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Cap. lv.

An Act for granting further Powers to a Company called "The Imperial Continental Gas Association." [7th *June* 1836.]

WHERAS an Act was passed in the Third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King *William* the Fourth, intituled *An Act for granting certain Powers to a Company called "The Imperial Continental Gas Association:"* (3 W. 4. c. 63.) And whereas since the passing of the said Act the said Company have contracted to light and are in treaty for lighting with Gas several additional Cities and Towns upon the Continent, and considerable Additions have become necessary to their Works already established, and the same will tend to the Increase of the Manufactures and Commerce of this Country, and of the Public Revenue, but the same cannot be carried into effect without a considerable additional Capital; and it is expedient that for the Purposes aforesaid the said Company should be empowered to raise a further Capital: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it enacted by the King'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, That all and every the Powers, Authorities, Provisions, Regulations, Privileges, Restrictions, Matters, and Things whatsoever in the said recited Act contained, so far as the same are not hereby altered or varied, shall and may be put in execution as well for the Purposes of this Act as of the said recited Act, as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if the same and every Part thereof were repeated and re-enacted in this Act, and were made Part thereof.

Powers of former Act extended to this Act.

Power to raise additional Sum.

II. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Company to raise and contribute amongst themselves, or by the Admission of new Subscribers, in addition to the Sums of Money which they have already subscribed for and borrowed under and by virtue of the said recited Act, any further Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Three hundred and fifty thousand Pounds, in such Proportions and at such Time or Times as they shall think fit; and such further Sum or Sums shall be divided into Shares of Fifty Pounds each, or of any greater or less Amount, as the said Company or the Directors thereof shall think fit; and that all such new Shares shall be deemed and be transmissible as Personal Estate; and every Person, Body Politic or Corporate or Collegiate, subscribing towards raising such further Sum or Sums of Money, shall be a Proprietor of the said Company.

Appointing Presidents of the Company.

III. And be it further enacted, That *Matthias Wolverley Attwood* and *Isaac Lyon Goldsmid* Esquires shall be Presidents of the Company, in addition to *Matthias Attwood* and *Moses Montefiore* Esquires, the Presidents named and appointed in and by the said recited Act; and that they shall respectively hold and enjoy the Office of President upon the same Terms and Conditions and in the same Manner in all respects as in the said recited Act expressed and declared with regard to the said *Matthias Attwood* and *Moses Montefiore*.

Appointing Directors of the Company.

IV. And be it further enacted, That from and after the passing of this Act there shall at all Times be Thirteen Directors of the said Company, who shall be elected in the same Manner, and shall retire at the same respective Times, and shall hold and enjoy the Office of Director upon the same Terms and Conditions, as are in the said Act expressed and contained, save and except so far as relates to such of the Directors as are also Presidents of the said Company; and that the said *Matthias Attwood*, *Moses Montefiore*, *Matthias Wolverley Attwood*, and *Isaac Lyon Goldsmid*, and *John Horseley Palmer*, *Moses Mocatta*, *Horatio Joseph Montefiore*, *Charles Perkins*, *William Haseldine Pepys*, *Thomas Meux*, *Thomas Joplin*, *Benjamin Cohen*, and *John Wilkin*, shall be the present Directors of the said Company, of whom the said *Matthias Attwood*, *Moses Montefiore*, *Matthias Wolverley Attwood*, and *Isaac Lyon Goldsmid*, so long as they shall respectively hold the requisite Qualification, and unless removed as in the said recited Act mentioned, shall be perpetual Directors; and *Charles Thomas Pearce*, *Edward Stewart*, and *Frederick Pattison*, Esquires, shall be the present Auditors and Examinants of Accounts of the said Company.

Public Act.

V. And be it further 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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