

5. The said Act is further amended by inserting immediately after section eleven the following section:—

Minister
may
authorize
other person
to carry on
where failure.

“**11A.** Where the Minister is satisfied that any person (in this section called the “Contractor”) has failed or is likely to fail to carry out in a businesslike and efficient manner the whole or any part of a contract to manufacture or produce any munitions of war or supplies or to construct or carry out any defence project, or has failed to keep proper and detailed accounts and records of the cost of the work performed under any such contract, the Minister may authorize any other person to carry on, until the Minister otherwise directs, and subject to and in accordance with the provisions hereinafter contained in this Act, the whole or any part of the Contractor’s business.”

6. Section twelve of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

Power to
require
storage.

“**12.** (1) The Minister may direct any person to store any munitions of war or supplies for such period and at such place as he may specify if he is satisfied that such person controls accommodation suitable for that purpose.”

Liability
of person
storing.

(2) Any person storing munitions of war or supplies under subsection one of this section shall be liable for loss thereof or damage thereto as if he had agreed to store them for reward.

Compen-
sation.

(3) Compensation to be paid to any person storing munitions of war or supplies under subsection one of this section may be fixed by agreement between such person and the