

No. 23 of 1892.

An Ordinance to remove doubts as to past appropriation of Rates by the Municipal Council of Colombo.

(See No. 7 of 1887.)

WHEREAS doubts have been entertained as to whether the municipal council of Colombo has lawfully applied the rate or rates heretofore made, assessed, and levied by it under the provisions of the Ordinances for the time being applicable to the municipal council of Colombo, and it is expedient to remove such doubts: Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Preamble.

1 The application in whole or in part by the municipal council of Colombo heretofore made of any rate or rates made, assessed, and levied under the Ordinances No. 17 of 1865, No. 16 of 1881, No. 7 of 1886, or No. 7 of 1887, to any purpose or purposes other than those provided by the said Ordinances or any of them, is hereby declared to have been in all respects and for all purposes legal and valid.

Past appropriation of rates declared legal.

12th December, 1892.