

CHAPTER 63.

An Act to enable the Columbia Valley Irrigated Fruit Lands. Limited. to amalgamate their Water Rights.

[1st March, 1911.]

7 HEREAS the Columbia Valley Irrigated Fruit Lands, Limited, Preamble. have presented a petition praying for the passing of an Act enabling the Company to amalgamate all their water and other rights, powers, and privileges, distribute the water and hold the same in gross:

And whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petitioner:

Therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, enacts as follows. -

1. It shall be lawful for the said Company, subject to the rights Powers of and requirements of the holders of any other existing record or licence, and subject to the rights of other persons already acquired to portions of records or licences hereby sought to be amalgamated,-

- (a.) To amalgamate all the water records, licences, rights, powers, and privileges relating to water and its use now held by the Company, and to mingle the water which the Company is entitled to take and use for the common purposes of the Company, and to hold the same in gross:
- (b.) To distribute the water held by the Company among purchasers acquiring land from the Company to which the water rights have been appurtenant in such quantities and upon such terms as may be agreed upon.

2. The Company is hereby clothed with all the powers that can "Water Act" to be granted to a licensee by the "Water Act" and amending Acts. apply.

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Company to proceed as in Part VI. of "Water Act"

3. The Company shall as to its future operations proceed as in Part VI. of the "Water Act" is prescribed, and save as is by this Act provided shall be subject to the provisions of the "Water Act" and amending Acts.

Company not authorised to use water for power purposes. 4. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorise the use for power purposes of water recorded for agricultural or domestic purposes.

Short title.

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5. This Act may be cited as the "Columbia Valley Irrigated Fruit Lands, Limited, Amalgamation Act, 1911."

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