Definition of "Local Authority."

8. The following Persons and Bodies of Persons shall be deemed to be Local Authorities capable of granting Occasional Licences for the Purposes of this Act; that is to say,

(1.) In the Metropolitan Police District, the Commissioner of Police for the Metropolis, subject to the Approbation of One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State:

(2.) In the City of *London* and the Liberties thereof, the Commissioner of City Police, subject to the Approbation of the Lord Mayor of the said City:

(3.) In any Borough in which this Act may be in force, the Superintendent or other Chief Officer of Police in the said Borough, subject to the Approbation of the Mayor:

(4.) In any District of Improvement Commissioners in which this Act may be in force, the Superintendent or other Chief Officer of Police in the said District, subject to the Approbation of the Chairman of the Commissioners.

As to Adoption of Act by Corporate Borough.

9. A Corporate Borough or Board of Improvement Commissioners may adopt this Act by a Resolution of the Council or Board assembled at a Meeting held for the Purpose, of which such Notice has been given and which is required to be summoned on such Requisition of the Ratepayers as is required in the Case of the Adoption of the said Local Government Act, 1858, by a Corporate Borough, or in a District of Improvement Commissioners, to which the Local Government Act has not been applied, in pursuance of Sections Twelve and Thirteen of the said Local Government Act, and Notice of the Adoption of this Act shall be given to the Secretary of State as in the Case of the Adoption of the said Local Government Act.

This Act shall come into operation in a Corporate Borough or District of Improvement Commissioners in which a Resolution adopting the same has been passed at the Expiration of One Month from the Date of the passing of the Resolution; and no Objection whatever to the Legality of the Adoption of this Act by any Corporate Borough or Board of Improvement Commissioners shall be made at any Trial or in any legal Proceeding after the Expiration of Three Months from the Date of the passing of the Resolution adopting the same.

Not to apply to Sales at Railway Stations between One and Four in the Morning.

10. Nothing herein contained shall apply to the Sale at a Railway Station between the Hours of One and Four o'Clock in the Morning of Exciseable Liquors or Refreshments to Persons arriving at or departing from such Station by Railroad.

CAP. LXV.

An Act for amending the Law relating to the Removal of Clerks of the Peace. [25th *July* 1864.]

'WHEREAS by the Sixth Section of the Act of the First Year of King *William* and Queen *Mary*, Chapter Twenty-one, it was enacted, that if in any County, Riding, Division, or Place any Clerk of the Peace already nominated or thereafter to be nominated should misdemean himself in the Execution of his Office, and thereupon Complaint in Writing of the said Misdemeanor should be exhibited against him to the Justices of the Peace in their General Quarter Sessions, it should be lawful for the said Justices or the major Part of them, from Time to Time, upon Examination, and due Proof thereof, openly in their said General Quarter Sessions, to suspend or discharge him from the said Office; and in such Case the Custos Rotulorum or other Person to whom the Right of Nomination belonged should appoint another sufficient Person to be a Clerk of the Peace, as in the said Act mentioned: And whereas Cases have occurred in which Clerks of the Peace have been guilty of such Misconduct as to render them unfit to hold their Offices, but the Justices have been unable to remove them by reason that such Misconduct did not occur in the Execution of their Office: And whereas it is expedient to provide for such

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'Cases as lastly herein-before mentioned:' Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, as follows:

Short Title.

1. This Act may be cited for all Purposes as "The Clerks of the Peace Removal Act, 1864."

As to Removal of a Clerk of the Peace when guilty of Misconduct otherwise than in Execution of his Office.

2. If it appear to any Two Justices of the Peace of a County that the Clerk of the Peace of that County has, after the passing of this Act, been guilty of such Misconduct, otherwise than in the Execution of his Office, as in the Opinion of the said Justices to render him an unfit or improper Person to hold the Office of Clerk of the Peace, the said Justices may exhibit against him to the Court of General or Quarter Sessions of the County a Complaint in Writing, stating the Misconduct of which the Clerk has been guilty, a Copy of which shall be at the same Time sent to the Custos Rotulorum, and it shall be lawful for the said Court, if satisfied, upon due Examination in open Court, that the Clerk complained of has been guilty of the Misconduct imputed to him, and that the same is such as to render him an unfit or improper Person to hold his Office, to suspend or remove him from his Office, and a new Clerk of the Peace shall be appointed in manner provided by the said Act in Cases where a Clerk of the Peace has misdemeaned himself in the Execution of his Office.

Power to appeal to the Lord Chancellor.

3. If the Clerk of the Peace complained of feels aggrieved by the Decision of any Court of General or Quarter Sessions under this Act, he may, within Three Months after the Delivery of such Decision, appeal to the Lord Chancellor by Motion in a summary Manner, and it shall be lawful for the Lord Chancellor to reverse, confirm, or modify the Decision of the said Court of General or Quarter Sessions, or to remit the Case with such Directions as the Lord Chancellor may think just.

Definition of "County" and "Clerk of the Peace."

4. The Word "County" in this Act shall include any Riding, Division, or Liberty of a County, or any City, Borough, or other Place having a separate Court of Quarter Sessions. The Expression "Clerk of the Peace" shall include any Officer performing the Duties of a Clerk of the Peace.

CAP. LXVI.

An Act to authorize the Inclosure of certain Lands in pursuance of a Special Report of the Inclosure Commissioners. [25th *July* 1864.]

'WHEREAS the Inclosure Commissioners for *England* and *Wales* have, in pursuance of "The Acts for the Inclosure, Exchange, and Improvement of Land," issued their Provisional Orders for and concerning the proposed Inclosures mentioned in the Schedule to this Act, and the requisite Consents thereto have been given since the Date of their Nineteenth Annual General Report: And whereas the said Commissioners have by a Special Report certified their Opinion that such proposed Inclosures would be expedient; but the same cannot be proceeded with without the previous Authority of Parliament:' Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, as follows:

Inclosures in Schedule may be proceeded with.

1. That the said several proposed Inclosures mentioned in the Schedule to this Act be proceeded with.

Short Title.

2. In citing this Act in other Acts of Parliament and in legal Instruments it shall be sufficient to use either the Expression "The Second Annual Inclosure Act, 1864," or "The Acts for the Inclosure, Exchange, and Improvement of Land."

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