

it is intended that for effecting the said arrangement a certain Indenture, already prepared and engrossed, and bearing date the first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, and expressed to be made between the said Christopher Pearse and John George Nutting, of the first part, the said

of the second part, the said Association, of the third part, and Her Majesty, of the fourth part, a true copy of which Indenture is contained in the schedule hereto annexed, shall be executed by the several parties thereto, of the first, second, and third parts, respectively, by which Indenture all the estate, term, and interest, of the said Christopher Pearse and John George Nutting, and of the said

and of the said Association, in the said mines and minerals, are expressed to be surrendered and yielded up to her Majesty, her heirs, and successors, and whereby certain releases are expressed to be made concerning the said mines and minerals, and the rents, royalties, and reservations, reserved, or agreed to be reserved, by certain leases and agreements for leases of the said mines and minerals, and also that a certain other indenture, already prepared and engrossed, and bearing date the same first day of January one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, and expressed to be made between her Majesty, of the one part, and the said Association, of the other part, a true copy of which last mentioned indenture is contained in the schedule hereto, should be executed by the said Association, by which same indenture all the beds and seams of coal in certain parts of this province are expressed to be demised to the said Association, their successors and assigns, for the said term of twenty-eight years, and such portion, as aforesaid, of another year, at certain rents or royalties, and upon certain terms therein mentioned. And whereas, the said two indentures so prepared and engrossed as aforesaid, have not, nor hath either of them, been executed by or on behalf of any of the parties named as parties thereto, but the same have been duly signed and approved of by

the solicitor to her Majesty's Treasury, on behalf of her Majesty, and by the honorable James William Johnston and Adams George Archibald, Esquire, delegates appointed under the authority and on behalf of the General Assembly of this Province, and by Messrs. Farrar, Ouvry and Farrar, the solicitors of and on behalf of the said Christopher Pearse and John George Nutting, and by Messrs. Wilson and Bristows, the solicitors of and on behalf of the said

and by Francis Thomas Bircham, the solicitor of and on behalf of the said Association. And whereas, the said arrangement cannot be fully carried into effect without an act of the General Assembly of this Province: