

not approve or sign any warrant fiat submission or other document for which Our approval or signature is required for or in connection with any of the matters described in the Second Schedule annexed hereto and That if We signify or it appears to them that they should not act in any matter or for any purpose without Our previous special approval they shall not act in that matter or for that purpose without that approval Commanding all and singular Archbishops Dukes Marquesses Earls Viscounts Bishops Barons Baronets Knights Citizens and Burgesses and all other Our Officers Ministers and Subjects that in everything appertaining to the matters aforesaid they be attendant counselling and helping the said Counsellors of State as it behoves them In Witness whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent Witness Ourselves at Westminster the twenty-first day of June in the twenty-second year of Our Reign

By Warrant under the Queen's Sign Manual

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#### THE FIRST SCHEDULE

##### The Delegated Royal Functions

Full power and authority during the period of Our said absence -

To summon and hold on Our behalf Our Privy Council and to signify thereat Our approval for anything for which Our approval in Council is required

To approve and sign on Our behalf Letters Patent signifying the Royal Assent to Acts of Parliament except any Act touching any of the matters for which provision is made in the Act of Settlement or touching Our Royal Style and Titles

To approve and sign on Our behalf any proclamation warrant fiat submission or other document requiring Our approval or signature which relates to the affairs of Our United Kingdom or to the affairs of any of Our Colonies or any Territories under Our protection or in which We have jurisdiction being Colonies or Territories for whose foreign affairs Our Government in the United Kingdom is responsible and to do on Our behalf anything required to be done in relation to any such proclamation warrant fiat submission or other document and

To do on Our behalf anything which by virtue of Our Royal Prerogative or of any statutory or other power We are authorised to do for the safety or good government of Our United Kingdom any of Our said Colonies or any of the said Territories

#### THE SECOND SCHEDULE

##### Excepted Matters

Awards of honours decorations and medals

Precedence to rank among nobility

The use by British subjects of foreign titles and the wearing of foreign Orders in the United Kingdom

Issue of writs in peerage claims for the determination of abeyances

Disbandment and amalgamation of regiments and other army units and changes in army and air force dress

Matters arising in connection with the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland

Amendment of Statutes of Orders

## H.M. TREASURY

### COUNTER-INFLATION ACT 1973

The Treasury have given consent to the declaration by the following companies of dividends of the total amounts specified for the financial years ending on the specified dates:

Inter-City Investment Group Ltd., London E1—£148,750—31.12.72.

Midland Industries Ltd., Wolverhampton—£50,175—30.9.72.

Lyndale Engineering Ltd., Wolverhampton — £20,000 — 30.6.73.

Sogomana Group Ltd., Glasgow—£96,366—31.12.72.

Highams Ltd., Accrington—£170,990—31.3.73.

General & Engineering Industries Ltd., Dunstable—£752,779—31.3.73.

John Bland & Co. Ltd., Cardiff—£44,389—31.5.73.

Shaw & Marvin Ltd., Becston—£18,000—31.3.73.

Polymark Ltd., London W12—£68,213—31.12.72.

English & Overseas Investments Ltd., London EC2—£46,819—31.12.72.

N. Brown Investments Ltd., Manchester — £130,832 — 31.3.73.

Troydale Industries Ltd., Leeds—£24,902—30.9.73.

W. J. Pyke (Holdings) Ltd., London W1—£9,563—30.6.72.

A. R. V. Holdings Ltd., Beaconsfield—£74,226—31.3.73.

West Cumberland Silk Mills Ltd., London SW1—£75,000—31.3.73.

Elswick-Hopper Ltd., London W1—£25,734—31.1.73.

## POST OFFICE

### SCHEME P1/1973

NOTE: The Scheme which follows this note is made under section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969 and amends the Post Office Inland Post Scheme 1972. The amending Scheme, which comes into operation on 5th July, 1973:

(a) redefines the British Postal Area so as to exclude the Isle of Man from that definition;

(b) contains special provisions for certain services operating between the United Kingdom and the Isle of Man.

(This note is not part of the Scheme)

### THE POST OFFICE INLAND POST AMENDMENT (NO. 1) SCHEME 1973

Made 18th June, 1973

Coming into operation 5th July, 1973

The Post Office, by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969, and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, hereby makes the following Scheme:

#### Commencement, citation, interpretation and revocation

1.—(1) This Scheme shall come into operation on 5th July, 1973, and may be cited as the Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1973.

(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Post Office Inland Post Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P7/1972) (hereinafter called "the Scheme").

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889 applies for the interpretation of this Scheme as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament and as if this Scheme were an Act of Parliament.

2. In paragraph 3(1) of the Scheme the words "and the Isle of Man" shall be deleted from the definition of "British postal area" and the words "the Isle of Man" shall be inserted after "the Channel Islands" in the definition of "incoming".

3. Paragraph 24 of the Scheme is hereby revoked.

#### Application

4.—(1) In paragraph 4(a) and paragraph 4(c) of the Scheme after the words "Channel Islands", in each case there shall be inserted the words "the Isle of Man".

(2) In paragraph 4 of the Scheme in proviso (2) after the words "Channel Islands", there shall be inserted the words "the Isle of Man".

#### Registration of newspapers

5.—(1) In paragraph 21(1) of the Scheme after the words "Channel Islands", there shall be inserted the words "or the Isle of Man".

(2) In paragraph 21(6)(b) of the Scheme after the words "Channel Islands", there shall be inserted the words "the Isle of Man".