

## WATH-UPON-DEARNE.

Whereas the Urban District Council of Wath-upon-Dearne (hereinafter called the Council) have made application to the Minister of Health for the issue of a Provisional Order under Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, partially to repeal, alter or amend the Wath-upon-Dearne Urban District Council (Water) Act, 1898, and the Wath-upon-Dearne Order, 1904, so as:—

(1) To increase the maximum rate for the supply of water for domestic purposes to twenty per centum per annum on the rateable value of the premises supplied, subject to a minimum charge of twelve shillings and six pence per annum in respect of any premises.

(2) To provide that the price to be charged for a supply of water by meter shall not exceed two shillings per thousand gallons, subject to a minimum charge of twenty shillings in any half-year for water supplied by meter.

(3) To confer further powers on the Council in regard to their water undertaking and in particular:—

(i) To provide that the Council shall not be bound to supply with water otherwise than by measure

(a) premises partly used for business trade or manufacturing purposes,

(b) certain other buildings institutions and premises.

(ii) To make special provision with regard to supplies of water—

(a) for refrigerating apparatus, apparatus requiring continuously running water and apparatus used for softening water;

(b) for stables garages or other premises where horses carriages or motor cars are kept; and

(c) for farming purposes.

(iii) To make provision with respect to the payment of water rates and charges half-yearly.

(iv) To empower the Council to supply water in bulk to other Local Authorities.

(v) To make provision with regard to separate pipes for each house supplied and for the recovery of the costs where pipes are provided by the Council.

(vi) To make provision with respect to the laying down, connection and repair of communication pipes and the maintenance of common pipes and as to the breaking up of streets by persons liable for the maintenance of any pipe or apparatus or by the Council on their behalf.

(vii) To extend the powers of the Council in regard to the inspection of premises for the purposes of ascertaining whether there is any waste or misuse of water

(4) To enable the Council to purchase or take on lease or to erect dwelling-houses for persons employed by them for the purposes of the water undertaking.

(5) To make further provision in regard to the finances of the water undertaking including:—

(i) provision that the revenues of the said undertaking shall be paid into and the expenses out of the general rate fund,

(ii) provision for the keeping of separate accounts, and

(iii) provision as to the application of revenue and maintenance of a reserve fund.

(6) For the several purposes of the Application or for purposes connected with, incidental to, or consequent on those purposes to make any such alteration or amendment of the said Local Act, or of any other Local Act or of any Act confirming a Provisional Order made in pursuance of any of the Sanitary Acts or of the Public Health Act, 1875, and in force in the said District as may be necessary or desirable:

And whereas it is proposed that a Provisional Order should be issued in compliance with the said Application.

Notice is hereby given that A. Norman Gardiner, Esq., M.Inst.C.E., one of the Inspectors of the Ministry of Health, will attend at the Town Hall, Wath-upon-Dearne, on Wednesday the twenty-sixth day of January, 1938, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon, to hold a Local Inquiry into the subject-matter of the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

And notice is hereby further given that any person interested may attend at such Inquiry and be heard with reference to the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

H. W. S. Francis,

Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health,  
Whitehall, S.W.1.  
11th January, 1938.

## HORSFORTH.

Whereas the Urban District Council of Horsforth (hereinafter called the Council) have made application to the Minister of Health for the issue of a Provisional Order under Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, partially to repeal alter or amend the Horsforth Urban District Council Waterworks Act, 1899, as amended by the Horsforth Order, 1905, so as:—

(1) To make further provision in regard to the Council's water undertaking and in particular:—

(i) to empower the Council to require the payment of water rates by the owners instead of by the occupiers of small houses;

(ii) to provide that the Council shall not be required to supply with water otherwise than by measure

(a) premises partly used for trade or manufacturing purposes,

(b) certain other buildings, institutions and premises;

(iii) to enable the Council to require, where a supply of water to a farmhouse is used for farming purposes, that such supply shall be taken by measure;

(iv) to make special provision with regard to supplies of water

(a) for refrigerating apparatus or any apparatus requiring continuously running water,

(b) for stables, garages or other premises where horses, carriages or motor-cars are kept, and

(c) to caravans, shacks, huts, tents or other like structures;