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BILLE LEICTREACHAIS (SOLATHAR) (LEASU), 1940. ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1940.

*Mar do ritheadh ag dhá Thigh an Oireachtais.
As passed by both Houses of the Oireachtas.*

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AN ACT TO AMEND AND EXTEND THE ELECTRICITY
(SUPPLY) ACTS, 1927 TO 1935.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE OIREACHTAS AS FOLLOWS:—

Definitions.

1.—In this Act—

the expression “ the Principal Act ” means the Electricity (Supply) 10
Act, 1927 (No. 27 of 1927);

the expression “ the Board ” means the Electricity Supply Board.

Advances under
the Electricity
(Supply) (Amend-
ment) Act, 1931.

2.—(1) Sub-section (1) of section 5 of the Liffey Reservoir Act,
1936 (No. 54 of 1936), is hereby repealed and in lieu thereof it is
hereby enacted that the total amount of the sums advanced to the 15
Board under section 3 of the Electricity (Supply) (Amendment)
Act, 1931 (No. 32 of 1931), shall not exceed the sum of ten million,
two hundred and fifty nine thousand pounds.

(2) Sub-section (2) of section 5 of the Liffey Reservoir Act, 1936
(No. 54 of 1936), is hereby repealed and in lieu thereof it is hereby 20
enacted that the reference in sub-section (2) of section 13 of the
Shannon Fisheries Act, 1935 (No. 4 of 1935), to section 1 of the
Electricity (Supply) (Amendment) Act, 1934 (No. 6 of 1934), shall
be construed as a reference to the foregoing sub-section of this
section, and the said sub-section (2) of the said section 13 shall have 25
effect accordingly.

Electric generat-
ing stations using
peat

3.—(1) For the purpose of removing doubts it is hereby declared
that the powers and functions given to the Board by sub-section
(3) of section 20 of the Principal Act include the construction,
maintenance, and operation of electric generating stations designed 30
for using peat as fuel either alone or together with other kinds of
fuel and every reference to the powers and functions of the Board
contained in the Electricity (Supply) Acts, 1927 to 1935, shall be
construed and have effect accordingly.

(2) The Board may, for the purposes of the operation of any 35
generating station such as is mentioned in the immediately pre-
ceding sub-section of this section, take and use a supply of water
from any river, but all water so taken and used, save so much
thereof as may be consumed by evaporation or otherwise in the
course of such taking and use, shall be returned by the Board to 40
such river.

(3) The Board shall pay compensation to every person who suffers
loss through the taking and use by the Board under this section
of any supply of water and every application for such compensa-
tion shall, in default of agreement, be determined by arbitration 45

under the Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Act, 1919, as amended by the Acquisition of Land (Reference Committee) Act, 1925 (No. 22 of 1925), in like manner as an application for compensation in respect of the compulsory purchase of land.

5 (4) Sections 69 to 74 and 76 to 80 of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845, shall apply to any compensation payable by the Board under this section, and for the purposes of such application the Board shall be deemed to be the promoters of the undertaking.

10 (5) No action shall lie at law or in equity against the Board or any contractor, or any officer or servant of the Board or of any contractor, for or on account of any act, matter, or thing occasioning a loss in respect of which compensation is payable under this section.

15 4.—The Board may invest any sum set aside under sub-section (2) of section 21 of the Principal Act or accumulated by the Board as a reserve for any purpose in such securities authorised by law for the investment of trust funds as the Board, after consultation with the Minister for Finance, may think proper or in such other
20 securities as may from time to time be approved in that behalf by the Minister for Finance.

Investment of certain sums.

5.—Sub-section (1) of section 98 of the Principal Act is hereby amended by the addition at the end of the said sub-section of the words “ or with the erection or laying of any such electric wires or
25 with the survey of the proposed routes of any transmission or distribution lines of the Board or of such authorised undertakers ”, and the said sub-section and sub-sections (2) and (3) of the said section 98 shall be construed and have effect accordingly.

Amendment of Section 98 of the Principal Act.

6.—(1) This Act may be cited as the Electricity (Supply)
30 (Amendment) Act, 1940. 1941.

Short title and collective citation.

(2) The Electricity (Supply) Acts, 1927 to 1935, and this Act may be cited together as the Electricity (Supply) Acts, 1927 to
1940. 1941.

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(Supply) Acts, 1927 to 1935.

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