



CHAPTER 101.

1908, c. 38; 1913, c. 52,
1939, c. 42; 1953, c. 52.

An Act to amend the "New Westminster
Parks Act, 1908."

[Assented to 15th March, 1955.]

Preamble

WHEREAS it is deemed necessary and expedient to alter and extend that portion of the public highway which approaches the north end of the Pattullo Bridge across the Fraser River:

And whereas a portion of the lands required for such alteration and extension lies within the lands granted to the Corporation of the City of New Westminster for park and other purposes by the "New Westminster Parks Act, 1908":

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, enacts as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "New Westminster Parks Act, 1908, Amendment Act, 1955."

Enacts s. 6.

2. The "New Westminster Parks Act, 1908," being chapter 38 of the Statutes of 1908, is amended by adding the following as section 6:—

"6. (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of this or any other Act, the Minister of Highways may take such portion of the lands referred to in the Schedule as he in his absolute discretion considers necessary to make, vary, or alter public highways for the purposes set out in the preamble hereto, including additional land beyond the width of the highway which he considers necessary for the purposes of the Department of Highways, and, for such purposes, by himself, his agents and workmen, without notice to any person and without the consent of any person, may enter, remain upon, take possession of, and use any of the lands referred to in the Schedule.

"(2) Compensation shall be paid in respect of lands entered upon and taken possession of under this section, and for the purposes of this section the provisions of the 'Highways Act' with respect to the acquisition and taking possession of lands for public works shall apply *mutatis mutandis*."

VICTORIA, B.C.

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