application of the excess of profits over the authorised rates of dividend.

10. To empower the directors of the Company to issue so as to be redeemable preference shares or stock and debenture stock, to make provision with respect to the redemption of such shares or stocks either by a payment in cash or by the issue of other shares or stock (redeemable or otherwise) and to authorise the creation and issue of new shares or stock for any such purpose and the reissue of any redeemable preference shares or stock or debenture stock after redemption.

11. To make further provision with reference to the Company's affairs, including provisions as to the holding of annual meetings, the notices of meetings, the preparation of the Company's accounts, the appointment of proxies, voting rights (including voting by joint holders), the election, disqualification and powers of the directors, the appointment of managing directors and auditors, the remuneration of the Secretary, and the closing