

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

No. 27.—1912.

6th May.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Belmont Improvement Rate Ordinance, 1907, (20-1907).

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GEORGE R. LE HUNTE,

GOVERNOR.

26th June, 1912.

STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATE
 TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

BE it enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Belmont Improvement Rate (Amendment) Ordinance, 1912, and shall be read as one with the Belmont Improvement Rate Ordinance 1907, which is hereinafter referred to as the principal Ordinance. Short Title.

2. The preamble to the principal Ordinance shall be read and construed as if reference had therein been made to the Public Works Loan Ordinance, 1912 and not to the Public Works Loan Ordinance 1907, and as if the sum appropriated to the Belmont Improvement Works and the amount to be repaid to the Government had been £30,300 and £7,575 respectively, and not £29,000 and £7,250 as in the said preamble set forth. Construction of preamble of principal Ordinance.

3. Sub-section (a) of Section 8 of the principal Ordinance is amended by adding at the end thereof the words "or any Ordinance amending or repealing the same." Amendment of Section 8 of principal Ordinance.

Repeal of Section 17 of principal Ordinance.

4. Section 17 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed.

Application of rates from 1907 to commencement of this Ordinance.

5.—(1.) The application by the Board from the commencement of the principal Ordinance up to the commencement of this Ordinance of the rates levied and collected under the principal Ordinance in payment to the Receiver-General of interest on the sums from time to time advanced and expended by the Government with the concurrence of the Board, in and for the purpose of the execution of the Belmont Improvement Works is hereby confirmed, and a similar application of such rates may be made for the like purposes and in the same manner as hereinbefore provided until the amount authorized by the Public Works Loan Ordinance 1912, for the purposes of the Belmont Improvement Works has in fact been raised.

(2.) Subject to the provisions of the preceding subsection, the rates collected or to be collected under the provisions of the principal Ordinance shall be carried by the Board to a separate account to be entitled "The Belmont Improvement Rate Account," and from the amounts to the credit of such account there shall be paid annually to the Receiver-General such sums as may be fixed by the Governor under Section 8 of the Public Works Loan Ordinance, 1912, in respect of interest and sinking fund on account of the sum of £7,575 payable by the ratepayers in Belmont under the last mentioned Ordinance and under the principal Ordinance.

(3.) The surplus, if any, after allowing for payment of interest as mentioned in Sub-section (1) hereof or of the annual instalment of interest and sinking fund as mentioned in Sub-section (2) hereof, may be expended from time to time by the Board in such further improvement work in the improvement area as the Board may think proper.

(4.) Any expenditure incidental to the carrying out of the provisions of the principal Ordinance and this Ordinance may be paid for from such surplus as in the preceding sub-section mentioned.

6. Schedule 1 of the principal Ordinance is amended by striking out the Northern boundary therein defined and substituting in lieu thereof the following:—

Amendment
Schedule 1 of
principal
Ordinance.

“N. A line drawn in a Westerly direction from a point 100 yards due North of the intersection of the Belmont Valley Road and the Eastern boundary line of the town and parallel to the Belmont Valley Road and Belmont Circular Road to a point on the St. Ann's or Dry River 100 yards North of the centre of the concrete bridge.”

Passed in Council this Sixth day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

HARRY L. KNAGGS,
Clerk of the Council.
