

deemed to be a tax duly assessed within the meaning of the Tithe and Tax Collection Law, 1882, and may be collected in the manner prescribed by the said Law by any person duly authorized by the Commissioner of the District to collect it, and shall be paid by the Government of Cyprus to the persons entitled thereto.

16. In case any person entitled to compensation under this Law shall be under disability or residing abroad, any sum to which he may be entitled in respect of such compensation may be paid to his guardian or duly authorized agent, if any (whose receipt shall be a sufficient discharge for it), or, in the absence of such guardian, into the District Court of the District within which the property in respect of which it is paid is situate, to be disposed of as the Court shall direct for the benefit of the person entitled thereto.

In case of person under disability compensation to be paid to guardian or agent.

17. After the completion of any section of any road made under the provisions of this Law, such section shall be inspected at least once a year by the Government Engineer or by some person on his behalf, and the Government Engineer shall from time to time cause all necessary repairs to be performed thereon.

Repair of roads.

The cost of such repairs shall be defrayed by the owners of property situated in the villages which contributed to the construction thereof and in like proportion; and the amount payable by any village in respect of such repairs shall be collected as provided by section 7 in respect of the expenses of construction.

18. This Law may be cited as the Limassol and Lefkara Roads Law, 1885.

Short title.

8 OF 1892.

TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF BRANCH ROADS TO CONNECT
OUTLYING VILLAGES WITH MAIN ROADS.

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1. In this Law the expression "main road" means the roads comprised in the Schedule, and such other roads as the High Commissioner shall from time to time by notice in the *Cyprus Gazette* declare to be main roads within the meaning of this Law.

Main roads.

High Commissioner may order construction of branch roads.

2. If at any time it shall appear to the High Commissioner that the inhabitants or the majority of the inhabitants of any village, or that the inhabitants or the majority of all the inhabitants of two or more villages reckoned together, are desirous that a road should be constructed to connect such village, or such two or more villages, with any main road, and that the inhabitants or the majority of the inhabitants of such village, or the inhabitants or the majority of all the inhabitants of such two or more villages reckoned together, are willing to defray one-half of the expenses of the construction, the High Commissioner in Council may, if he shall think fit, order that the road shall be constructed under this Law, and may prescribe in the said order the description of road that shall be constructed; and when any such order has been made, the road shall be constructed and maintained, and the costs of the construction and maintenance thereof shall be defrayed, in the manner and subject to the provisions prescribed in this Law.

Roads to be constructed as provided by 6, 1885.

3. When any such order has been made, the road shall be constructed and maintained and the costs of the construction and maintenance thereof shall be defrayed in like manner and subject to the like provisions as are prescribed and contained by and in the Limassol and Lefkara Roads Law, 1885, in respect of the roads therein mentioned, in as full a manner as if the provisions of the said Law had been re-enacted in this Law; and whenever in the said Law anything is enacted or said concerning the District or the Commissioner, the same shall be taken for the purposes of this Law to have been enacted or said of and concerning the District within which any road is ordered to be constructed under the provisions of this Law, and the Commissioner thereof.

Labour in lieu of sum payable by village.

4. If it appears to the High Commissioner that it is the desire of the majority of the inhabitants of any village to provide labour in lieu of paying the cost of construction, he may order that the inhabitants of the village shall provide labour in lieu of the whole or a portion of the sum which will become payable by the village for the construction of the road; and he may make regulations to provide for,—

- (1.) The number of days' labour to be supplied by each village;
- (2.) The time at which and the period for which labour shall be supplied;
- (3.) The manner in which it shall be apportioned among the inhabitants of the village liable to contribute to the cost of the road.