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pressly varied, altered, or repealed,) shall be as good, valid, and effectual for carrying this Act into execution as if the same had been repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this present Act.

Application of Tolls and Duties.

II. And be it enacted, That the Monies arising from the Toll Duties or Pontages authorized to be levied by the said recited Act and this Act shall be applied and expended in the Manner pointed out therein, as well as in defraying the whole Expences in managing and conducting the Affairs of the Trust thereby created, including Salaries to Officers, Surveyors, and others, and in upholding in proper Repair the old *Cramond* Bridge and Toll House connected therewith, should the said Trustees consider it necessary that the same should be upheld; and also in paying the Sum of One thousand Pounds to the Trustees of the *Cramond* District of Roads in the County of *Edinburgh*, and to the Trustees of the High Roads in the County of *Linlithgow*, in the following Proportions; *videlicet*, Two Thirds thereof to the said Trustees of the *Cramond* District of Roads, and the remaining Third to the Trustees of the High Roads in the County of *Linlithgow*, to be applied, with the annual Interest or Produce which may accrue thereon, towards keeping the said Bridges in repair as aforesaid, after the said Pontage shall cease to be levied, and making, forming, and metalling the Road of Communication after mentioned, and purchasing Ground for the same, the above being the Proportions which by the before-recited Act the said respective Trustees of the *Cramond* District of Roads, and of the High Roads in the County of *Linlithgow*, are bound to expend, in keeping the said Bridges in repair, after the said Tolls, Rates, or Pontages shall cease to be levied and exacted, and which said Sum, with the Annual Interest or Produce which may arise thereon, shall be applied by the Trustees to whom the same is to be paid as aforesaid towards upholding and keeping in repair the said Bridges, and making, forming, and metalling the said Road of Communication, and purchasing Ground for the same, and for no other Purpose whatever.

Termination of Trust.

III. And be it enacted, That so soon as the whole of the Debts contracted, and Sums ordered to be paid under the Authority of the said recited Act and this Act, shall be paid off, and the whole other Purposes of the said Acts accomplished, the same shall be certified by a Quorum of the said Trustees, acting under the said recited Act and this Act, at a Meeting to be specially called for that Purpose, and the said Tolls and Pontages shall cease and determine, and be no longer leviable, and the Trust created by the said recited Act and continued by this Act shall be at an end from and after the Twenty-fifth Day of *May* which shall occur first after the Date of the said Certificate, and the future Management and upholding of the said Bridge and Roads of Access thereto shall from thenceforth devolve upon the Trustees of the *Cramond* District of Roads in the County of *Edinburgh*, and the Trustees of the High Roads in the County of *Linlithgow* aforesaid, in the Manner specified in the said recited Act; who shall jointly have it in their Power, at any Time they shall think fit, to discontinue the repairing the said old Bridge, and to shut up or remove the same, after having made a sufficient Road of Communication from the public Road on the South of the

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new Bridge to the Road leading to *Cramond* Village from the said old Bridge.

Quorum of Trustees.

IV. And be it enacted, That at all the Meetings of Trustees under the said recited Act and this Act Three shall form a Quorum, and shall have full Power and Authority to carry into execution all the Powers and Provisions of the said recited Act and this Act, any thing in the said recited Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

Meetings of Trustees.

V. And be it enacted, That instead of Two General Meetings in the Year, as appointed by the said recited Act, the said Trustees shall only hold One stated Annual General Meeting, which shall be held at *Edinburgh* on the last *Monday* of *November* in each Year; and the said Trustees shall have Power to adjourn the same from Time to Time as they may think proper, with Power to any General Meeting to alter the Place and Day of Meeting in the Manner prescribed by the said recited Act, and which adjourned Meetings shall be called by Letters sent through the Post, or delivered personally to the said Trustees, at least Three Days before the Day of Meeting, and not by Notice or Advertisement inserted in the Newspapers, as required by the said recited Act.

Continuance of Acts.

VI. And be it enacted, That the said recited Act and this Act shall continue to be in force from and after the passing of this Act for the Space of Twenty-three Years, and from thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament.

Annual Accounts to be transmitted to Sheriff Clerk.

VII. And be it enacted, That on or before the First Day of *January* in each and every Year the Trustees under the said recited Act and this Act shall and they are hereby required to prepare or cause to be prepared an Account in Abstract, showing, under distinct and separate Heads, the total Receipts and Expenditure of all Funds levied under this Act and the said recited Act during the Year ending on the Eleventh Day of *November* immediately preceding such First Day of *January*, with a Statement of the Balance of the same, duly audited and certified by not less than Three of the said Trustees; and on or before the said First Day of *January* the said Trustees shall transmit or cause to be transmitted, free of Charge, a Copy of the said Account to the Sheriff Clerk of the County of *Edinburgh*, which shall be open at all seasonable Hours to the Inspection of the Public, on Payment by each Person to the said Sheriff Clerk of a Fee of One Shilling for each such Person for every Inspection, and the further Sum of One Shilling for every Hour during which such Inspection shall continue after the first Hour; and if the Trustees under this Act and the said recited Act shall fail to prepare or send in the said Account in manner herein-before provided, such Trustees shall forfeit a Sum not exceeding Forty Shillings for each Day after the said First Day of *January* during which they shall so fail, to be recovered by and paid to any Person who shall sue for the same, and to be levied by summary Process.

VIII. And

Expences of Act.

VIII. And be it enacted, That all Costs and Charges attending the applying for and obtaining of this Act shall be paid and discharged by the said Trustees out of the first Money raised or to be raised for the Purposes of this Act and the said recited Act, in preference to all other Payments whatsoever.

Public Act.

IX. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a Public Act, and shall be judicially taken notice of as such by all Judges, Justices, and others.

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