



## CHAPTER 58.

## An Act respecting Unemployment Relief.

[Assented to 13th April, 1932.]

**W**HEREAS under and by virtue of an Agreement dated the Preamble.  
 nineteenth day of August, 1931, entered into between the  
 Dominion and the Province, a copy of which is set out in Schedule  
 A, certain measures were adopted and provisions made for the  
 relief of unemployment in the Province, both by way of direct  
 relief to the unemployed and in carrying on works to provide  
 employment:

And whereas for the purposes aforesaid agreements have been  
 entered into between His Majesty in right of the Province and  
 certain municipalities in the Province in the form of agreement  
 set out in Schedule B, in pursuance of which the respective muni-  
 cipalities have undertaken and carried on certain works to provide  
 work for the relief of unemployment:

And whereas, pursuant to the Agreement set out in Schedule A,  
 certain other agreements were entered into in cases in which suit-  
 able work for the unemployed could not be provided, by which the  
 Province and certain municipalities have joined with the Dominion  
 in expending moneys in furnishing direct relief to the unemployed:

And whereas in order to enable the Province to defray its share  
 of the cost of the works undertaken pursuant to the provisions  
 of the agreements hereinbefore referred to, and to loan to the  
 respective municipalities moneys to meet their share thereof, the  
 Province has borrowed from the Dominion certain sums of money,  
 for which the Province has issued to the Dominion as security  
 therefor the several Treasury bills particulars of which are set  
 out in Schedule C:

And whereas it is expedient that legislative sanction be given  
 to the foregoing as well as to certain other measures hereinafter

mentioned which may be adopted for the relief of unemployment in the Province:

Therefore, His 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 "Unemployment Relief Act, 1932."

Validation of Agreement between the Dominion and the Province.

2. The Agreement dated the nineteenth day of August, 1931, entered into between the Dominion and the Province for the purposes of unemployment relief, referred to in the preamble, is declared to be and always to have been valid and binding upon the Province according to the tenor thereof; and the Lieutenant-Governor in Council of the Province shall be deemed to have been since the said date and to be authorized to do all things, to make all appropriations, and to enter into all agreements necessary or required to carry out the terms and provisions of the said Agreement.

Validation of agreements with municipalities.

3. (1.) Every agreement for the purposes of unemployment relief heretofore entered into between His Majesty in right of the Province and any municipality, referred to in the preamble, is declared to be and always to have been legal and valid and binding upon the parties thereto according to the tenor thereof; and for the like purposes the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and the Council of any municipality in the Province may make provision, respectively, for the entering into of such subsidiary agreements or such further agreements as may from time to time be considered necessary.

Power to carry out agreements.

(2.) The parties to every agreement heretofore or hereafter made within the scope of subsection (1) shall be deemed always to have had and to have full authority and power to do whatever is necessary to carry out and give full effect to the agreement according to the tenor thereof.

Exercise of powers without vote of electors.

(3.) Every municipality which is a party to any agreement with the Province heretofore or hereafter made within the scope of subsection (1) shall, notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special Act, and notwithstanding the fact that the municipality may not have submitted any question or matter to or obtained the approval of a vote of the electors of the municipality, be deemed always to have had and to have full authority and power:—

(a.) To borrow from the Province or from any person any moneys necessary to meet the cost of any direct relief within the scope of the agreement, and any moneys necessary to enable the municipality to finance the carrying-on of any work or undertaking within the scope of the agreement, including any such work or undertaking which may have been begun or carried out prior to the date of the agreement, and to meet the municipality's share of the

cost thereof; and to issue to the lender such securities therefor and on such terms as may be required, which securities, whether issued before or after the date of the agreement, shall be binding upon and payable by the municipality:

- (b.) To initiate, undertake, and execute any work or undertaking within the scope of the agreement, including any such work or undertaking which may have been begun or carried out prior to the date of the agreement;

but all moneys so borrowed for any purpose other than to meet the municipality's share of the cost of the direct relief or of the work or undertaking, as the case may be, shall be repaid immediately upon the receipt by the municipality of the contributory shares of the Dominion and the Province in respect of the cost of the direct relief or of the work or undertaking.

4. (1.) The borrowing by the Province from the Dominion of the moneys referred to in the preamble and the Treasury bills issued by the Province payable to the Minister of Finance of the Dominion as security therefor, particulars of which are set out in Schedule C, are validated and confirmed; and the said Treasury bills are declared to be and always to have been, respectively, a legal charge according to their tenor upon the revenues of the Province, and the interest and principal thereof shall be paid by the Minister of Finance of the Province out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Validation of  
Treasury bills.

(2.) The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may make provision for the borrowing of further moneys from the Dominion for expenditure in the relief of unemployment as may be found necessary, and for the giving by the Province to the Dominion as security for the moneys so borrowed Treasury bills in such terms as may be arranged; and every Treasury bill so issued shall be a legal charge according to its tenor upon the revenues of the Province, and the interest and principal thereof shall be paid by the Minister of Finance of the Province out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Power to borrow  
from Dominion.

(3.) Any Treasury bill referred to in subsection (1) or which may be issued hereafter pursuant to subsection (2) may be renewed from time to time for such period and at such rate of interest as may be approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

Renewal of  
Treasury bills.

(4.) For all purposes of sections 33 to 42 of the "Revenue Act," the Treasury bills referred to in subsection (1) and all Treasury bills which may be issued hereafter pursuant to subsection (2), and all Treasury bills issued in renewal of any of them, shall be deemed to be securities within the meaning of section 33 of that Act, and the moneys secured by each of those Treasury bills shall be deemed to be a loan within the meaning of that section.

Application of  
renewing sections  
of "Revenue Act."

## SCHEDULES.

## SCHEDULE A.

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE DOMINION AND THE PROVINCE  
RESPECTING UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF.

INDENTURE OF AGREEMENT entered into this 19th day of August  
A.D. 1931.

BETWEEN:

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA (hereinafter  
called the "Dominion"), represented herein by the HONOURABLE  
GIDEON D. ROBERTSON, Minister of Labour, OF THE FIRST  
PART,

and

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA,  
(hereinafter called the "Province"), represented herein by the  
HONOURABLE SIMON FRASER TOLMIE, OF THE SECOND  
PART.

WHEREAS the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, provides that  
there may be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund such moneys as  
the Governor in Council in his discretion may deem expedient to expend for  
relieving distress, providing employment and maintaining within the compe-  
tence of Parliament, peace, order and good government throughout Canada;

AND WHEREAS under the general regulations established by Order of  
His Excellency the Governor General in Council, dated August 18th, 1931,  
(P.C. 2043), copy of which is hereto attached marked "A," the Minister of  
Labour is empowered to enter into an agreement with the government of any  
Province for the purpose of supporting and supplementing the relief measures  
of the Province and Municipalities thereof.

AND WHEREAS the Province desires to enter into an agreement under the  
provisions of the general regulations aforementioned.

NOW THEREFORE it is mutually agreed by and between the parties  
hereto as follows:—

1. The Dominion shall pay to the Province for remittance to any Muni-  
cipality within the provincial territory such proportion of the expenditures of  
the Municipality for "direct relief," (as hereinafter defined), where suitable  
work cannot be provided for the unemployed as may be agreed upon between  
the Province and the Dominion.

2. The Province shall pay to the Municipality an amount equal to that  
contributed by the Dominion for "direct relief," or such other proportion of  
the expenditures of the Municipality as may be agreed upon.

3. The Dominion shall pay to the Province fifty (50) per centum of the  
expenditures made by the Province for "direct relief" in provincial territory  
where no Municipalities are established and where suitable work cannot be  
provided for the unemployed.

4. Contributions by the Dominion towards "direct relief" are to be made  
only after the submission by the Province of evidence satisfactory to the  
Minister of Labour that a serious unemployment situation exists in a desig-  
nated locality and suitable work for the unemployed cannot be provided  
therein.

5. In this agreement, "direct relief" means necessary food, clothing, fuel  
and shelter, or the equivalent thereof.

6. The Dominion shall pay to the Province for remittance to any muni-  
cipality such proportion of the cost of construction of municipal works and

undertakings carried out to provide work for the unemployed, as may be agreed upon between the Province and the Dominion; but the proportion of the cost of any such municipal works and undertakings to be borne by the Dominion shall not exceed (50) fifty per centum thereof, unless, by reason of the financial conditions of the municipality, the assumption by the Dominion of a greater proportion of the cost of such works and undertakings is specifically authorized by the Governor in Council; and the balance of such cost shall be borne by the Province and the municipality in such proportions as may be agreed upon.

7. Such contributions by the Dominion and Province, respectively, towards the cost of municipal works and undertakings are to be made only after the submission by the municipality concerned of evidence satisfactory to the Province and the Minister of Labour that a serious unemployment situation exists in such municipality.

8. The Dominion shall pay to the Province fifty (50) per centum of the cost of such public works and undertakings as may be carried on by the Province to provide suitable work for the unemployed.

9. The Dominion shall pay to the Province fifty (50) per centum of any amount expended by the Province on provincial highways.

10. The Dominion shall pay to the Province fifty (50) per centum of the amount hereafter expended by the Province on such highways, now existing or to be constructed, as may become part of the Trans-Canada Highway.

The expression "Trans-Canada Highway" means in relation to the Province, such provincial highways affording a continuous route connecting the province with any other or others of the provinces, as may be designated by the province and approved by the Dominion.

11. Contributions by the Dominion towards the cost of public works, undertakings and highways referred to in sections 8, 9 and 10 hereof, are to be made only after submission by the Province of evidence satisfactory to the Minister of Labour that a serious unemployment situation exists.

12. The Province agrees to submit to the Dominion for approval by the Minister of Labour, from time to time, a schedule or schedules setting forth a list of the public works and undertakings proposed to be carried on by the Province and Municipalities under the provisions of clauses 6, 8, 9 and 10 hereof and also setting forth the proportions of the expenditures in respect of such public works and undertakings to be borne by the Dominion and the Province respectively; and such schedules, when approved, shall become part of this agreement as if originally incorporated therein.

13. All public works and undertakings to which contributions may be made under the provisions of clauses 6, 8, 9 and 10 of this agreement, are to be carried on from the date of their commencement to the date of their completion, which latter date shall not be later than the 1st day of May, 1932.

14. A maximum work-day of eight hours shall prevail on works and undertakings carried on under this agreement, unless a modification of this requirement is previously agreed to by the Minister of Labour; fair and reasonable rates of wages shall be paid by the Province and Municipalities but such rates shall not be in excess of the rates required to be paid by the Federal Government for the character or class of work in the district; only goods and materials of Canadian manufacture or production, if available, shall be used; contracts shall be let only to *bona fide* Canadian construction firms established and operating in Canada prior to January 1st, 1931; and of the amounts expended pursuant to the provisions of clauses 6, 8, 9 and 10 hereof not less than Forty per centum thereof shall be expended for labour unless a modification of this requirement is previously agreed to by the Minister of Labour.

15. All persons employed on the works or undertakings referred to herein shall be residents of Canada and, so far as practicable, of the locality in which the work is being performed, and in no case shall discrimination be made or permitted in the employment of any persons by reason of their political affiliation, race or religious views.

16. Statements of accounts for expenditure made by the Province and Municipalities, for direct relief or for public works and undertakings, pursuant to the provisions of this agreement shall be submitted by the Province to the Minister of Labour accompanied by a certificate of the appropriate Provincial authority that expenditures have been duly made in accordance with such statements; and such statements and certificates shall be in the form prescribed by the Minister of Labour.

17. The Province and Municipalities shall each bear their own expenses of administration in connection with any measures for the relief of unemployment undertaken pursuant to this agreement, and no portion of such expenses of administration shall be included in any statement of account rendered pursuant to this agreement or paid by the Dominion.

18. The Minister of Labour may at any time call upon the Province to furnish such information as he may require in relation to statements of accounts rendered by the Province or Municipalities.

19. The Minister of Labour may at any time direct an inspection in connection with any measures for the relief of unemployment carried out pursuant to this agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Honourable Gideon D. Robertson, Minister of Labour, has hereunto set his hand on behalf of the Dominion of Canada, and the Honourable Simon Fraser Tolmie, Premier, has hereunto set his hand on behalf of the Province of British Columbia.

SIGNED on behalf of the Government of Canada

By the Honourable Gideon D. Robertson, Minister of Labour, in the presence of:

" W. W. DICKSON "

Private Secretary

" G. D. ROBERTSON "

SIGNED on behalf of the Province of British Columbia, by the Honourable S. F. Tolmie in the presence of:

" R. H. POOLEY "

Attorney-General

" S. F. TOLMIE "

P.C. 2043



AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE AT OTTAWA

TUESDAY, the 18th day of August, 1931.

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL

WHEREAS unemployment, which is primarily a municipal and provincial responsibility, has become so general throughout Canada as to constitute a matter of national concern;

AND WHEREAS Parliament has enacted legislation which may be cited as "The Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931," in respect to unemployment, farm relief and maintenance of peace, order and good government;

AND WHEREAS the necessary powers having been granted to the Governor in Council it is deemed expedient to make regulations to govern the administration of the said Act;

THEREFORE His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the recommendation of the Minister of Labour, is pleased to make the annexed regulations to govern the administration of the said Act, and they are hereby made and established accordingly.

G. G. KEZAR,

*Asst. Clerk of the Privy Council.*

#### GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1. Except where the context otherwise requires, in these regulations the expression,—
  - (a) "Act" means the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931.
  - (b) "Minister" means the Minister of Labour.
2. There may be paid from the consolidated revenue fund such moneys as the Governor in Council may deem expedient to relieve distress, provide employment and maintain peace, order and good government.
3. The Minister may enter into an agreement with the Government of any Province for the payment through the Province to the Municipality of such proportion of the expenditures of any Municipality within the said Province for direct relief as may be agreed upon between the Municipality and the Province and approved by the Minister.
4. The Minister may enter into an agreement with the Government of any Province for the payment to such Province of such proportion of the expenditures of the said province for direct relief where no Municipal Government exists as may be agreed upon between the said Province and the Minister.
5. The expression "direct relief" in sections 3 and 4 hereof means food, clothing, fuel and shelter or payment in lieu thereof, as may be determined by the Municipal Authorities and approved by the Province concerned, or approved by the Province where no Municipal Government exists.
6. The Minister may enter into an agreement with the Government of any Province in which any Municipality is situated for the payment through the Province to such Municipality of a proportion of the cost of such municipal works and undertakings as may be carried out, pursuant to the agreement to provide work for the unemployed.
7. The Minister may enter into an agreement with the Government of any Province for the carrying on by such provincial government of public works, improvements and other undertakings that will assist in providing suitable work for the unemployed, the cost of such public works and improvements to be borne by the Provincial and Dominion Governments in such proportion as may be agreed upon.
8. As the success of the relief measures under these regulations will largely depend upon the fair and equitable distribution of opportunities for employment and payment of reasonable rates of wages, the Federal Government will require that a maximum work day of eight hours shall prevail on works and undertakings carried on under the provisions of the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, unless a modification of this requirement is previously agreed to by the Minister; the Provincial or Municipal Authorities may fix rates of wages to be paid provided that such rates be fair and reasonable and not in excess of the rates required to be paid by the Federal Government for the character or class of work in the district; and, if available, only goods and materials of Canadian manufacture or production shall be used, and contracts shall be let only to bona fide Canadian construction firms established and operating in Canada prior to January 1, 1931.

9. All agreements with provincial and municipal authorities shall contain a provision to the effect that all persons employed on the works or undertakings referred to herein shall be residents of Canada, and so far as practicable of the locality in which the work is being performed, and in no case shall discrimination be made or permitted in the employment of, or in the granting of direct relief to any British subjects by reason of their political affiliation, race or religious views.

10. The Minister may at any time call upon the Province or Municipality to furnish such information as he may require in relation to statements of account rendered by the province or municipality.

11. The Minister shall have power to direct an inspection in connection with any measures for the relief of unemployment carried out pursuant to agreements under the provisions of these regulations.

12. The administration of the Act and regulations thereunder shall be vested in the Minister of Labour, subject to the approval of the Governor in Council.

13. The expenses of administration of the Federal Government under these regulations, including the salaries of temporary employees shall be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the provincial and municipal Governments shall each bear their own expenses of administration in connection with any measures for the relief of unemployment pursuant to agreements under the provisions of these regulations.

SCHEDULE B.

FORM OF AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE PROVINCE AND THE MUNICIPALITIES RESPECTING UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF.

Agreement No.....

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT, entered into this            day of            ,  
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Between

HIS MAJESTY THE KING in right of the Province of British Columbia, acting herein and represented by the Minister of            of the said Province (hereinafter called the "Province"), OF THE FIRST PART,

AND

THE CORPORATION OF            (hereinafter called the "Municipality") OF THE SECOND PART.

WHEREAS the Municipality has submitted evidence satisfactory to the Province that a serious unemployment situation exists within the Municipality:

AND WHEREAS the "Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931," of the Dominion of Canada, provides for the payment out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Dominion of Canada of such moneys as the Governor in Council may deem expedient to expend for providing employment:

AND WHEREAS, under the general regulations established by Order of the Governor in Council (P.C. 2043) dated August 18th, 1931, the Province has entered into an agreement dated August 19th, 1931, and may enter into other agreements with the Minister of Labour for the Dominion, for the purposes of supplementing the relief measures of the Province and the municipalities thereof:

AND WHEREAS by Order of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council No.            , approved the            day of December, 1931, the Honourable            , Minister of            of the said Province, was appointed the Minister-in-Charge of the carrying-out of the last-mentioned Act and regulations in the Province, and was authorized to enter into agreements with municipalities on behalf of the Province as may be requisite in the premises:



NOW IT IS AGREED by and between the parties hereto as follows:—

1. The Municipality shall, under the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, undertake and carry on the works and undertakings to provide work for the unemployed within the Municipality, as set forth in the attached Schedule, which Schedule is a part of this Agreement.
2. The Province shall, as and when received from the Dominion Government, pay to the Municipality on behalf of the said Dominion Government fifty per centum of the cost of construction of the said municipal works and undertakings, and the amount to be so paid by the Province on behalf of the Dominion Government shall not exceed                    Dollars (\$                    ).
3. The Province shall pay to the Municipality on behalf of the Province twenty-five per centum of the labour costs only of the said works and undertakings, and the amount to be so paid by the Province on its own behalf shall not exceed                    Dollars (\$                    ).
4. Subject as aforesaid, the Municipality shall bear all costs of any kind whatsoever connected with the said works and undertakings.
5. If required by the Municipality, and if in the opinion of the Inspector of Municipalities the Municipality is unable to meet its own share of the cost of the said works and undertakings, the Province may lend the necessary funds therefor upon the Municipality securing repayment of the same by the issue of debentures of the Municipality in favour of the Province. The debentures shall be in the principal sum of the amount of the loan, and shall be payable at the expiration of ten years from the date thereof in lawful money of Canada at Victoria, British Columbia, with interest on the principal sum, both before and after maturity, at the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, until the principal sum is fully paid. The debentures shall be a direct charge on all the revenues of the Municipality and shall have priority according to the date of issue. The amount lent by the Province to the Municipality under this clause shall not exceed the sum of                    Dollars (\$                    ).
6. The parties hereto agree to co-operate in the submission of a Bill to the Provincial Legislative Assembly at its next session to validate the issue of the debentures referred to in the last preceding clause and to support all necessary legislation to validate the same.
7. In the event, through unforeseen circumstances, of the Municipality wishing to add to, amend, or otherwise change the nature or extent of the works and undertakings referred to in clause 1, the Municipality agrees to submit to the Province for approval by the Province and by the Dominion a memorandum of such addition, amendment, or change; and in the event of any such addition, amendment, or change being made, the submission of such memorandum and its approval by the Province and the Dominion shall be a condition precedent to any payment being made by the Province to the Municipality under clause 2, 3, or 5 hereof: Provided, however, that the amount to be paid by the Province to the Municipality shall not exceed the amounts fixed in clauses 2, 3, and 5 hereof.
8. All public works and undertakings to which contributions may be made under the provisions of this Agreement are to be carried on without unnecessary delay from the date of their commencement to date of their completion, which latter date shall be not later than the first day of March, 1932; provided that applications for an extension of the said date will only be considered if made in writing to the Minister of Public Works of the Province before February 1st, 1932.
9. A maximum work-day of eight hours shall prevail on works and undertakings carried out under this Agreement, unless a modification of this requirement is previously agreed to in writing; the rates of wages or subsistence allowances to be paid in respect of the said works and undertakings shall be in

accordance with the Schedule attached hereto; only goods and materials of Canadian manufacture or production, if available, shall be used; if Canadian goods not available, approval of the Province will be required on behalf of the Dominion; contracts shall be let only to British subjects residing in British Columbia since January 1st, 1931, or to *bona-fide* Canadian construction firms or corporations established and operating in Canada prior to January 1st, 1931; and of the amounts expended pursuant to the provisions of clauses 2 and 3 hereof, not less than forty per centum thereof shall be expended for labour, unless a modification of this requirement is previously agreed to in writing by the Minister of Public Works of the Province.

10. All employees on the works or undertakings referred to herein shall be needy unemployed persons in possession of a certificate of registration issued by authority of the Province, and shall be residents of Canada and, so far as practicable, of the locality in which the work is being performed; any exceptions to the foregoing are to be brought to the attention of and be approved by the Committee of the Executive Council on Unemployment Relief of the Province. In no case shall discrimination be made or permitted in the employment of any persons by reason of their political affiliation, race, or religious views.

11. Pay-rolls shall be submitted by the Municipality in triplicate or in such other number as may be required by the Province, duly certified as correct by the Municipal Engineer and by the Municipal Clerk or Treasurer, and shall be accompanied by a certificate, as set out in Form A attached, to the effect that the persons shown on said pay-rolls have actually worked on the undertaking for the time stated and received the amounts shown against their names. The pay-rolls shall also bear the inspection certificate and approval of the authorized district official of the Provincial Department of Public Works.

11A. This Agreement shall be deemed to have reference to and include not only that portion of the works and undertakings set out in the Schedule referred to in clause (1) hereof which are carried out from the date hereof, but also that portion of the said works and undertakings which have already been carried out from the 19th August, 1931, to the date hereof.

12. Statements of accounts in triplicate, or in such other number as may be required by the Province, for expenditures made by the Municipality for goods and materials used on approved public works and undertakings under this Agreement shall be accompanied by a certificate, as set out in Form B attached, to the effect that such goods and materials have become an integral part of the project; or in respect of powder, gasoline, oil, tools, etc., that they have been used or consumed for the purpose of carrying out such public works and undertakings. The statements of accounts for goods and materials shall be duly certified by the appropriate municipal authority mentioned in the preceding clause, and wherever practicable shall be supported by the original invoices rendered to the Municipality; the statements shall also bear the certification of the authorized district official of the Provincial Department of Public Works. Any goods, materials, or tools which have been purchased by the Municipality, but have not been consumed on, or become an integral part of, the project, will not be paid for by the Province as to the share of the Dominion in the cost thereof until such time as they may be consumed or otherwise used in the undertaking.

13. Rentals for machinery and plant as set out in attached Schedule will be allowed, but no part of the purchase price of such machinery or plant shall be allowed or made a charge to the work.

14. In the event of the Province on behalf of the Dominion paying the share of the Dominion of the cost of goods, materials, and tools which are left over on the completion of the works and undertakings, the Province on behalf of

the Dominion is entitled to and may claim fifty per cent. of the value of the goods, materials, and tools so left over.

15. The Municipality shall pay the total cost of all assessments made by the Workmen's Compensation Board under the terms of the "Workmen's Compensation Act" in respect of all persons employed on the works or undertakings.

16. The Municipality shall bear the whole cost of overhead and administration of the said works and undertakings from their inception to their completion, and no portion of such cost shall be included in any pay-roll or statement of account rendered pursuant to this Agreement.

17. The Dominion or Provincial Government may at any time require the Municipality to furnish information, detailed or otherwise, in relation to statement of accounts rendered by the Municipality, and may carry out an inspection within the Municipality in connection with any measures for the relief of unemployment carried out pursuant to this Agreement. The municipal pay-rolls, time-books, books of account, invoices, receipts, statements, reports, and documents shall be at all times open for inspection and extract by an accredited representative of either the Dominion or Provincial Government, or both, who shall be assisted in every possible way by the Municipality.

18. When used in this Agreement the term "labour costs" shall be taken to mean only the costs of wages or subsistence allowances paid to individuals employed on the works, and in respect of whom pay-rolls have been submitted in accordance with the foregoing terms of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the \_\_\_\_\_ has hereunto affixed his signature and the Municipality has hereunto affixed its corporate seal by the hands of its proper officers in that behalf.

SIGNED on behalf of the Province of British  
Columbia in the presence of—

SIGNED on behalf of the Municipality in the  
presence of—

### SCHEDULE C.

#### STATEMENT OF TREASURY BILLS ISSUED BY THE PROVINCE TO THE DOMINION AS SECURITY FOR LOANS RESPECTING UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF.

Series.	Date.	Due Date.	Rate of Interest.	Principal.
DTB1.....	Dec. 1, 1931	Dec. 1, 1932	5¼ %	\$500,000
DTB2.....	Dec. 1, 1931	Dec. 1, 1932	5¼ %	500,000
DTB3.....	Dec. 23, 1931	Dec. 23, 1932	5¾ %	800,000
DTB4.....	Feb. 20, 1932	Feb. 20, 1933	5¾ %	500,000
DTB5.....	Mar. 8, 1932	Mar. 8, 1933	5¾ %	112,500

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