

No. 1 of 1878.

An Ordinance to declare the Powers of Assessors appointed under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 7 of 1866.

(Sec No. 16 of 1865.)

Preamble.

WHEREAS doubts have been entertained whether assessors appointed for any town under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, intituled "An Ordinance relating to the Police Force," possess all the powers and authorities expressed to be vested by the 37th and 38th sections of "The Police Ordinance, 1865," in the committee therein mentioned: And whereas it is expedient to remove such doubts: It is hereby enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Assessors appointed under Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 declared to have the same powers as the committee mentioned in "The Police Ordinance, 1865."

The assessors appointed for any town under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 7 of 1866, intituled "An Ordinance relating to the Police Force," are declared to have, and since the passing of the said last-mentioned Ordinance to have had, all the powers and authorities expressed to be conferred or vested by the 37th and 38th sections respectively of "The Police Ordinance, 1865," upon or in the committee therein mentioned; and each of such assessors is declared to have, and since the passing of the said Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 to have had, all the power and authority expressed to be conferred or vested by the aforesaid sections respectively of the said "Police Ordinance, 1865," upon or in any member of such committee.

9th October, 1878.
