



CHAPTER 61.

An Act to incorporate the North Vancouver Electric
Company, Limited.

[23rd April, 1892.]

WHEREAS Sidney Z. Mitchell, of the City of Portland, in the State of Oregon, one of the United States of America, and Harry Abbott and John Matthew Lefevre, both of the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, have, by their petition, applied to be incorporated as a Joint Stock Company, for the purpose of constructing, operating and maintaining electrical works and establishing an electrical supply system in the vicinity of Burrard Inlet (hereinafter referred to as "the said area"), and of having conferred on them power to take and divert water from some convenient point or points on Seymour Creek or on the Capilano River, or at some convenient points on both Seymour Creek and Capilano River, and also power to use so much of the waters of the said Seymour Creek and Capilano River as may from time to time be necessary for the purpose of generating electricity to be used or supplied as a motive power for the operation of motors, machinery, or electric lighting, or other works of the said Company, or to be supplied by the said Company to consumers for heating, or as a motive power for propelling tramways, or for driving, hauling, lifting, pumping, lighting, crushing, smelting, drilling, and milling, or for any other purposes for which electricity may be applied or required, with power also to the Company to construct and maintain buildings, erections, weirs, dams, raceways, flumes, or other works in connection with such water power, with the right to improve and increase the same, and with power also to enter upon and expropriate as well any lands that may be overflowed by reason of the erection of dams and weirs as any lands that may be required by the Company for sites for power-houses, weirs, dams, raceways, flumes and subways, or for carrying the electric current underground or overhead, and with

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power also to the Company to erect, lay, construct and maintain all necessary works, buildings, subways, posts, pipes, wires, cables, appliances, or conveniences, necessary or proper for the generating or transmitting of electricity, and for all such other powers as may be necessary to fully and completely carry on and operate such works aforesaid :

And whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of such petition :

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

Incorporation.

1. Sidney Z. Mitchell, Harry Abbott, and John Matthew Lefevre, and such other persons as may become shareholders in the corporation to be by this Act created, shall be and they are hereby created, constituted and declared to be a corporation, body corporate and politic, by the name of "North Vancouver Electric Company, Limited," and the head office of the said Company shall be at the City of Vancouver, or at such other place in the Province of British Columbia as may be hereafter determined upon by the directors of the Company.

Capital stock.

2. The capital stock of the said Company shall be three hundred thousand dollars, and shall be divided into three thousand shares of one hundred dollars each, and the said capital stock may, after the whole thereof has been subscribed, and at least fifty per cent. thereon paid up, be increased from time to time by resolution of the Board of Directors, by and with the consent of a majority in value of the shareholders, present in person or represented by proxy at any annual general meeting, or at any special general meeting of shareholders called for that purpose, to such an extent as the said shareholders may deem needful to carry on the Company's undertaking.

Directors.

Provisional Directors.

3. The persons named in the first section of this Act shall be the Provisional Directors of the Company, and shall have power and authority to open stock books and to procure subscriptions for shares in the capital stock of the Company, to make calls upon the subscribers, and to cause surveys and estimates to be made.

First general meeting.

4. The Provisional Directors shall hold office until the first general meeting of the shareholders of the Company after the passing of this Act, which said first general meeting shall be held as soon as possible after fifty thousand dollars at least of the capital stock shall have been subscribed for and ten per cent. thereon shall have been paid in. Notice of such first general meeting shall be given to each shareholder by mail at least ten days before such meeting, and by insertion in one or more newspapers published in the City of Vancouver for ten days next before such meeting.

5. The business of the said Company shall be managed by a board Directors and their qualification.
of not less than three, nor more than five, directors, as may from time to time be determined by the shareholders by resolution, and each director shall be the proprietor of at least ten shares in the capital stock of the Company, and the said board of directors shall be elected and hold office as hereinafter provided.

Calls.

6. The directors of the said Company for the time being may open, Calls.
or cause to be opened, stock-books for the subscription of parties desiring to become shareholders in the capital stock of the Company, in such places as they shall think fit, and all parties so subscribing shall pay ten per cent. on allotment: and the directors may, from time to time, make calls on such shares payable at such times, in such amounts, at such places, and in such manner as they shall from time to time determine; but no call shall exceed ten per cent., and an interval of at least thirty days shall intervene between the time fixed for the payment of any one call and that fixed for the payment of the succeeding call.

7. A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the Payment of calls.
resolution of the directors authorizing such call was passed, and if a shareholder fails to pay any call due from him before or on the day appointed for the payment thereof, he shall be liable to pay interest for the same, at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, from the day appointed for payment to the time of actual payment thereof.

8. All notices of calls upon the shareholders shall be given by Notices of calls.
advertisement, at least once a week, for three successive weeks, in some newspaper published in the City of Vancouver, and by mailing a notice of such call, postpaid, addressed to each shareholder liable to pay the same, at his post office address, as recorded in the books of the Company, at least two weeks before the time appointed for payment thereof.

9. If after such demand or notice as hereinbefore provided, any call Forfeiture of shares for non-payment of calls, and liability of holder.
made upon any share or shares be not paid within such time as may be limited in that behalf, the directors in their discretion, by vote to that effect duly recorded in the minutes, may summarily declare forfeited any shares whereon such payment is not made, and the same shall thereupon become the property of the Company, and may be disposed of as the by-laws of the Company shall ordain; but notwithstanding such forfeiture the holder of such shares at the time of such forfeiture shall continue liable to the then creditors of the Company for the full amount unpaid on such shares at the time of forfeiture, less any sum which may have been subsequently realized by the Company in respect thereof.

Actions for calls.

10. The Company may, if they see fit, instead of declaring forfeited any share or shares, enforce payment of all calls and interest thereon, by action in any Court of competent jurisdiction; and a certificate under their seal, and purporting to be signed by any officer of the Company, to the effect that defendant is a shareholder, that such call or calls has or have been made, and that so much is due by him and unpaid thereon, shall be received against the defendant in all Courts as *prima facie* evidence to that effect.

Calls may be deducted from dividends.

11. The directors may deduct from the dividends payable to any shareholder all such sums of money as may be due from him to the Company on account of calls or otherwise.

Meetings.

Voting at meetings.

12. At all meetings of the shareholders each share shall entitle the holder to one vote, which may be given in person or by proxy; but no one who is not a shareholder shall act or vote as such proxy; and no shareholder shall be entitled, either in person or by proxy, to vote at any meeting upon any share or shares in respect to which any call is in arrears.

Annual general meeting.

13. The first general meeting of the Company shall be held as hereinbefore provided; and in each year thereafter, on the same day, or on such day as the Company, by any by-law, may from time to time appoint, there shall be held a general meeting for the election of directors, and for such other proceedings and business as it is competent for the shareholders to deal with and determine; and ten days' notice of every such meeting shall be given in one or more of the newspapers published in the City of Vancouver.

Failure to elect Directors.

14. If at any time an election of directors be not made, or do not take effect at the proper time, the Company shall not be held to be thereby dissolved, but such election may take place at any general meeting of the Company duly called for that purpose; and the retiring directors shall continue in office until their successors are elected.

Vacancies.

15. When a vacancy occurs by the death or resignation of a director, the vacancy shall be supplied by the remaining directors at a subsequent meeting appointing by resolution a director or directors in the place or stead of the director or directors so dying or resigning.

By-Laws.

By-laws.

16. The directors may from time to time make, alter, amend or repeal such by-laws, rules or regulations as they may deem necessary and proper for the management of the affairs of the Company generally; but every such by-law, and every repeal, amendment, or

re-enactment thereof, unless in the meantime confirmed at a general meeting of the Company, duly called for that purpose, shall only have force until the next meeting of the Company, and in default of confirmation thereat shall, at and from that time only, cease to have force: Provided, always, that only one-fourth part in value of the shareholders of the Company shall, at all times, have a right to call a special meeting thereof for the transaction of any business specified in such written requisition and notice as they may issue to that effect; and ten days' notice of every such special meeting shall be given in one or more of the newspapers published or circulating in the place where the head office of the Company is situated.

Assignment and Transfer of Shares.

17. No assignment or transfer of any shares shall be valid or effectual until such transfer be entered and registered in a book to be kept for that purpose by such officer as the directors may from time to time designate: Provided that whenever any shareholder shall transfer in manner aforesaid all his stock or shares in the said Company, such shareholder shall cease to be a member of the said corporation.

Transfers of shares to be registered.

18. The directors may decline to register any transfer of shares belonging to any shareholder who is indebted to the Company.

When Directors may decline to register.

Limited Liability.

19. The liability of the shareholders shall be limited to the amount unpaid on their shares, in accordance with and as if the Company had been incorporated under Part I. of the "Companies Act," and the Act of the Imperial Parliament passed in the 25th and 26th years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 89, intituled the "Companies Act, 1862," as herein modified; and the Company shall have all the rights and privileges conferred, and in all things not hereinbefore provided for shall conform to and be governed by the said Part I. of the "Companies Act" and the "Companies Act, 1862," save in so far as the said Part I. of the "Companies Act" and the "Companies Act, 1862," is modified or altered by this Act.

Liability of shareholders limited.

Powers of Company.

20. The said Company are hereby authorized and empowered to take and divert, at such point or points on Seymour Creek or on the Capilano River, or on both Seymour Creek and Capilano River, as they shall judge suitable and proper, and to appropriate and use for the purpose of generating electricity, so much of the waters of either or both of the said streams as to the Company may seem necessary, with power to the Company to construct and maintain all erections,

Powers of Company to appropriate streams.

weirs, wheels, dams, raceways, flumes or other works necessary for making the water power available, with the right to improve and increase the same :

Waters to be re-
turned to creek.

(a.) The Company shall not, in the exercise of the said powers, unnecessarily waste or diminish the natural flows of the said Capilano River or Seymour Creek, or either of them, and shall at all parts where the said works are erected provide all usual and proper means for returning the waters used by them to the said river or creek from which the said waters are so taken in the first instance :

Company not em-
powered to construct
railway or tramway.

(b.) Nothing in this Act shall be taken to imply the granting to this Company power to construct an electric or other railway or tramway within the radius for which this charter is granted.

Power to construct
works, etc.

21. The Company are hereby authorized and empowered to erect, construct, operate and maintain electric works, power-houses, generating plant, and such other appliances and conveniences as are necessary and proper for the generating of electricity or electric power, and for transmitting the same to any part of the said area, to be used by the Company as a motive power for the operation of motors, machinery, or electric lighting or other works of the Company, or to be supplied by the Company to consumers for heating, or as a motive power for propelling tramways, or for driving, hauling, lifting, pumping, lighting, crushing, smelting, drilling and milling, or for any other operations to which it may be adapted, or to be used or supplied for or in connection with any other purposes for which electricity or electric power may be applied or required. And for any of the above purposes the Company is hereby authorized and empowered by its servants, agents, contractors and workmen, from time to time, to make and erect such electric works, and to sink, lay, place, fit, maintain and repair such electric lines, accumulators, storage batteries, electric cables, mains, wires, pipes, switches, connections, branches, electric motors, dynamos, engines, machines, cuts, drains, water-courses, pipes, buildings, and other devices; and to erect and place any electric line, cable, main, wire, or other electric apparatus, above or below ground, along, over or across any street in the said area, and to erect poles for the purpose of placing the same in such manner as the said Company shall think fit, necessary or proper for the purpose of carrying out the operations of the said Company in respect of and incidental to the making, generating, or supplying of electricity; and also for all such purposes to open and break up the soil and pavement of the streets or bridges within the said area, and to open and break up any sewers, drains or tunnels within or under such streets and bridges, and to erect posts, poles, pillars, lamps, globes, or other apparatus in or upon the said streets and bridges, or against any wall or walls erected on

the same or adjoining thereto, and to dig and sink trenches and drains, and to lay electric lines, cables and mains, and to put electric lines, wires, switches, and connection branches from such electric lines, cables and mains in, under, across or along such streets and bridges, and, from time to time, to cut, remove, alter, repair, replace and relay such electric lines, cables, mains, wires, switches and connection branches, or other apparatus:

- (a) Provided that all such powers shall, so far as regards any lands included within the area incorporated as a municipality, be subject to such conditions as the corporation may impose: Provided, however, that in the case of a township or district municipality the Company shall have a right of appeal to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, who shall prescribe under what regulations and on what terms the Company shall be allowed to exercise the powers hereby conferred within the limits of such township or district municipality: Exercising powers in Municipalities.
- (b) And provided also, that in places other than municipalities the powers shall be subject to such conditions as the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works may impose. In other places.

22. Nothing in this Act contained shall be deemed or taken to abrogate or interfere in any way with the rights, powers, and privileges vested in, or granted or transferred to, the City of Vancouver, under the provisions of any of the enactments following, that is to say: the "Vancouver Incorporation Act, 1886," and amending Acts, the "Vancouver Water Works Act, 1886," and an Act passed in the fifty-fourth year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter 73, and intituled "An Act to amend the 'Vancouver Water Works Act, 1886.'"
Rights of City of Vancouver granted under certain Acts not to be interfered with.

23. It shall be lawful for the Company to contract with the owners or occupiers of lands required by the Company for the works in this Act authorized, for the purchase thereof, or any part thereof, or of any easement or privilege that may be required for the purposes of the said Company, and for the right to take all timber, stone, gravel, sand, and other materials from the same or adjacent lands, for the use and construction of the said works. Power to contract for purchase of lands.

24. The lands, rights, and privileges which shall be ascertained, set out, and acquired by the said Company shall, so long as the said Company use the same for the purpose of this Act, be vested in the said Company. Lands to be vested in Company.

Further Powers of the Company.

25. It shall be lawful for the said Company to contract with any person or company for supplying with electricity any such person, or any streets, ways, lanes, passages, tramways, manufactories, shops, Power to contract for supplying electricity.

warehouses, public or private houses, buildings and places, and for such purposes may from time to time lay down, carry, fit up, connect, and furnish any electric accumulator, storage battery, electric line, cable, wire, pipe, switch, connection, branch, burner, lamp, meter, or other apparatus, for or in connection with any electric line, main, lead or cable, or to lay down any new electric line, main, lead or cable, which for such purposes may be required, and to let any such apparatus for hire for such sum as may be agreed upon.

Power to enter premises to inspect wires, etc.

26. Any person appointed by the Company may at all reasonable times enter any premises to which electricity is or has been supplied by the Company, in order to inspect the electric lines, accumulators, fittings, works and apparatus for the supply or application of electricity belonging to the Company, and therein and for the purpose of ascertaining the quantity of electricity consumed or supplied, or where a supply of electricity is no longer required, or where the Company is authorized to take away or cut off the supply of electricity from any premises, for the purpose of removing any electric lines, accumulators, transformers, motors, distribution boards, meters, fittings, lamps, works or apparatus belonging to the Company.

Motors, etc., to be exempt from landlord's remedy for rent.

27. Where any electric lines, meters, accumulators, transformers, motors, generators, distribution boards, lamps, fittings, works or apparatus belonging to the Company, are placed in or upon any premises, not being in the possession of the Company, for the purpose of supplying electricity, such electric lines, meters, accumulators, transformers, motors, generators, distribution boards, lamps, fittings, works or apparatus shall not be subject to distress or the landlord's remedy for rent for the premises where the same may be, nor be taken in execution under any process of a Court of Law or Equity against the person in whose possession the same may be.

Power to cut wires if charges not paid.

28. If any company or person neglect to pay any charge for electricity, or any other sum due from them to the Company, either in respect of the supply of electricity to such company or person, or in respect of the rent reserved by the Company for the use of electric lines, meters, accumulators, transformers, motors, distribution boards, lamps, fittings, works or apparatus lent or supplied for hire to such company or persons, the Company may cut or disconnect any such electric line or other work through which the electricity may be supplied, and remove such articles and works above mentioned as were lent for hire to such company or person.

May hold and sell lands, etc.

29 The Company may purchase, acquire, or lease and hold, and may sell, dispose of, or surrender any lands, buildings, or tenements, and may purchase or lease, for any term of years, any electric light system or any tramway system established or to be established within

the said area, and may enter into working arrangements with, or may enter into a lease of, or acquire the right to work, the line or lines of any such other tramway, or use the property and plant of such electric light system; and may sell or lease to any company authorized to operate tramways within the said area, either wholly or in part, the rights hereby granted, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by the board of directors of the respective companies; Provided, however, that every such transaction shall be subject to the approval of two-thirds of the votes of the shareholders of the Company present or represented by proxy at a special general meeting called for that purpose, and after any such agreement shall be made with any other company, the Company may acquire and hold shares, bonds, or securities of such other company.

Bonds.

30. The directors of the Company may from time to time borrow, Directors may borrow money. for the purposes of the Company, such sum or sums of money as they may consider expedient, and may issue bonds or debentures of the Company, in sums of not less than one hundred dollars each, and on such terms and credit as they may think proper, and may pledge or mortgage all the property, tolls, income and uncalled capital of the Company, or any part thereof, for the repayment of the moneys so raised or borrowed, and the interest thereon: Provided, always, that before any such bonds are issued, the consent of three-fourths in value of the shareholders of the Company, present or represented by proxy, shall be first had and obtained at a special meeting to be called and held for that purpose.

Rules and Regulations.

31. The directors shall have full power to make by-laws, rules and regulations to be observed by the officers and servants of the Company, Rules, etc., for officers. and by all other persons using the tramways, rails, electric lines, electricity, electrical or other appliances, or any property of the Company.

32. Also rules and regulations for the maintenance of the Company's undertakings, and for the collection of rates for electricity supplied, Rules, etc., for maintenance of undertaking, etc. and rents for electric lines and appliances for hire, and for fixing the time or times when and the places where the same shall be payable, and in case of default of payment to enforce payment by cutting off the electricity, or by suit at law, or both; provided, always, that such by-laws are not in conflict with any of the provisions of this Act.

Amalgamation with other Companies.

33. The Company may unite, amalgamate and consolidate its stock, May amalgamate. property, business and franchises with those of any other company incorporated for all or any of the purposes which the Company is

formed to carry on, and may enter into working engagements with, or may enter into a lease of or take and hold shares in, or acquire the right to work the line of, any other company, which has been or may hereafter be empowered to construct and operate tramways, or to generate or supply electricity for any purpose within the area aforesaid, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by the board of directors of the respective companies.

Negotiable Instruments.

Promissory notes
and bills of exchange.

34. The Company may become party to promissory notes and bills of exchange, for sums of not less than one hundred dollars; and every such note or bill made, drawn, accepted or endorsed by the officer of the Company authorized by the by-laws of the Company in that behalf, and countersigned by the manager, shall be binding upon the Company; and every such promissory note or bill of exchange so made, drawn, accepted or endorsed, shall be presumed to have been made, drawn, accepted or endorsed with proper authority, until the contrary is shown; and in no case shall it be necessary to have the seal of the Company affixed to such promissory note or bill of exchange, nor shall the manager or other officer so authorized be individually responsible or liable for the same, unless such promissory note or bill of exchange has been issued without proper authority; but nothing herein shall be construed to authorize the Company to issue any note or bill payable to bearer, or intended to be circulated as money or as the bill or note of a bank, or to deal in exchange, or to issue commercial credits, or to carry on the business of discounting negotiable paper, or to loan money on warehouse receipts issued by other persons, firms, or corporations.

Provisoes.

Provisoes to which
privileges, etc., are
subject.

35. The privileges and powers by this Act granted, are subject to the following provisos:—

- (a.) The Company shall not interfere with the public right of travelling on or using such roads, streets, highways, or water-courses, and shall not do any unnecessary damage, nor in any way obstruct the entrance to any door or gateway, or free access to any building erected in the vicinity; the Company shall not affix any wire less than eighteen feet above the surface of the street or road, nor erect more than one line of poles along any road or street without the consent of the Municipal Council having jurisdiction over the roads or streets of the municipality. In any such municipality the polls shall be as nearly as possible straight and perpendicular, and shall be painted, if so required by any by-law of the Council:

- (b.) Whenever in case of fire it becomes necessary, for its extinction or the preservation of property, that the poles or wires should be cut, the cutting under such circumstances of the poles or any of the wires of the Company, under the direction of the chief engineer or other officer in charge of the fire brigade, shall not entitle the Company to demand or claim compensation for any damage thereby incurred; the Company shall be responsible for all damage which its agents, servants, or workmen cause to individuals or property in carrying out or maintaining any of its said works:
- (c.) Within the limits of any municipality, the opening up of streets for the erection of any poles, or for carrying the wires underground, shall be subject to the direction or approval of the engineer, or such other official as the Council appoints, and shall be done in such manner as the Council directs; the Council may also direct and designate the places where the poles are to be erected in such municipality:
- (d.) The surface of the street shall in all cases be restored, as far as possible, to its former condition by and at the expense of the Company:
- (e.) The Company shall not, within the municipal limits of any city, exercise the powers of expropriation, erecting electric lines or poles, or laying cables, mains, or wires, without first obtaining the approval of the Municipal Council of such city, such approval to be expressed in the form of a resolution or by-law of such city, or in an agreement in writing to be made between such city and the Company.

36. No Act of Parliament requiring the Company, in case efficient means are devised for carrying wires underground, to adopt such means, and abrogating the right given by this Act, to continue carrying their electric lines on poles, shall be deemed an infringement of the privileges granted by this Act.

Company may be required to place wires underground.

37. The Company shall, from time to time, supply electricity to any premises lying within fifty yards of any main supply wire or cable on being required by the owner or occupier of such premises: Provided, however, the Company, before supplying electricity or making such connection, or as a condition to the Company continuing to supply the same, may require any consumer to give reasonable security for the repayment to the Company the costs of making such connection, and for the payment of the proper charges for electric supply and for rent of instruments: Provided, however, that all parties supplied with electric light by the Company may be required to place and use only such lamps as may be approved of by the Company.

Electricity to be supplied to consumer giving security.

Powers and privileges subject to rights of the Crown and future legislation.

38. The powers and privileges conferred by this Act, and the provisions hereof, are hereby declared to be granted subject to the rights of the Crown, and also subject to any future legislation regarding the subject matter of this Act, or of the powers or privileges hereby conferred, which the Legislature may see fit to adopt; and this Act is passed upon the express condition that the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may from time to time impose and reserve to the Crown, in right of the Province, such rents, royalties, tolls, and charges in respect of the waters, or of the lands of the Crown (if any), rights and privileges, which shall be set out, appropriated, or enjoyed by the Company, or are conferred by this Act, as by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council shall be deemed to be just and proper, and may likewise make and pass such regulations and rules as may be deemed necessary and advisable for the collection and enforcement of such rents, royalties, tolls, and charges, or any of them, but so that no increase in the amount of any such rents, royalties, tolls, and charges, or any of them, fixed by any such Order in Council, shall be made within the space of five years from the passage of the Order in Council fixing the same.

Limitation of Actions.

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39. All actions or suits for indemnity for any damage or injury sustained by reason of the works or operations of the Company shall be commenced within six months next after the time when such supposed damage is sustained, or if there is continuance of damage, within six months next after the doing or committing of such damage ceases, and not afterwards; and that the defendant may plead the general issue, and give this Act and the special matter in evidence at any trial to be had thereupon, and may prove that the same was done in pursuance of and by authority of this Act.

Commencement and completion of works.

40. The Company shall commence their works within one year, and shall so far complete the same as to be able to supply electricity and power to other corporations, companies, and persons within three years of the passage of this Act.

All shareholders eligible to office.

41. All shareholders in the Company, whether British subjects or aliens, or resident of Canada or elsewhere, shall have equal right to hold stock in the Company, and shall be eligible to office in the Company.

Not to interfere with rights granted by 1891, c. 53.

42. This Act shall not be deemed in any way to authorize any interference with or abrogation of the powers, rights, and privileges of the Burrard Inlet Railway and Ferry Company, incorporated by 54 Vic., chap. 53; nor shall this Company have power to enter upon or expropriate any lands which are now or may within six months hereafter be bonâ fide selected by the aforesaid Company as a site for their generating works or power house.

Interpretation.

43. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires, the expression "electric line" shall mean and include, in addition to any of the electrical appliances specifically mentioned in this Act, wire or wires, cables, conductors, or other means which are now in use or hereafter may be used for the purpose of conveying, transmitting, or distributing electricity, with any casing, coating, covering, post, tube, pipe, or insulator enclosing, surrounding, or supporting the same, or any part thereof, or any apparatus connected therewith, for the purpose of conveying, transmitting, or distributing electricity, electric power, or electric current, or any apparatus for converting electrical into mechanical power, or for converting mechanical into electrical power.

44. This Act may be cited as the "North Vancouver Electric Company's Incorporation Act." Short title.

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