

ers in each of said two or more corporations who refuse to convert their stock into the stock of such new corporation, with such other details as they shall deem necessary to perfect such consolidation of said corporations; and such new corporation shall possess all the powers, rights and franchises conferred upon such said two or more corporations, and shall be subject to all the restrictions, and perform all the duties imposed by the provisions of this Act; *provided*, that all stockholders in either of such corporations who shall refuse to convert their stock into the stock of such new corporation, shall be paid at least par value for each of the shares so held by them, if they shall so require, previous to said consolidation being consummated; and such agreement of the Directors shall not be deemed to be the agreement of the said two or more corporations until after it has been submitted to the stockholders of each of said corporations separately, at a meeting thereof, to be called upon a notice of at least thirty days, specifying the time and place of such meeting, and the object thereof, to be addressed to each of such stockholders, when their place of residence is known, and deposited in the postoffice, and published for at least three successive weeks in one newspaper, in at least one of the cities or towns in which each of said corporations has its principal office of business, and has been sanctioned by such stockholders by the vote of at least two-thirds in amount of the stockholders present at such meeting, voting by ballot in regard to such agreement, either in person or by proxy, each share of capital stock being entitled to one vote; and when such agreement of the Directors has been so sanctioned by each of the meetings of the stockholders separately, after being submitted to such meetings in the manner above mentioned, then such agreement of the Directors shall be deemed to be the agreement of the said two or more corporations.

Proviso.

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Sec. 22. *And be it enacted*, That upon making the agreement mentioned in the preceding Section, in the manner required therein, and filing a duplicate or counterpart thereof in the office of the Secretary of State, the said two or more corporations mentioned or referred to in the said first

File duplicate.