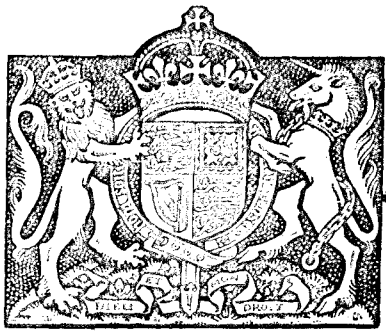


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CHAPTER xiii

An Act to confirm a scheme for amending a scheme under the Metropolitan Commons Acts 1866 to 1898 with respect to Ham Common in the county of Surrey.
[4th June 1954.]

WHEREAS the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has in pursuance of the Metropolitan Commons Acts 1866 to 1898 duly certified a scheme (which is set forth in the schedule hereto and is hereinafter referred to as "the amending scheme") for correcting an error in the plan referred to in a scheme for the establishment of local management with respect to Ham Common in the county of Surrey (which last-mentioned scheme was duly confirmed by the Metropolitan Commons (Ham) Supplemental Act 1901):

1 Edw. 7.
c. xxxiii.

And whereas a copy of the plan annexed to the amending scheme has been deposited at the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries:

And whereas by virtue of sections twenty-two and twenty-seven of the Metropolitan Commons Act 1866 the amending scheme does not of itself have any operation but has full operation when and as confirmed by Act of Parliament with such modifications if any as to Parliament seem fit:

And whereas it is expedient that the amending scheme should be confirmed:

Be it therefore 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:—

1. The amending scheme which is set out in the schedule hereto is hereby confirmed and shall have full validity and force.
2. This Act may be cited as the Metropolitan Common Scheme (Ham) Amending Scheme Confirmation Act 1954.

Scheme in
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confirmed.
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SCHEDULE

SCHEME FOR AMENDING THE SCHEME WITH RESPECT TO HAM COMMON

Whereas the scheme for the management of Ham Common was confirmed by the Metropolitan Commons (Ham) Supplemental Act 1901 and such scheme provided for the common to be regulated and managed by a body of conservators to be styled "the Ham Common Conservators":

And whereas by section 8 of the Richmond Petersham and Ham Open Spaces Act 1902 the said scheme was amended and it was enacted that the Conservators should cease to exist and all their powers were transferred to the Ham Urban District Council in which council Ham Common was to vest absolutely:

And whereas by the Surrey (Riverside Areas) Order 1933 the powers conferred and the obligations imposed on the Ham Urban District Council by the scheme printed as the schedule to the said Metropolitan Commons (Ham) Supplemental Act 1901 and the said Richmond Petersham and Ham Open Spaces Act 1902 were transferred to the council of the borough of Richmond (Surrey):

And whereas Ham Common was delineated and coloured green on the plan deposited with the Board of Agriculture and referred to in the said scheme for the management of Ham Common (hereinafter referred to as "the deposited plan"):

And whereas the land delineated and coloured pink on the plan annexed hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said plan") and having an area of approximately three roods and being part of O.S. parcel No. 152 on the ordnance survey map (1933 edition) forms part of the land coloured green on the deposited plan:

And whereas the said land coloured pink on the said plan formed part of the garden of Wilmer House for a considerable period before 1901 and has continued to form part of such garden up to the present time and has been divided from Ham Common by a wall which was in position long before 1901 and was erroneously shown on the deposited plan as forming part of Ham Common:

And whereas to correct the error in the deposited plan it is expedient that the said scheme should be amended:

Now therefore the said scheme is hereby amended in the manner following:—

The plan to the scheme for the management of Ham Common confirmed by the Metropolitan Commons (Ham) Supplemental Act 1901 and deposited with the Board of Agriculture as in the scheme mentioned shall henceforth be read and construed as if all reference thereon to an area of land containing three roods forming part of Wilmer House Gardens and being part of ordnance survey Number 152 and more particularly delineated and coloured pink on a plan deposited with the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries had been omitted and deleted therefrom and the same land shall cease to form part of Ham Common.