

No. 61.

## PETITION.

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*To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, in Parliament assembled :*

The petition of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, humbly showeth, as follows:—

That your petitioners are desirous that an Act may be passed by your Honourable Body empowering the Corporation to lease certain Corporation property known as the Market Building, and being lots 586, 587, 588, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, and the west half of lot 589, according to the Official Map of the City of Victoria, in accordance with and upon the terms set forth in a certain by-law known as the Victoria Terminal Railway By-law, number 326, and which, after ratification by the electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, was finally passed on the 3rd day of December, 1900, to a railway company to be incorporated for the purposes and objects set forth in such by-law, and to grant a renewal of such lease upon the terms set forth in the said by-law, and also confirming and validating the said by-law, and all and every the agreements, provisions, stipulations and conditions therein contained, and generally empowering the Corporation to carry out and give effect to all and every the provisions of said by-law, which on its part are, or ought, to be performed, anything to the contrary in the "Municipal Clauses Act" notwithstanding, and whether the same would otherwise be *ultra vires* of the Corporation or not.

Therefore your petitioners humbly pray that your Honourable Body will be pleased to pass an Act for the purposes aforesaid.

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

[L.S.]

W. J. DOWLER,  
*Clerk of the Municipal Council.*

CHAS. HAYWARD,  
*Mayor of the City of Victoria.*

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