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## State Intelligence

### 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:

Grand Central Investment Holdings Ltd., London EC4—£97,863—31.12.72.

Warren Tea Holdings Ltd., London EC3—£114,059—31.12.72.

Staplegreen Insurance Holdings Ltd., London EC3—£767,118—31.3.73.

Negretti & Zambra Ltd., London NW10—£64,655—31.3.73.

General Engineering Co. (Radcliffe) Ltd., Manchester—£59,800—31.3.73.

Reynards (Excavations) Ltd., London W1 — £4,938 — 30.11.73.

For the purposes of the entry into operation of the European Communities (Definition of Treaties) Order 1973 (S.I. No. 1314), the following are to be regarded as entering into force for the United Kingdom on 1st January, 1974:

- (i) An Exchange of Letters dated 22nd July, 1972, between the Head of the United Kingdom Delegation to the European Communities and the Head of the Austrian Delegation to the European Communities on duty-free quotas for imports of paper products, (Cmnd. 5159);
- (ii) An Exchange of Letters dated 22nd July, 1972; and 22nd August, 1972, between the Head of the United Kingdom Delegation to the European Communities and the Acting Head of the Swiss Delegation to the European Communities on duty-free quotas for imports of paper products, (Cmnd. 5181); and
- (iii) An Exchange of Letters dated 22nd July, 1972, between the Head of the United Kingdom Delegation to the European Communities and the Head of the Swedish Delegation to the European Communities on duty-free quotas for imports of paper products, (Cmnd. 5180).

### FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH OFFICE

31st August, 1973

#### THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (DEFINITION OF TREATIES) ORDER 1973 (S.I. No. 1314)

For the purposes of the entry into operation of the European Communities (Definition of Treaties) Order 1973 (S.I. No. 1314), the following are to be regarded as entering into force for the United Kingdom on 27th July, 1973:

- (i) Decision of 22nd January, 1973, of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community, meeting in the Council, establishing supervision of imports of certain products originating in Austria (O. J. No. L59, 5th February, 1973, p. 88); and
- (ii) Decision of 22nd January, 1973, of the Representatives of the Governments of the Member States of the European Coal and Steel Community, meeting in the Council, establishing supervision of imports of certain products originating in Sweden (O. J. No. L59, 5th February, 1973, p. 90).

### MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

#### URBAN DRAINAGE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1957

Notice is hereby given that the Ministry of Agriculture on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 20(1) of the Urban Drainage Act (Northern Ireland) 1957 has made an Order dated 5th July, 1973, entitled the Castlereagh Rural District (Designation of Urban Drainage Area) Order (Northern Ireland) 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 229).

Copies may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

Notice is hereby given that the Ministry of Agriculture on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 20(1) of the Urban Drainage Act (Northern Ireland) 1957 has made an Order dated 5th July, 1973, entitled the Hillsborough Rural Dis-

trict (Designation of Urban Drainage Area) Order (Northern Ireland) 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 230.)

Copies of the Order may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

#### STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS OF NORTHERN IRELAND 1973 No. 234

Notice is hereby given that the Foyle Fisheries Commission in exercise of its powers under Sections 13 and 28 of the Foyle Fisheries Act 1952 and Sections 13 and 27 of the Foyle Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1952 with the approval of the Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries in the Irish Republic and the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland have made a Statutory Rule entitled Foyle Area (Weekly Close Time) (River Roe) Regulations 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 234).

Copies of the Rule may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

### MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT

#### ROADS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1948

The Ministry of Development hereby gives notice that it has been requested by Antrim County Council to make an Order under Section 17 of the Roads Act (Northern Ireland) 1948, the effect of which would be to authorise the abandonment of two lengths totalling approximately 264 metres (289 linear yards) of Route No. A26, Moira to Nutt's Corner Road, in the townlands of Loughrelish and Brackenhill.

The lengths of road proposed to be abandoned are more particularly delineated and coloured green and red on Map No. 4022/113 a copy of which, together with a copy of the draft Order, may be inspected free of charge at all reasonable hours during the period from 7th September to 15th October, 1973, at the Ministry of Development, Room 413, Stormont, Belfast BT4 3SS, or Antrim County Council, County Hall, Galgorm Road, Ballymena.

Any person may, within the said period, object to the proposal to make the Order by written notice to the Ministry.

*T. J. McCormick, Assistant Secretary.*

#### PLANNING (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1972

Notice is hereby given that the Ministry of Development, on behalf of the Secretary of State, and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Articles 11(2)(e) and 106 of the Planning (Northern Ireland) Order 1972 made an Order on 1st August, 1973, entitled the Planning (Use Classes) Order (Northern Ireland) 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 263).

This Order comes into force on 1st October, 1973, and specifies use classes for the purpose of Article 11(2)(e) of the Planning (Northern Ireland) Order 1972. By virtue of the said Article 11, the use of buildings or other land for any other purpose of the same class shall not be taken to involve development of land for which planning permission would be required.

Copies of the order may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

Notice is hereby given that the Ministry of Development, on behalf of the Secretary of State, and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Articles 14, 16, 23, 24, 31, 34, 64, 65, 70 and 106 of the Planning (Northern Ireland) Order 1972 made Regulations on 1st August, 1973, entitled the Planning (Listed Buildings) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 264).

These Regulations come into force on 1st October, 1973, and prescribe the manner in which applications for listed building consent under Part V of the Planning (Northern Ireland) Order 1972 are to be made. The Regulations also

deal with the making of claims for compensation arising from the application of listed building control and the serving of listed building purchase notices. Forms of notices are prescribed for notifying the owner and occupier of a building when it has become listed, or has ceased to be listed.

Copies of the regulations may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

Notice is hereby given that the Ministry of Development, on behalf of the Secretary of State, and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Articles 5, 10 and 106 of the Planning (Northern Ireland) Order 1972 made Regulations on 1st August, 1973, entitled the Planning (Development Plan) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 265).

These Regulations come into force on the 1st October, 1973, and make provision with respect to the form and content of development plans under Part III of the Planning (Northern Ireland) Order 1972, and with respect to the procedure to be followed in connection with their preparation and adoption. There is also provision for the procedure to be followed in connection with the alteration, repeal and replacement of development plans.

Copies of the regulations may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

Notice is hereby given that the Ministry of Development, on behalf of the Secretary of State, and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Articles 39, 66 and 106 of the Planning (Northern Ireland) Order 1972 made Regulations on the 15th August, 1973, entitled the Planning (Tree Preservation Order) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 273).

These Regulations come into force on 1st October, 1973, and prescribe the form of tree preservation orders and set out the procedure for making such orders.

Copies of the regulations may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

#### APPEAL UNDER THE PLANNING ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1931 TO 1971

*Proposed Development: Bungalow and Workshop at New Buildings South, Ballymoney*

Notice is hereby given that the appeal of Mr. Samuel McCollum against the decision of the Antrim County Council concerning the above-mentioned proposal will be heard by the Ministry on Friday, 21st September, 1973, in the Town Hall, Ballymoney, at 11.00 a.m.

### MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

#### THE IMPORTED FOOD (NORTHERN IRELAND) REGULATIONS 1968

*Denmark: Official Certificate*

The Ministry of Health and Social Services with the approval of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food gives notice that in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the Imported Food (Northern Ireland) Regulations 1968 it hereby restricts recognition of the Official Certificates reproduced in Part 1 of the First Schedule to the Notice published in the Belfast Gazette dated 21st February, 1969, and in the Schedule to the Notice published in the Belfast Gazette dated 31st August, 1973, for the importation of meat and meat products into Northern Ireland from Denmark to the extent shown in the Schedule hereto.

The Notice published in the Belfast Gazette dated 27th July, 1973, is hereby revoked.

## SCHEDULE

For meat: to Certificates completed by the insertion of one of the following establishment numbers:

10, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 44, 45, 47, 48, 50, 51, 53, 54, 55, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 65, 67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 84, 85, 89, 91, 95, 100, 105, 110, 126, 177, 178, 179, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 192, 194, 196, 197, 198, 199, 201, 202, 205, 208, 210, 211, 219, 229, 234, 235, 243, 250, 280, 284, 288, 300, 304, 305, 308, 311, 313, 314, 315, 318, 319, 320, 321, 327, 331, 333, 335, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 343, 352, 377, 378, 387, 398, 429, 457, 461, 463, 469.

For meat products: to Certificates completed by the insertion of one of the following establishment numbers:

15, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 38, 40, 45, 51, 53, 54, 65, 72, 78, 191, 202, 203, 205, 208, 210, 214, 215, 217, 219, 220, 221, 223, 229, 230, 237, 240, 250, 261, 273, 279, 285, 295, 304, 308, 315, 319, 340, 352, 372, 380.

For meat products (excluding canned meat): to Certificates completed by the insertion of one of the following establishment numbers:

10, 11, 12, 13, 17, 19, 20, 22, 26, 27, 34, 36, 37, 39, 41, 44, 47, 48, 50, 55, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 67, 68, 71, 75, 77, 79, 80, 81, 84, 85, 89, 91, 95, 100, 105, 110, 126, 174, 177, 178, 179, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 192, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 207, 209, 211, 213, 216, 218, 224, 225, 228, 231, 232, 234, 235, 236, 243, 249, 260, 270, 280, 284, 296, 300, 305, 311, 313, 314, 318, 320, 321, 327, 331, 333, 335, 337, 338, 339, 341, 343, 364, 377, 378, 386, 387, 396, 398, 400, 401, 404, 407, 417, 429, 432, 457, 461, 463, 469.

For minced or chopped meat other than liver (with or without the addition of any spices, cereal products, salt, flavouring vegetables or other ingredient): to Certificates completed by the insertion of the following establishment number:

284.

L.S. Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 29th day of August, 1973.

W. S. Long, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health and Social Services,  
Dundonald House,  
Belfast BT4 3SF.

## NOTE:

*Imports of meat and meat products (including poultry meat) into Northern Ireland are restricted or prohibited under Diseases of Animals legislation by the Ministry of Agriculture and applications for such importations must be made to that Ministry. Official Certificates for public health purposes in accordance with the Imported Food (Northern Ireland) Regulations, 1968, do not confer any exemption from these restrictions or prohibitions.*

## Italy: Official Certificate

The Ministry of Health and Social Services with the approval of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food gives notice that in exercise of the powers conferred on it by the Imported Food (Northern Ireland) Regulations 1968 it hereby recognises, subject to the conditions set out in the notice in the Belfast Gazette dated 8th September, 1972, the Official Certificate of the design shown in the Schedule hereto for the importation from Italy of meat (including bacon). The Official Certificate reproduced in the Schedule to the Notice in the Belfast Gazette dated 8th September, 1972, will continue to be recognised for the importation from Italy into Northern Ireland of meat products and bacon.

## SCHEDULE

A stamp in the form set out below:



The Certificate will be completed by the insertion of the number of the establishment.

L.S. Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 29th day of August, 1973.

W. S. Long, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health and Social Services,  
Dundonald House,  
Belfast BT4 3SF.

## NOTE:

*Imports of meat and meat products (including poultry meat) into Northern Ireland are restricted or prohibited under Diseases of Animals legislation by the Ministry of Agriculture and applications for such importations must be made to that Ministry. Official Certificates for public health purposes in accordance with the Imported Food (Northern Ireland) Regulations, 1968, do not confer any exemption from these restrictions or prohibitions.*

## FACTORIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1965

The Ministry of Health and Social Services in pursuance of the requirements of Section 115 of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 hereby publishes the following list of factory occupiers who, during the month ended 31st August, 1973, made application for and obtained Special Exemption Orders for limited periods from certain provisions of Part VI of the Act.

Airport Catering Services Ltd., Aldergrove Airport, Belfast.

Ambler of Ballyclare Ltd., Hillhead Road, Ballyclare, Co. Antrim.

Ballymoney Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Ballybrakes Road, Ballymoney, Co. Antrim.

Belfast Cables (A division of Reliance Cords & Cables Ltd.), Church Road, Newtownabbey, Co. Antrim.

Belfast Ropework Co. Ltd., Net & Twine Division, Annahilt, Hillsborough, Co. Down.

Belfast Ropework Co. Ltd., Connswater, Belfast BT4 1AN.

British Enkalon Ltd., Randalstown Road, Antrim, Co. Antrim.

Centralab Ltd., Greystone Road, Antrim, Co. Antrim.

Ceramic Products Ltd., 12 Ballycraig Road, Muckamore, Co. Antrim.

Edenderry Spinning Co. Ltd., 326 Crumlin Road, Belfast BT14 7EF.

Hicks Bullick and Co. Ltd., Mountain Mill, Ligoniel Road, Belfast BT14 8DL.

J. & T. M. Greeves Ltd., Herdmans Division, Sion Mills, Co. Tyrone.

J. & T. M. Greeves Ltd., Whitehouse Mills, Newtownabbey, Co. Antrim.

Reckitt and Colman, Canal Quay, Newry, Co. Down.

Short Brothers & Harland Ltd., Hawlmark Works, Corry Street, Newtownards, Co. Down.  
 Standard Telephones & Cables Ltd., Bay Road, Larne, Co. Antrim.  
 Standard Telephones & Cables Ltd., Doagh Road, Monkstown, Newtownabbey, Co. Antrim.  
 T.B.A. Industrial Products Ltd., Beechvalley Mill, Dungannon, Co. Tyrone.  
 The Old Bushmills Distillery Co. Ltd., The Distillery, Bushmills, Co. Antrim.  
 William Adams & Co. Ltd., 408-420 Donegall Road, Belfast BT12 6HC.

#### NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT 1972

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of powers conferred by paragraph 1 of Schedule 4 to the National Insurance Act 1972 and subsection (1)(a) of section 1 of the Northern Ireland (Temporary Provisions) Act 1972, the Secretary of State has made an order entitled the National Insurance (Commencement) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 269).

Copies of the order may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

#### NATIONAL INSURANCE AND SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT ACT 1973

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of powers conferred by paragraph 1 of Schedule 6 to the National Insurance and Supplementary Benefit Act 1973 and subsection (1)(a) of section 1 of the Northern Ireland (Temporary Provisions) Act 1972, the Secretary of State has made an order entitled the National Insurance, Industrial Injuries and Supplementary Benefit (Commencement) Order (Northern Ireland) 1973 (S.R.&O. 1973, No. 271).

Copies of the order may be purchased from the Government Bookshop, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 4JY.

### ANTRIM RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

#### THE CLEAN AIR ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1964

##### *Antrim Rural District Council (No. 3) Smoke Control Order 1973*

1. Notice is hereby given that the Antrim Rural District Council in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 11 of the above-mentioned Act on the 5th July, 1973, made an Order entitled the Antrim Rural District Council No. 3 Smoke Control Order 1973, declaring the area described in the schedule hereto, to be a smoke control area, which Order is about to be submitted to the Ministry of Development for confirmation.
2. Subject to the exemptions provided by the Order and by virtue of Section 11 of the Act, if, on any day after the Order has come into operation, smoke is emitted from a chimney of any building within the smoke control area the occupier of that building shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding £20 unless he proves that the emission of smoke was not caused by the use of any fuel other than an authorised fuel. The authorised fuels include Anthracite, Coke and other Carbonised Fuels, Gas and Electricity.
3. Copies of the Order (and of the Map referred to therein) may be inspected free of charge during normal office hours (Monday to Friday) at the offices of the Council, The Steeple, Antrim, during the period of six weeks which commence on 18th September, 1973.
4. Within the said period any person who will be affected by Order may by notice in writing to The Secretary, Ministry of Development, Stormont, Belfast BT4 3SS, object to the confirmation of the Order.

#### SCHEDULE

An area bounded on the North and West by Antrim No. 2 Smoke Control Area, on the East by the Ballycraig Road, and on the South by the main Belfast/Antrim Road.  
 Dated this 23rd day of August, 1973.

*S. J. Magee*, Clerk of Council.

The Steeple, Antrim.

### COUNTY BOROUGH OF BELFAST

#### GAS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1971

##### GAS (DECLARATION OF CALORIFIC VALUE) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1973

The Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Belfast, being Gas Undertakers within the meaning of the above-mentioned Act, hereby give notice that they intend to supply within the limits of their area of supply, and in bulk to the Bangor, Lisburn and Newtownards Gas Undertakings, gas of a calorific value of 475 British Thermal Units per cubic foot gross as and from the 1st day of October, 1973, until further notice.

*David Jamison*, Town Clerk.

### CARRICKFERGUS DISTRICT COUNCIL

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT (N.I.) 1972

Notice is hereby given that the Carrickfergus District Council at a meeting held on 12th June, 1973, resolved that the Charter of the Corporation of the Borough of Carrickfergus shall have effect in relation to the District of Carrickfergus in accordance with the provisions of Section 132(2) of the Local Government Act (N.I.) 1972.

*Raymond Boyd*, Clerk to the Council.

30th August, 1973.

### CRAIGAVON DISTRICT COUNCIL

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1972

Notice is hereby given that at the meeting of the above Council held on Monday, 20th August, 1973, the under-noted resolution was passed:

"That in accordance with the provisions of Section 132 of the Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972 the Charter of the Borough of Lurgan shall, from the first day of October, 1973, have effect in relation to the local government district of Craigavon, which said district shall thereafter become the Municipal Borough of Craigavon".

*Joseph Johnston*, Chairman

*William J. Mayes*, Clerk

### LISBURN DISTRICT COUNCIL

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1972

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 132(8) of the Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972, that the Lisburn District Council, at Meeting held on 21st August, 1973, Resolved:

That, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 132(2) of the Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972, the Charter of Incorporation of the Borough Council of Lisburn shall have effect in relation to the District of Lisburn.

*H. A. Duff*, Clerk of Council

30th August, 1973.  
 c/o Council Offices,  
 54 Harmony Hill,  
 Lisburn.

## POST OFFICE

## SCHEME P6/1973

NOTE: The Scheme which follows this note is made under section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969 and amends the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Scheme 1971. The amending Scheme, which comes into operation on 10th September, 1973, provides for:

1. Postage rates generally to be revised.
2. The number of specified countries or places to which concessionary postage rates are applied to be decreased.
3. The conditions of acceptance for reduced rate printed papers to be amended.

(This note is not part of the Scheme)

THE POST OFFICE OVERSEAS LETTER POST AMENDMENT  
(No. 5) SCHEME 1973

Made 21st August, 1973

Coming into operation 10th September, 1973

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

*Commencement, citation and interpretation*

1.—(1) This Scheme shall come into operation on the 10th day of September, 1973, and may be cited as the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No. 5) Scheme 1973.

(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Scheme 1971 (Post Office Scheme P7/1971) (hereinafter called "the Scheme") as amended by the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P2/1972), The Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No. 2) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P6/1972), the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No. 3) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P8/1972) and the Post Office Overseas Letter Post Amendment (No. 4) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P2/1973).

(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 the Post Office Act 1953 (as amended) were an Act conferring the power to make this Scheme.

*Reduced rate printed packets*

2. For sub-paragraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of paragraph 6(2) of the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

"(a) any newspaper or other periodical publication which complies with the following conditions:

- (i) It is printed and published in the British Postal Area;
- (ii) it is issued in consecutive numbers at intervals of not more than one year;
- (iii) it consists only of paper or of some substance ordinarily used for printing publications;
- (iv) it is not in the nature of current and personal correspondence and at least one third of the publication consists of articles of a literary character (with or without publicity or advertising matter);
- (v) the full title, and the date, month or year of issue, or an indication of the frequency of issue, are conspicuously printed on the cover (or, in the absence of a cover, at the top of the first page) and on every detached sheet, page or piece of paper which is issued as part of such newspaper or publication;

(b) any book;

(c) any pamphlets, which expression for this purpose means short printed publications or works of a literary character whether or not enclosed within covers;

(d) any musical scores;

(e) any maps;"

3. For paragraph 5 of the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

*"Letters and postcards other than air mail packets*

5.—(1) Postage at the rates specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1 shall be charged and paid on letters and postcards:

- (a) posted in the British postal area for transmission to a person in any of the countries or places specified in Part 1 of Schedule 2;
- (b) posted on board a ship registered in any part of the British postal area while the ship is on the high seas, for transmission to a person in any of the countries or places specified in Part 1 or Part 2 of Schedule 2;

(2) Postage at the rates specified in Part 2 of Schedule 1 shall be charged and paid on letters and postcards posted in the British postal area, or posted on board a ship registered in any part of the British postal area while the ship is on the high seas:

- (i) for transmission to a person on board ship of the Royal Navy (whether on the high seas or in any port or place outside the British postal area); or
- (ii) for transmission to a member of the armed forces of the United Kingdom or of any other Commonwealth country serving outside the British postal area with the armed forces of the United Kingdom or of any other Commonwealth country, being transmission through a British Forces' Post Office or a civilian Postal Administration in any Commonwealth or foreign country which has agreed to deliver without surcharge letters and postcards at the said rates.

(3) Postage at the rates specified in Part 3 of Schedule 1 shall be charged and paid on all other outgoing letters and postcards.

(4) This paragraph does not apply to air mail packets."

*Postage on air mail packets*

4. For sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph 10 of the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

"10.—(1) There shall be charged and paid:

- (a) on every air letter of the smaller size, postage of 6p;
- (b) on every air letter of the larger size, postage of 7p;
- (c) on every Forces air letter, postage of 3p;
- (d) on other air mail packets, postage at the rate specified in Schedule 4."

*Surface mail postage rates*

5.—(1) For Part 1 of Schedule 1 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

" PART 1

*Rates of postage under paragraph 5(1)*

1. Letter:
 

not exceeding 1 oz. in weight	3½p
exceeding 1 oz. but not exceeding 2 oz. in weight	7p
exceeding 2 oz. but not exceeding 4 oz. in weight	12p
exceeding 4 oz. but not exceeding 8 oz. in weight	20p
exceeding 8 oz. but not exceeding 1 lb. in weight	35p
exceeding 1 lb. but not exceeding 2 lb. in weight	60p
exceeding 2 lb. but not exceeding 4 lb. in weight	100p
2. Postcard

—(2) For Part 2 of Schedule 1 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

" PART 2

*Rates of postage under paragraph 5(2)*

1. Letter:
 

not exceeding 1 oz. in weight	3½p
exceeding 1 oz. but not exceeding 2 oz. in weight	5p

exceeding 2 oz. but not exceeding 4 oz. in weight	7½p
exceeding 4 oz. but not exceeding 8 oz. in weight	10p
exceeding 8 oz. but not exceeding 1 lb. in weight	20p
exceeding 1 lb. but not exceeding 2 lb. in weight	35p
exceeding 2 lb. but not exceeding 4 lb. in weight	70p

2. Postcard ..... 3½p "

—(3) For Part 3 of Schedule 1 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

#### PART 3

##### *Rates of postage under paragraph 5(3)*

##### 1. Letter:

not exceeding 1 oz. in weight	5½p
exceeding 1 oz. but not exceeding 2 oz. in weight	11p
exceeding 2 oz. but not exceeding 4 oz. in weight	15p
exceeding 4 oz. but not exceeding 8 oz. in weight	30p
exceeding 8 oz. but not exceeding 1 lb. in weight	55p
exceeding 1 lb. but not exceeding 2 lb. in weight	90p
exceeding 2 lb. but not exceeding 4 lb. in weight	1.50p

2. Postcard ..... 4p "

##### *Schedule of Commonwealth Countries*

6.—In part 1 of Schedule 2 to the Scheme, the following names shall be deleted:

Australia and its overseas and Trust Territories, viz.: Lord Howe Island, Norfolk Island, Papua and the Trust Territories of New Guinea, Cocos-Keeling Islands and Christmas Island; British Solomon Islands Protectorate; British Virgin Islands; Canada; India; Jamaica; Lesotho; Nigeria; Singapore; Sri Lanka; Trinidad and Tobago; Zambia.

##### *Other rates of postage*

7.—(1) For Part 1 of Schedule 3 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

#### PART 1

##### *Rates of postage under paragraphs 6 and 7(1)*

##### (a) Printed packet (other than an All-up Newspaper):

not exceeding 1 oz. in weight	2p
exceeding 1 oz. but not exceeding 2 oz. in weight	2½p
exceeding 2 oz. but not exceeding 4 oz. in weight	3p
exceeding 4 oz. but not exceeding 8 oz. in weight	4½p
exceeding 8 oz. but not exceeding 1 lb. in weight	8p
exceeding 1 lb. but not exceeding 2 lb. in weight	15p
exceeding 2 lb. but not exceeding 4 lb. in weight	28p

##### (b) Printed packet complying with paragraph 15 (1)(b):

exceeding 4 lb. but not exceeding 5 lb. in weight	34p
exceeding 5 lb. but not exceeding 7 lb. in weight	46p
exceeding 7 lb. but not exceeding 9 lb. in weight	58p
exceeding 9 lb. but not exceeding 11 lb. in weight	70p "

(2) For paragraph 2 of Part 3 of Schedule 3 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

##### "2. Small packet:

not exceeding 4 oz. in weight	6p
exceeding 4 oz. but not exceeding 8 oz. in weight	12p
exceeding 8 oz. but not exceeding 1 lb. in weight	20p

exceeding 1 lb. but not exceeding 2 lb. in weight	36p "
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(3) For Part 4 of Schedule 3 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

#### PART 4

##### *Rates of postage under paragraph 9*

##### Insured box:

not exceeding 8 oz. in weight	20p
exceeding 8 oz. but not exceeding 1 lb. in weight	32p
exceeding 1 lb. but not exceeding 2 lb. in weight	64p "

##### *Rates of postage on air mail packets*

8. For parts 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 4 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

#### PART 1

##### 1. Letter to Zone A:

6p for the first ½ oz. and 5p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

##### 2. Letter to Zone B:

8p for the first ½ oz. and 7p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

##### 3. Letter to Zone C:

10p for the first ½ oz. and 9p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

4. Postcard to Zone A ..... 4p

5. Postcard to Zone B ..... 5p

6. Postcard to Zone C ..... 6p

#### PART 2

##### 1. Printed Packet, Small Packet, Insured Box to Zone A:

3p for the first ½ oz., and 2½p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

##### 2. Printed Packet, Small Packet, Insured Box to Zone B:

4p for the first ½ oz., and 3½p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

##### 3. Printed Packet, Small Packet, Insured Box to Zone C:

5p for the first ½ oz., and 4½p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

##### 4. Registered newspaper or periodical to Zone A:

2p for the first ½ oz., and 1½p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

##### 5. Registered newspaper or periodical to Zone B:

2½p for the first ½ oz., and 2p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

##### 6. Registered newspaper or periodical to Zone C:

3p for the first ½ oz., and 2½p for each additional ½ oz. or part of ½ oz. in weight

##### 7. Packet consisting of or containing only literature for the blind to Zone A, to Zone B or to Zone C:

1p for each 2 oz. or part of 2 oz. in weight.

#### PART 3

*Postal packets posted as mentioned in paragraph 5(2) for transmission to a person on board a ship of the Royal Navy or a member of the United Kingdom or certain other armed forces in accordance with paragraph 5(2) (i) or (ii) (as appropriate):*

##### 1. Letter:

(a) not exceeding 1½ oz. in weight ..... 3½p

(b) exceeding 1½ oz. in weight:  
for the first 1½ oz. .... 3½p  
next ½ oz. .... 2½p  
each subsequent ½ oz. .... 3p

2. Postcard ..... 3½p

##### 3. Printed Packet:

2½p for each oz. or part of 1 oz. in weight

##### 4. Small Packet:

2½p for each oz. or part of 1 oz. in weight "

Dated 21st August, 1973.

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by A. G. Brown (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

## POST OFFICE SCHEME P7/1973

NOTE. The Scheme which follows this note is made under Section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969 and will come into operation on 10th September, 1973. The Scheme amends the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Scheme 1971 by making amendments to Schedule 1, which sets out the rates of postage on all parcels, and by modifying the conditions concerning postal parcels in bond awaiting Customs clearance.

(This note is not part of the Scheme).

## THE POST OFFICE OVERSEAS PARCEL POST AMENDMENT (No. 5) SCHEME 1973

Made 21st August, 1973

Coming into operation 10th September, 1973

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

*Commencement, citation and interpretation*

1.—(1) This Scheme shall come into operation on the 10th day of September, 1973, and may be cited as the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 5) Scheme 1973.

(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Scheme 1971 (Post Office Scheme P8/1971) (hereinafter called "the Scheme") as amended by the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P3/1972), the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 2) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P5/1972), the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 3) Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P9/1972) and the Post Office Overseas Parcel Post Amendment (No. 4) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P3/1973).

(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 the Post Office Act 1953 (as amended) were an Act conferring the power to make this Scheme.

*Rates of Postage on parcels*

2.—For Part 1 of Schedule 1 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following:—

Postage chargeable under paragraph 5(1) of outgoing parcels according to destination and weight

"Paragraph 5

## SCHEDULE 1

## RATES OF POSTAGE ON PARCELS

## PART 1

Country or place of destination	Parcels other than Air Parcels				Air Parcels	
	Weight not exceeding				Weight:	
					not exceeding 1 lb. or (if greater) first lb.	each additional lb. (or part)
	2 lb. £	7 lb. £	11 lb. £	22 lb. £	£	£
Abu Dhabi	0.80	1.10	1.60	2.50	1.05	0.40
Afghanistan:						
direct	1.30	1.75	2.25	3.75}	1.30	0.50
via U.S.S.R.	1.25	1.75	2.45	4.20}		
Ajman	1.10	1.45	2.00	2.95	no service	
Albania	1.10	1.45	2.10	3.25	0.90	0.20
Algeria	0.95	1.25	1.65	2.55	1.00	0.25
Andorra						
via France	0.90	1.05	1.35	2.00	1.20	0.10
via Spain	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.30	0.85	0.20
Antigua	1.10	1.35	1.90	2.45	1.25	0.45
Argentina	1.10	1.45	1.95	2.95	1.65	0.85
Ascension	0.65	0.90	1.25	1.85	no service	
Australia	0.95	1.45	2.00	2.95	1.60	1.20
Austria	0.85	1.10	1.50	2.25	0.75	0.15
Azores	0.80	1.10	1.50	2.35	0.85	0.20
Bahamas	0.80	1.10	1.50	2.35	1.20	0.50
Bahrain	1.15	1.50	2.15	2.90	1.25	0.40
Bangladesh	0.95	1.40	1.80	2.85	1.25	0.55
Barbados	0.90	1.15	1.60	2.45	1.25	0.50
Belgium	0.80	1.00	1.40	2.10	0.90	0.10
Belize (formerly British Honduras)	0.80	1.10	1.50	2.35	1.30	0.55
Bermuda	0.80	1.05	1.45	2.10	1.00	0.40
Bhutan	1.10	1.50	2.10	3.45	1.60	0.75
Bolivia	1.00	1.45	2.10	3.35	1.45	0.80
Botswana						
(a) all places except Kazungula and Kasane	0.85	1.30	1.95	3.05}	1.30	0.65
(b) Kazungula and Kasane	1.05	1.40	2.05	3.20}		
Brazil	1.45	1.80	2.35	3.35	1.75	0.65
British Antarctic Territory—see Falkland Islands Dependencies						
British Indian Ocean Territory	0.75	1.00	1.45	2.15	no service	
British Honduras—see Belize						
British Solomon Islands	1.10	1.65	2.45	3.70	1.90	1.20
British Virgin Islands (Tortola)	0.90	1.25	1.75	2.50	1.20	0.55

Country or place of destination	Parcels other than Air Parcels				Air Parcels	
	Weight not exceeding				Weight:	
	2 lb. £	7 lb. £	11 lb. £	22 lb. £	not exceeding 1 lb. or (if greater) first lb. £	each additional lb. (or part) £
Brunei	1.30	1.70	2.35	3.40	1.80	0.80
Bulgaria	1.10	1.50	2.15	3.45	0.90	0.20
Burma	0.95	1.25	1.75	2.70	1.50	0.70
Burundi	1.15	1.60	2.20	3.40	1.25	0.50
Cambodia—see Khmer Republic						
Cameroon	1.05	1.35	1.90	2.85	1.10	0.45
Canada	0.85	1.25	1.90	2.85	1.15	0.45
Canary Islands	0.90	1.10	1.45	2.20	0.85	0.20
Cape Verde Islands	1.00	1.30	1.80	2.80	1.05	0.35
Caroline Islands	1.05	1.90	3.15	5.45	1.90	1.15
Cayman Islands	1.10	1.75	2.70	4.65	1.20	0.55
Central African Republic	1.15	1.50	2.35	3.55	1.10	0.45
Chad	1.00	1.30	2.05	3.30	1.05	0.45
Chile	1.00	1.35	1.90	2.90	1.65	0.85
China via U.S.S.R.	1.00	1.60	2.45	4.00	1.30	0.65
Christmas Island (Indian Ocean)	0.95	1.45	2.00	2.95	no service	
Christmas Island (Pacific Ocean)—see Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony						
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	0.95	1.45	2.00	2.95	1.60	1.20
Colombia	1.20	1.55	2.25	3.75	1.70	0.70
Comoro Islands	1.15	1.55	2.15	3.50	1.35	0.65
Congo (People's Republic)	0.90	1.25	1.85	2.95	1.05	0.45
Cook (or Hervey Islands—see New Zealand Territories						
Corsica	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.35	1.20	0.10
Costa Rica	1.05	1.40	2.05	3.20	1.40	0.60
Cuba						
(a) direct to all places except Guantanamo Bay	0.85	1.10	1.50	2.30	1.35	0.70
(b) Guantanamo Bay (U.S. Naval Station) via U.S.A.	1.05	1.90	3.15	5.45		
Curacao	0.85	1.15	1.65	2.60	1.20	0.60
Cyprus	1.00	1.20	1.55	2.35	1.10	0.25
Czechoslovakia	0.95	1.25	1.75	2.70	0.85	0.15
Dahomey	1.15	1.55	2.10	3.30	1.50	0.60
Denmark						
direct	0.70	0.90	1.20	1.70	0.80	0.10
via Netherlands	0.80	1.05	1.45	2.30	0.80	0.10
Dominica	0.80	1.05	1.45	2.25	1.15	0.55
Dominican Republic	0.85	1.15	1.60	2.35	1.20	0.55
Dubai	0.95	1.35	1.90	2.85	1.20	0.40
Ecuador	1.05	1.40	1.95	2.90	1.45	0.65
Egypt (Arab Republic of)	0.90	1.20	1.60	2.50	1.05	0.30
El Salvador	1.15	1.50	2.00	2.95	1.60	0.60
Equatorial Guinea	0.90	1.20	1.75	2.70	1.15	0.45
Ethiopia	1.05	1.45	2.10	3.30	1.30	0.50
Falkland Islands and Dependencies	0.80	1.10	1.55	2.35	1.35	0.75
Faroe Islands	0.70	0.90	1.20	1.70	0.80	1.10
Fiji	0.95	1.35	1.90	2.85	1.80	1.10
Finland	0.85	1.15	1.50	2.25	0.90	0.20
France	0.90	1.05	1.35	2.00	1.20	0.10
French Guiana	0.95	1.25	1.80	2.75	1.30	0.60
French Polynesia	1.15	1.75	2.65	4.25	2.15	1.25
French Territory of the Afars and Issas (formerly French Somali Coast)	1.00	1.30	1.85	2.85	1.10	0.45
French West Indies (Guadeloupe and Martinique)	0.95	1.25	1.80	2.70	1.25	0.50
Fujairah	1.10	1.45	2.00	2.95	no service	
Gabon	0.95	1.50	2.25	3.25	1.25	0.50
Gambia	1.00	1.35	1.75	2.40	1.15	0.40
Gaza and Khan Yunis	0.95	1.30	1.90	2.75	1.05	0.30
German Federal Republic and Western Sections of Berlin	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.35	0.80	0.15
German Democratic Republic and East Berlin	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.35	0.80	0.15
Ghana	1.00	1.35	1.85	2.80	1.30	0.40
Gibraltar	0.70	1.00	1.35	1.95	0.80	0.15
Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony, including Line Islands (Fanning, Christmas (Pacific Ocean) and Washington Islands), Ocean Islands and Phoenix Islands	0.90	1.50	2.15	3.40	1.70	1.15
Greece						
direct	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.55	0.95	0.25
via Belgium	1.10	1.45	2.10	3.35		



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	Weight not exceeding				Weight:	
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Greenland						
by sea to Denmark	0.70	0.90	1.20	1.70}		
via Netherlands to Denmark	0.80	1.05	1.45	2.30}	0.95	0.35
Grenada	0.90	1.20	1.75	2.45	1.35	0.55
Guatemala	0.95	1.30	1.80	2.75	1.40	0.60
Guinea	0.95	1.30	1.85	2.85	1.20	0.50
Guyana	1.10	1.40	1.95	2.85	1.45	0.50
Haiti	0.80	1.10	1.55	2.45	1.30	0.60
Honduras (Republic of)	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.60	1.35	0.60
Hong Kong	0.80	1.05	1.50	2.35	1.25	0.65
Hungary	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.65	0.90	0.15
Iceland	0.85	1.00	1.30	1.90	0.85	0.20
India	1.05	1.40	1.90	2.90	1.40	0.60
Indonesia	0.95	1.25	1.70	2.60	1.60	0.85
Iran	1.05	1.65	2.45	4.00	1.00	0.35
Iraq						
via Lebanon	1.15	1.70	2.40	4.00}		
all sea route	1.00	1.45	1.95	3.05}	1.15	0.35
Israel	0.95	1.30	1.90	2.75	1.05	0.30
Italy	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.30	0.95	0.15
Ivory Coast	0.90	1.25	1.80	2.75	1.20	0.50
Jamaica	1.00	1.35	1.80	2.55	1.45	0.50
Japan (Islands of Honshu, Kyushu, Shikoku and Hokkaido only) and Ryukyu Islands						
direct	1.10	1.40	1.90	2.90}		
via U.S.S.R.	1.45	2.20	3.25	5.25}	1.50	0.65
Jordan						
direct	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.60}		
via Lebanon and Syria	1.00	1.30	1.75	2.80}	1.05	0.30
Kenya	0.95	1.35	1.95	2.85	1.25	0.50
Khmer Republic (formerly Cambodia)	0.95	1.35	1.90	2.85	1.40	0.70
Korea	1.00	1.40	2.00	3.25	1.40	0.75
Kuwait						
direct	0.95	1.30	1.85	2.85}		
via Lebanon	1.25	1.75	2.45	4.25}	1.05	0.35
Laos	1.10	1.50	2.10	3.40	1.45	0.70
Lebanon	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.60	1.05	0.30
Lesotho	1.15	1.60	2.35	3.50	1.55	0.65
Liberia	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.55	1.15	0.45
Libyan Arab Republic (Cyrenaica, Tripolitania and the Fezzan)	0.90	1.15	1.60	2.45	1.05	0.30
Leichtenstein	0.75	1.00	1.35	2.00	0.70	0.10
Luxembourg	0.80	1.00	1.40	2.05	0.70	0.10
Macao	0.95	1.30	1.85	3.05	1.35	0.65
Madeira	0.80	1.00	1.35	2.05	0.85	0.20
Malagasy Republic (formerly Madagascar)	1.05	1.50	2.20	3.50	1.35	0.65
Malawi						
via Beira	0.90	1.20	1.75	2.80}		
via Capetown	1.30	1.90	2.80	4.50}	1.30	0.60
Malaya	0.80	1.10	1.60	2.40	1.30	0.75
Maldives (Republic of)	1.00	1.45	2.15	3.40	1.20	0.60
Mali	1.10	1.55	2.30	3.95	1.20	0.40
Malta	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.35	0.90	0.20
Marian Islands	1.05	1.90	3.15	5.45	1.90	1.15
Marqueas Islands—see French Polynesia						
Marshall Islands	1.00	1.75	2.90	4.95	1.90	1.15
Mauritania	0.95	1.30	1.85	3.05	1.20	0.55
Mauritius (including Rodriguez Island)	0.85	1.20	1.70	2.65	1.35	0.70
Mexico						
all places except Chetumal	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.55}		
Chetumal	1.05	1.35	1.80	2.65}	1.35	0.65
Monaco	0.90	1.05	1.35	2.00	1.20	0.10
Mongolia		no service			no service	
Montserrat	0.80	1.05	1.55	2.25	1.20	0.55
Morocco	0.85	1.20	1.60	2.55	0.90	0.20
Nauru Island	0.95	1.45	2.05	3.35	1.65	1.15
Nepal	1.00	1.40	2.00	3.15	1.15	0.55
Netherlands	0.75	0.95	1.30	1.95	0.80	0.10

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Netherlands Antilles	0.85	1.15	1.65	2.60	1.20	0.60
New Caledonia	1.15	1.60	2.30	3.70	2.05	1.15
New Hebrides (including Banks and Torres Islands)	1.15	1.60	2.30	3.70	1.85	1.10
New Zealand	1.00	1.35	1.90	2.85	1.90	1.20
New Zealand Island Territories	1.00	1.35	1.90	2.85	2.15	1.45
Nicaragua	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.50	1.35	0.65
Nigeria	1.05	1.40	1.90	2.75	1.25	0.40
Niger Republic	1.15	1.60	2.40	4.10	1.00	0.40
Norfolk Island	0.95	1.45	2.00	2.95	1.60	1.20
Norway	1.00	1.20	1.55	2.20	1.00	0.15
Oman (Sultanate of)	0.95	1.35	1.90	2.85	1.05	0.40
Pakistan	0.95	1.40	1.80	2.85	1.25	0.55
Panama (Republic of)	0.95	1.25	1.70	2.65	1.40	0.60
Panama Canal Zone	0.75	1.25	1.95	3.10	1.20	0.65
Papua New Guinea	0.95	1.45	2.00	2.95	1.60	1.20
Paraguay	1.00	1.45	2.10	3.30	1.45	0.70
Peru	1.20	1.50	2.00	2.90	1.75	0.75
Philippines	0.85	1.15	1.60	2.25	1.35	0.75
Pitcairn Island	0.75	1.10	1.65	2.55	1.75	1.15
Poland	0.85	1.05	1.40	2.05	0.85	0.15
Portugal	0.80	1.00	1.35	2.10	0.85	0.20
Portuguese East Africa	1.00	1.35	1.90	3.00	1.30	0.70
Portuguese Timor	1.00	1.40	1.95	3.25	1.70	0.95
Portuguese West Africa						
Provinces of Angola and the Islands of						
Principe and Sao Tome	0.95	1.30	1.85	2.90	1.25	0.55
Portuguese Guinea	0.95	1.30	1.85	2.90	1.10	0.40
Puerto Rico	0.85	1.40	2.25	3.75	1.20	0.60
Qatar (State of)	0.85	1.25	1.75	2.65	1.05	0.40
Ras Al Khaimah	1.10	1.45	2.00	2.95	no service	
Reunion	1.00	1.30	1.90	2.90	1.40	0.65
Rhodesia						
via Beira	0.75	1.05	1.60	2.50		
via Capetown	1.00	1.55	2.30	3.55	1.15	0.65
Romania	1.05	1.40	1.95	3.15	0.90	0.20
Rwanda	1.05	1.50	2.10	3.25	1.15	0.50
Sabah	0.80	1.10	1.60	2.40	1.40	0.80
St. Helena	0.80	1.05	1.50	2.30	no service	
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	0.65	0.95	1.40	2.10	1.05	0.50
St. Lucia	0.85	1.15	1.55	2.10	1.30	0.55
St. Pierre and Miquelon	1.15	1.60	2.30	3.80	1.15	0.45
St. Vincent	0.85	1.10	1.60	2.20	1.30	0.55
Samoa (U.S.A. Territory)	1.05	1.90	3.15	5.45	1.90	1.15
San Marino	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.30	0.95	0.15
Sarawak	0.80	1.10	1.60	2.40	1.40	0.80
Saudi Arabia	0.95	1.30	1.85	2.85	1.10	0.45
Senegal	0.90	1.20	1.65	2.55	1.20	0.45
Seychelles	0.75	1.00	1.45	2.15	1.15	0.50
Sharjah	1.30	1.70	2.30	3.35	1.50	0.40
Sierra Leone	1.00	1.35	1.90	2.75	1.20	0.45
Singapore	0.80	1.10	1.60	2.40	1.30	0.75
Somali Democratic Republic	1.00	1.35	1.90	2.95	1.30	0.55
South Africa (Republic of)						
(a) Republic of South Africa	0.75	1.15	1.70	2.55	1.30	0.70
(b) South West Africa	0.75	1.15	1.70	2.55	1.45	0.70
Spain (including Balearic Islands)	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.30	0.85	0.20
Spanish Guinea (Rio Muni and Fernando Po)— see Equatorial Guinea						
Spanish Territories of North Africa (Ceuta, Chafarinas, Jadu and Melilla)	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.30	0.95	0.20
Spanish West Africa	0.95	1.25	1.80	2.90	1.05	0.30
Spitzbergen (Svalbard)	1.00	1.20	1.55	2.20	no service	
Sri Lanka	0.95	1.35	1.95	3.00	1.40	0.60
Sudan (Democratic Republic of)	1.10	1.50	2.15	3.50	1.20	0.45
Surinam	0.80	1.05	1.50	2.30	1.20	0.55
Swaziland	0.80	1.40	2.20	3.45	1.20	0.65
Sweden	1.00	1.20	1.50	2.15	0.85	0.15
Switzerland	0.75	1.00	1.35	2.00	0.70	0.10
Syria	0.85	1.15	1.55	2.45	1.00	0.30

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	Weight not exceeding				Weight:	
	2 lb. £	7 lb. £	11 lb. £	22 lb. £	not exceeding 1 lb. or (if greater) first lb. £	each additional lb. (or part) £
Twaiwan (Formosa)	0.95	1.30	1.85	3.05	1.45	0.85
Tanzania	0.95	1.35	1.95	2.85	1.30	0.55
Thailand	1.05	1.40	1.95	3.10	1.50	0.70
Tibet		no service			no service	
Togo	1.15	1.50	2.20	3.45	1.25	0.55
Tonga	1.20	1.65	2.35	3.60	1.90	1.15
Trinidad and Tobago	0.90	1.15	1.55	2.15	1.25	0.50
Tristan da Cunha	0.80	1.40	2.15	3.40	1.30	0.70
Tunisia	0.85	1.15	1.55	2.45	0.85	0.20
Turkey						
direct	0.95	1.25	1.75	2.70		
via Belgium	1.15	1.60	2.35	3.80	1.05	0.25
Turks and Caicos Islands	0.90	1.50	2.30	3.90	1.15	0.55
Uganda	0.95	1.35	1.95	2.85	1.25	0.50
Umm Al Quaiwain	1.10	1.45	2.00	2.95		no service
U.S.S.R.						
in Europe	0.85	1.10	1.50	2.45	1.05	0.35
in Asia	1.10	1.50	2.05	3.45	1.30	0.40
U.S.A.	0.85	1.40	2.25	3.75	1.00	0.55
Upper Volta	1.00	1.40	2.10	3.60	1.25	0.50
Uruguay	0.95	1.30	1.80	2.80	1.40	0.75
Vatican City State	0.80	1.00	1.40	2.20	0.95	0.15
Venezuela	1.10	1.40	1.85	2.75	1.50	0.60
Vietnam	1.00	1.40	1.95	3.10	1.50	0.75
Virgin Islands of the U.S.A. (St. Croix, St. John and St. Thomas)	0.85	1.35	2.15	3.55	1.25	0.60
Wake Island	1.00	1.75	2.90	4.95	1.70	0.95
Western Samoa						
via U.S.A.	1.05	1.70	2.65	4.55		
via New Zealand	0.95	1.40	2.05	3.30	1.85	1.15
Yemen (Arab Republic)	1.00	1.35	1.90	3.05	1.25	0.40
Yemen (People's Democratic Republic)	0.95	1.30	1.85	2.85	1.25	0.45
Yugoslavia	1.00	1.30	1.85	2.95	0.90	0.20
Zaire (Republic)	0.95	1.55	2.45	4.00	1.15	0.55
Zambia via Beira	1.25	1.65	2.35	3.60	1.45	0.65

3. For Part 2 of Schedule 1 to the Scheme, there shall be substituted the following:

**"PART 2**

Postage chargeable under paragraph 5(2) on certain outgoing parcels according to weight.

Weight not exceeding:

2 lb.	25p
7 lb.	35p
11 lb.	43p
22 lb.	70p

**Parcels in bond**

4. (1) For sub-paragraph (5) of paragraph 26 of the Scheme there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:

"(5) With respect to the clearance through customs of a parcel or parcels stored in bond, the Post Office may charge a fee as follows:

(a) Where a parcel or parcels are stored for a period not exceeding 28 days, the fee shall be 75p for each parcel, except where two or more parcels are posted simultaneously by a sender to the same addressee, when the fee shall be—

(i) Where there are not more than 5 parcels:  
75p for each parcel

(ii) Where there are more than 5 parcels but not more than 30:  
75p for each of the first 5 parcels and then 50p for each additional parcel

(iii) Where there are more than 30 parcels:  
for the first 30 parcels the fee for each as in (ii) and then 25p for each additional parcel.

(b) Where a parcel or parcels are stored for a period of more than 28 days, the fee for each parcel shall be as in (a) with an additional sum for each parcel calculated at the rate of 5p for each working day (or residual part of such day) of storage after the first 28 days."

(2) for sub-paragraph (6) of paragraph 26 of the Scheme there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:

"(6) The fees charged under sub-paragraph (5) of this paragraph with respect to each parcel (other than a parcel which is returned to its sender) shall be paid by the addressee if the parcel shall be delivered to him, or by the original addressee if the parcel shall be re-addressed in accordance with sub-paragraph (1) (c) or (d) of this paragraph."

Dated 21st August, 1973.

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by A. G. Brown (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

## POST OFFICE SCHEME P8/73

NOTE: The new Scheme which follows this note revokes the Money Order Regulations 1967 (S.I. 1967 No. 801) which have effect by virtue of paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to the Post Office Act 1969 as if they were provisions of a scheme made under section 28 of that Act, together with the Post Office (Money Order) Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1969, the Post Office (Money Order) Amendment (No. 2) Scheme 1971 and the Post Office (Money Order) Amendment (No. 3) Scheme 1973. The new Scheme, which will come into operation on 10th September, 1973, consolidates the provisions of those Regulations and Schemes with amendments. The principal changes are:

1. the abolition of the inland ordinary money order service;
2. an increase of the fees payable on inland telegraph and overseas ordinary money orders.

(This note is not part of the Scheme)

## THE POST OFFICE (MONEY ORDER) SCHEME 1973

Made 24th August, 1973

Coming into operation 10th September 1973

The Post Office, by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by sections 28 and 70(7) of, and paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to, the Post Office Act 1969, and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, hereby makes the following Scheme:

## PART I

## INTERPRETATION AND GENERAL

*Commencement and Citation*

1.—This Scheme shall come into operation on the 10th day of September, 1973, and may be cited as the Post Office (Money Order) Scheme 1973.

*Revocation*

2.—The Money Order Regulations 1967 (S.I. 1967 No. 801), the Post Office (Money Order) Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1969, the Post Office (Money Order) Amendment (No. 2) Scheme 1971 and the Post Office (Money Order) Amendment (No. 3) Scheme 1973 are hereby revoked.

*Interpretation*

3.—(1) In this Scheme, except in so far as the contrary is provided or the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them:

"inland money order" means a money order applied for, issued and payable at a money order office in the United Kingdom;

"money order arrangement" means such an arrangement as is referred to in Section 24 of the Post Office Act 1953, as amended by the Post Office Act 1969;

"money order office" means a post office at which money orders may be applied for, issued, or paid, under the directions of the Post Office;

"office of payment" means the post office at which a money order is made payable;

"officer" means a person engaged in the business of the Post Office;

"ordinary money order" means a money order other than a telegraph money order;

"oversea money order" means a money order applied for at a money order office in the United Kingdom and payable at some place outside the United Kingdom not being in the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or the Republic of Ireland;

"postmaster" means any officer in charge of or transacting business with reference to money orders at a money order office;

"prescribed" means prescribed by the Post Office;

"the Scheduled Territories" means the territories from time to time specified in the First Schedule to the Exchange Control Act 1947, but does not include the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man;

"telegraph money order" means a money order the particulars of which are transmitted to the office of payment by telegraph.

(2) 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 and the Regulations and Schemes hereby revoked were Acts of Parliament.

## PART II

## ORDINARY AND TELEGRAPH MONEY ORDERS

*Application for and issue of money orders*

4.—The following rules shall apply to applications for and the issue of ordinary money orders:

(1) Application for the order shall be made on the prescribed form.

(2) The remitter shall give all such information as to his own name and address, the name and address of the payee, and the office at which the order is to be made payable, as the Post Office may direct.

(3) No inland money order will be issued as an ordinary money order.

(4) No oversea money order for an amount exceeding £50 or such lesser sum as may be specified in the relative money order arrangement may be applied for.

(5) No money order for an amount including a fractional part of a penny may be applied for.

(6) The amount for which a money order is to be issued, and the fee payable in respect of the order shall be prepaid.

(7) When an oversea money order is applied for, there shall be issued to the remitter a certificate showing the amount received for remittance and that the fee has been paid in respect of the order.

(8) Every person requiring an oversea money order payable in any country or place outside the Scheduled Territories shall make and sign on the prescribed form a declaration stating the purpose for which such oversea money order is required; and the amount shall not be advised abroad for payment unless the Post Office Money Order Office of Exchange confirm that it may be remitted.

5.—The rules in paragraph 4 (except rules (3) and (7)) and the following rules shall apply to applications for telegraph money orders:

(1) No telegraph money order for an amount exceeding £50 may be applied for.

(2) The remitter shall write across the face of the form of application the words "by telegraph".

(3) The remitter shall indicate on the said form whether the money order is to be delivered to the payee at the payee's address, or is to be called for at the office of payment.

(4) Except in the case of a letter telegram authorising the payment of an oversea money order, the money order telegram authorising payment at the office of payment shall, if the remitter so requires and at his expense, be repeated from office to office to ensure accuracy.

(5) There may be added to the money order telegram authorising payment a private communication from the remitter, the charges for which shall be prepaid by the remitter. The remitter may also prepay the charges for a telegraphic reply to such communication.

(6) In addition to the money order fee, the remitter shall prepay the charges for the money order telegram authorising payment at the office of payment.

(7) A certificate shall be issued to the remitter showing the amount received from him for remittance, and the fee and charges paid in respect thereof.

(8) The charges referred to in rules (5) and (6) of this paragraph shall be those payable under the relevant scheme or schemes made with respect to telegram service under section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969.

*Correction or alteration of money orders*

6.—(1) After the issue of a certificate pursuant to sub-paragraph (7) of paragraph 4 or sub-paragraph (7) of paragraph 5, the remitter may ask for any correction in his own name and address, and any alteration in the name and address of the payee, that he thinks fit.

(2) Any such request by the remitter shall be made by notice in writing to the postmaster of the office at which application for the order was made and if the Post Office

considers it practicable so to do, it will make such correction or alteration.

#### *Crossing of money orders*

7.—(1) An inland money order may be crossed generally by the addition on its face of the words "and Company" or any abbreviation thereof, between two parallel transverse lines, or of two parallel transverse lines simply, or it may be crossed specially by the addition on its face of the name of a banker, in which case the order shall be deemed to be crossed to that banker.

(2) An inland money order which is crossed generally may be crossed specially.

(3) A banker to whom an inland money order is crossed may again cross it specially to another banker as his agent for collection.

(4) Where a money order is crossed generally, it shall not be paid except to a banker.

(5) Where a money order is crossed specially it shall not be paid except to the banker to whom it is crossed or to his agent for collection.

(6) Where a money order is crossed specially to more than one banker, except when crossed to an agent for the purpose of collection, payment thereof shall be refused.

(7) The remitter of an overseas money order may require the order to be crossed for payment to a banker if the relative money order arrangement so provides.

#### *Payment of money orders otherwise than to bankers*

8.—The following rules shall apply to the payment of a money order otherwise than to a banker to whom it has been delivered for collection:

(1) The order shall not be paid unless the receipt thereon is signed, or purports to be signed, by the payee or on his behalf.

(2) The paying officer may (if he thinks fit) before making payment require the person presenting the order to state the name of the remitter and to produce evidence to the satisfaction of that officer that the receipt is signed by or with the authority of the payee, and if the receipt is not signed in that officer's presence, that the person presenting the order is either the payee or his agent authorised in that behalf.

(3) If a money order presented for payment has any erasure or alteration, or is cut, defaced or mutilated, the postmaster may refuse payment.

(4) Payment of a money order will in all cases be subject to the possession by the postmaster at the office of payment of sufficient funds for the payment thereof.

(5) A postmaster may refuse or delay payment of a money order when it appears to him necessary to do so in cases other than those mentioned in these rules.

#### *Payment of money orders to bankers*

9.—The following rules shall apply to the payment of money orders to bankers:

(1) Money order payable at a money order office in the United Kingdom may be presented for payment by a banker at the office of payment or at any other office at which the payment of money orders may from time to time be authorised by the Post Office.

(2) A money order presented by a banker to whom it has been delivered for collection may be paid notwithstanding that the receipt thereon has not been signed, if it has the name of the banker written or stamped upon the face thereof (whether by way of crossing or otherwise) or bears a code or device of that banker, being a code or device in terms and of a type, design and size, and in a position approved by the Post Office.

#### *Transfer of payment*

10.—(1) The Post Office may direct that any money order shall be payable at any post office other than the original office of payment.

(2) The remitter or (in the case of an order not crossed for payment through a bank) the payee of an inland money order, or the remitter of an overseas money order, may request that the order shall be payable at any money order office other than the original office of payment.

(3) In such cases as are mentioned in the preceding sub-paragraph, the remitter or the payee (as the case may

be) shall give notice in the prescribed form to such office as the Post Office may direct, and shall send with the notice the certificate issued pursuant to sub-paragraph (7) of paragraph 4 or sub-paragraph (7) of paragraph 5, or the order (as the case may be).

(4) Upon receipt of the notice and the certificate or order, the Post Office shall arrange for payment to be made if practicable at the office indicated in the notice, the sum payable being the original amount of the order less an amount equal to the fee thereon.

#### *Stopping payment*

11.—The remitter or payee of an inland money order or the remitter of an overseas money order may apply for stoppage of payment of that order and the Post Office will stop payment pursuant to such an application if it considers this practicable. The fee for stopping payment specified in Schedule 2 shall be paid on making the application which shall be made in writing to such officer as the Post Office may direct.

#### *Advice or Certificate of Payment*

12.—The Post Office may, if it thinks fit, at the request of the remitter of a money order, and on prepayment of the fee therefor specified in Schedule 2, forward to the remitter an advice or certificate of the payment of the money order: Provided that this paragraph shall not apply to a money order payable in a country or place which does not for the time being undertake to obtain or give advices or certificates of payment.

#### *Repayment to remitter of the amount of money order*

13.—(1) The Post Office may, if it thinks fit, at the request of the remitter of a money order made in accordance with the next following sub-paragraph, repay the amount of the order to the remitter.

(2) In such case the remitter shall send the money order, or the certificate issued pursuant to sub-paragraph (7) of paragraph 4 or sub-paragraph (7) of paragraph 5, with a request on the prescribed form and the fee specified in Schedule 2 to such officer as the Post Office may direct: Provided that the Post Office may if it thinks fit, repay the amount of a money order to the remitter, notwithstanding that the order or the said certificate is not produced by him.

#### *Loss, destruction or mutilation of money order*

14.—(1) Where the Post Office is satisfied that a money order has been lost, destroyed, cut, defaced or mutilated before payment, it may if it thinks fit, on the application of the remitter or of the payee, and subject to payment of the fee therefor specified in Schedule 2, stop the payment of such order and cause the amount of the order to be remitted and paid to the payee by such form of remittance as it thinks fit.

(2) This supplemental service may be provided in respect of (a) inland money orders (b) overseas money orders (except where under the relative money order arrangement the instrument by which payment is effected to the payee is prepared by the government or postal administration of some place outside the United Kingdom).

(3) The said fee for this supplemental service may be paid by the remitter or the payee (as the case may be) on making the application; if not so paid the Post Office may deduct the amount of the said fee from the remittance to the payee.

#### *Renewal of money orders*

15.—(1) After the expiration of a period of 6 months after the last day of the month in which any money order payable in the United Kingdom was issued, the money order shall cease to be payable except on renewal in accordance with sub-paragraph (2).

(2) On the application of the remitter or of the payee, and subject to payment of the renewal fee specified in Schedule 2, the Post Office will either pay the amount of the order to the payee or repay the amount thereof to the remitter, by such form of remittance as it considers suitable. The said renewal fee may be paid by the remitter or the payee (as the case may be) on making the application; if not so paid the Post Office may deduct the amount of the said fee from the said remittance.

(3) A money order payable elsewhere than in the United Kingdom shall be subject, in respect of the period during which the order shall be payable, to the regulations governing payment of money orders in the country of payment.

#### Fees

16.—(1) The fee payable for a money order shall be the appropriate fee specified in Schedule 1.

(2) The fees for supplemental services in respect of money orders shall be those specified in Schedule 2.

#### Redirection of inland telegraph money orders

17.—Where, on the application of the remitter or the payee, an inland telegraph money order is redirected and re-transmitted by telegraph to the payee at a different address, there shall be paid by the applicant in respect of such re-transmission the charge which is payable for the re-transmission of a money order telegram under the relative Scheme or Schemes made under section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969.

#### Extension of Part II

18.—(1) The provisions of this Part which apply to inland money orders shall, so far as they are applicable, extend to telegraph money orders issued in the United Kingdom and payable in the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or the Republic of Ireland and to ordinary and telegraph money orders issued in the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or the Republic of Ireland and payable in the United Kingdom, so far as relates to the issue, payment and treatment of such orders and the provision of supplemental services in respect thereof under the authority of the Post Office: Provided that for the purposes of paragraph 15, a money order applied for in the Channel Islands or Isle of Man and payable in the United Kingdom shall become subject to renewal on the expiration of 6 months after the last day of the month in which the order is issued and a money order applied for in the Republic of Ireland and payable in the United Kingdom shall become subject to renewal on the expiration of 12 months after the last day of the month in which the order is issued.

(2) Sub-paragraphs (4), (5) and (6) of paragraph 7, paragraphs 8, 9, 10, 11, 14 and 15 and sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 16 shall extend to ordinary money orders issued or applied for at any place outside the United Kingdom (except the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or the Republic of Ireland) and payable in the United Kingdom, and the said provisions shall extend to telegraph money orders so issued or applied for and payable, as they respectively apply to inland telegraph money orders:

Provided that for this purpose:

(a) except in paragraph 8, references to the remitter in the said provisions shall be omitted;

(b) the sum payable under sub-paragraph (4) of paragraph 10 in respect of a money order the payment whereof is transferred to another office under sub-paragraph (2) of that paragraph shall be the amount for which the order was originally issued less an amount equal, for an ordinary money order, to the fee specified for renewal in Schedule 2, and for a telegraph money order, the fee specified for issue of an inland telegraph money order in Schedule 1;

(c) for the purposes of paragraph 15 the order shall become subject to renewal on the expiration of the period of validity specified in the relative money order arrangement.

### PART III

#### SUPPLEMENTARY

#### Money Order offices

19.—(1) The Post Office may direct at what money order offices telegraph money orders may be applied for, issued and paid, and different directions may be given in respect of telegraph money orders of different descriptions.

(2) The Post Office may authorise any of its officers to accept applications for or to issue or pay money orders, and this Scheme shall apply to any officer so authorised as though he were a postmaster of a money order office.

#### Remission of fees

20.—The Post Office may remit in whole or in part any fee payable under this Scheme, in such cases or classes of case as it may determine.

#### Transitional

21. In the application of the provisions of this Scheme to an ordinary Money Order issued in the United Kingdom before this Scheme comes into operation, being either an inland Money Order or a Money Order payable in the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or the Republic of Ireland, references in those provisions to a certificate issued pursuant to paragraph 5(7) shall be construed as references to the Money Order.

#### Paragraph 16

#### SCHEDULE 1

#### FEE ON ISSUE OF A MONEY ORDER

Description of Money Order	Fee	
1. Inland telegraph money order	50p	(exclusive of the charge for the telegram).
2. Overseas ordinary money order	60p	
3. Overseas telegraph money order	50p	(exclusive of the charge for the telegram).

#### Paragraph 16

#### SCHEDULE 2

#### FEE FOR SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES

Service	Fee
1. Stopping payment	7½p
2. Advice or certificate of payment	7½p
3. Repayment to remitter of any description of money order	25p
4. Remittance to payee of the amount of a money order lost, destroyed, cut, defaced or mutilated (including stopping payment of the original order)	25p
5. Renewal of a money order	25p

Dated 24th August, 1973.

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by A. K. Hanton (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

#### POST OFFICE SCHEME P9/1973

NOTE: The new Scheme which follows this note amends The Post Office (Postal Order) Scheme 1971 and comes into force on 10th September, 1973. It provides for the introduction of postal orders for the amounts of £6, £7, £8, £9 and £10, for the fee payable on issue thereof to be 8p and for an increase in the fee payable for postal orders for all denominations from 55p up to and including £5.

(This note is not part of the Scheme)

#### THE POST OFFICE (POSTAL ORDER) AMENDMENT (No. 2) SCHEME 1973

Made 24th August, 1973

Coming into operation 10th September, 1973

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

#### Commencement and citation:

##### 1. This Scheme:

- shall come into operation on the tenth day of September 1973;
- may be cited as the Post Office (Postal Order) Amendment (No. 2) Scheme 1973;
- shall be read as one with The Post Office (Postal Order) Scheme 1971 (Post Office Scheme P5/1971) (hereinafter called "the Scheme") and The Post Office (Postal Order) Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P4/1973).

**Interpretation:**

2. The Interpretation Act 1889 applies for the interpretation of this Scheme as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

**Issue and amounts of Postal Orders:**

3. In paragraph 4(1)(c) of the Scheme the word "and" shall be omitted and replaced by a comma and there shall be added after the words "five pounds" the words ", six pounds, seven pounds, eight pounds, nine pounds and ten pounds".

**Fee on Issue of Postal Orders:**

4. For the Schedule to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following Schedule:

**"Paragraph 5****THE SCHEDULE****Fee on Issue of Postal Orders**

Denomination	Fee
Any denomination up to and including 50p	2½p
55p and any higher denomination up to and including £1	3p
£2, £3, £4 or £5	6p
£6, £7, £8, £9 or £10	8p

Dated 21st August, 1973.

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by A. K. Hanton (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

**SCHEME 10/1973**

NOTE: The Scheme which follows this note has been made under section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969 and amends the Post Office Inland Post Scheme 1972. The Scheme, which will come into operation on 10th September 1973, provides for new postal charges for inland letters, registered newspapers and parcels.

(This note is not part of the Scheme)

**THE POST OFFICE INLAND POST AMENDMENT (NO. 2) SCHEME 1973**

Made 21st August, 1973

Coming into Operation, 10th September, 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 and interpretation**

1.—(1) This Scheme shall come into operation on 10th September, 1973, and may be cited as the Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 2) 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") as amended by the Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P1/1973).

(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.

**Rules of postage and limits of size and weight**

2.—(1) For item 1 in Schedule 1 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following item:

**"1. Letter**

(a) preferred letter	(a) (i) For transmission as a first-class letter	..... 3½p	(a) Rectangular and oblong the longer side being at least 1.414 times the shorter Length: Max. 9½ inches Min. 5½ inches Width: Max. 4½ inches Min. 3½ inches	(a) Not exceeding 2 oz.
	(ii) For transmission as a second-class letter	..... 3p		
(b) any other letter	(b) (i) For transmission as a first-class letter-weight exceeding 2 oz.	Such rate, not exceeding 4½p, as the Post Office may fix	(b) Length 2 feet Width or depth 18 inches In roll form: Length plus twice diameter 3 feet 5 inches Greatest dimension 2 feet 11 inches	(b) (i) No limits
	Weight exceeding 2 oz. but not exceeding 4 oz.	5p		
	Exceeding 4 oz. but not exceeding 6 oz.	8p		
	Exceeding 6 oz. but not exceeding 8 oz.	10p		
	Exceeding 8 oz. but not exceeding 10 oz.	12p		
	Exceeding 10 oz. but not exceeding 12 oz.	14p		
	Exceeding 12 oz. but not exceeding 14 oz.	16p		
	Exceeding 14 oz. but not exceeding 1 lb.	18p		

Exceeding 1 lb. but not  
exceeding 1 lb. 8 oz. .... 27p  
Exceeding 1 lb. 8 oz. but  
not exceeding 2 lb. .... 36p  
For the first 2 lb. .... 36p  
Exceeding 2 lb.:  
For each additional  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  
or part thereof ..... 9p

(ii) For trans-      Such  
mission as a      rate, not  
second-class      exceeding  
letter-weight      4p, as the  
not exceeding      Post Office  
2 oz.      may fix  
Weight exceeding 2 oz.  
but not exceeding 4 oz. .... 4p  
Exceeding 4 oz. but not  
exceeding 6 oz. .... 5½p  
Exceeding 6 oz. but not  
exceeding 8 oz. .... 7p  
Exceeding 8 oz. but not  
exceeding 10 oz. .... 8½p  
Exceeding 10 oz. but  
not exceeding 12 oz. .... 10p  
Exceeding 12 oz. but  
not exceeding 14 oz. .... 11½p  
Exceeding 14 oz. but  
not exceeding 1 lb. .... 13p  
Exceeding 1 lb. but not  
exceeding 1 lb. 8 oz. .... 18½p

(ii) Not  
exceeding  
1 lb. 8 oz.

(2) For item 2 in Schedule 1 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following item:

"2. Current registered newspaper	Weight not exceeding 2 oz. .... 3p Exceeding 2 oz.: The rate specified in item 1(6)(ii) which is appropriate to its weight	As for item 1(6)	Not exceeding 1 lb. 8 oz.
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(3) For item 4 in Schedule 1 to the Scheme there shall be substituted the following item:

"4. Parcel:			
(a) ordinary	Weight not exceeding 1 lb. 8 oz. .... 20p Exceeding 1 lb. 8 oz. but not exceeding 2 lb. .... 22p Exceeding 2 lb. but not exceeding 4 lb. .... 27p Exceeding 4 lb. but not exceeding 6 lb. .... 32p Exceeding 6 lb. but not exceeding 8 lb. .... 37p Exceeding 8 lb. but not exceeding 10 lb. .... 42p Exceeding 10 lb. but not exceeding 14 lb. .... 52p Exceeding 14 lb. but not exceeding 18 lb. .... 62p Exceeding 18 lb. but not exceeding 22 lb. .... 72p	Greatest length 3 feet 6 inches Greatest length and girth combined 6 feet (the girth to be measured round the thickest part)	Not exceeding 22 lb.
(b) local	The appropriate rate in paragraph (a) minus 5p		

Dated 21st August, 1973.

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by C. H. Briscoe (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

#### NATIONAL GIRO HANDBOOK

As from 10th December, 1973, the terms and conditions on which the Giro service is provided will be those set out in a new National Giro Handbook (dated 3rd September, 1973), copies of which are available for reference at most post offices or can be obtained free on request

from the National Giro Centre, Bootle, Lancs, GIR OAA. The new handbook will replace the current National Giro Handbook issued by the Post Office on 1st April, 1970. This notice is exhibited in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 128 of the current National Giro Handbook.

S. A. Jezeph



**ACCOUNT OF THE EXCHEQUER OF NORTHERN IRELAND FOR THE PERIOD 1st APRIL, 1973, TO 31st AUGUST, 1973**

RECEIPTS	Estimate for the Year ending 31st March, 1974	Total Receipts into Exchequer from		ISSUES	Estimate for the Year ending 31st March, 1974	Total Issues out of Exchequer from	
		1st April, 1973, to 31st August, 1973	1st April, 1972 to 31st August, 1972			1st April, 1973, to 31st August, 1973	1st April, 1972 to 31st August, 1972
<b>PUBLIC INCOME</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>PUBLIC EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
<b>REVENUE—TRANSFERRED TAXES</b>				<b>CONSOLIDATED FUND SERVICES</b>			
Estate Duties .....	3,330,000	1,377,000	1,722,000	Road Fund .....	—	—	4,954,866
Stamp Duties .....	937,000	546,000	460,000	Interest on Borrowings .....	43,000,000	18,109,413	13,510,353
Excise Duties .....	2,070,000	979,000	895,000	Miscellaneous Services .....	1,000,000	434,012	29,368
Motor Vehicle Duties .....	11,200,000	5,279,094	5,008,455		44,000,000	18,543,425	18,494,587
Selective Employment Tax .....	1,000,000	636,000	8,738,000		561,551,000	191,158,213	140,083,000
Regional Rate .....	13,500,000	—	—	<b>SUPPLY SERVICES</b> .....	605,551,000	209,701,638	158,577,587
	32,037,000	8,817,094	16,823,455	<i>Total Public Expenditure</i>			
	285,589,000	108,900,000	99,750,000				
<b>RESIDUARY SHARE OF RESERVED TAXES*</b>							
<b>REVENUE—NON-TAX</b>							
Land Annuities .....	146,000	52,000	60,000				
New Land Purchase Annuities (Imperial) .....	256,000	111,000	116,000				
Interest on Advances .....	41,000,000	8,176,874	7,518,242				
Transfer from Sinking Fund .....	730,000	—	—				
Miscellaneous Receipts .....	19,000,000	6,861,964	2,943,880				
Payments by United Kingdom Government:							
Social Services .....	50,000,000	16,994,711	17,440,000				
Health Services .....	24,000,000	7,728,966	11,950,000				
Agriculture Acts 1957 and 1970 .....	2,300,000	467,690	702,580				
Finance Act 1967—Additional Selective Employment Premiums .....	10,750,000	4,528,164	4,880,000				
Northern Ireland (Financial Provisions) Act 1972 .....	137,300,000	44,000,000	—				
Finance Act 1972—Refund of Value Added Tax .....	2,500,000	—	—				
	287,982,000	88,921,369	45,610,702				
<i>Total Public Income</i>	605,608,000	206,638,463	162,184,157				
<b>CAPITAL RECEIPTS</b>				<b>CAPITAL ISSUES</b>			
Balance in Exchequer on 1st April .....		284,449	173,818	Redemption of Debt:			
Money raised by the Creation of Debt:				H.M. Treasury .....	785,377	584,100	
H.M. Treasury .....		12,000,000	25,000,000	Ulster Savings Certificates .....	3,250,000	2,950,000	
Ulster Savings Certificates .....		2,779,000	2,810,000	Ulster Development Bonds .....	1,580,000	865,000	
Ulster Development Bonds .....		1,233,000	875,000	Government Funds .....	32,791,400	11,766,600	
Government Funds .....		39,230,100	17,097,900	Treasury Bills .....	10,000,000	5,000,000	
Treasury Bills .....		18,000,000	15,000,000	Issues for Capital Expenditure:			
Repayment of Issues for Capital Expenditure:				Government Loans Fund .....	21,900,000	10,500,000	
Government Loans Fund .....		16,307,764	7,675,524	Capital Purposes Fund .....	26,990,642	20,482,000	
Craigavon Development Commission .....		9,498	7,051	N.I. Housing Executive .....	13,400,000	12,800,000	
Antrim and Ballymena Development Commission .....		2,168	1,171	Craigavon Development Commission .....	1,600,000	2,820,000	
Londonderry Development Commission .....		272	129	Antrim and Ballymena Development Commission .....	1,590,000	1,300,000	
From Moneys voted by Parliament:				Londonderry Development Commission .....	260,000	135,000	
Capital Purposes Fund .....		26,990,642	—	Agricultural Loans Fund .....	360,000	240,000	
Advance to Civil Contingencies Fund repaid .....		—	500,000	Northern Ireland Finance Corporation .....	2,846,900	—	
Transfer from Reserve Fund .....		3,756,986	—	Issues to Reserve Fund .....	10,005,265	5,537,009	
Residuary Share—Adjustment for 1971/72 .....		9,960,553	5,453,886	Increase of Civil Contingencies Fund .....	—	3,100,000	
				Balance in Exchequer on 31st August .....	131,673	121,340	
<i>Total Capital Receipts</i>		130,554,432	74,594,479	<i>Total Capital Issues</i>		127,491,257	78,201,049
<i>Total</i>		337,192,895	236,778,636	<i>Total</i>		337,192,895	236,778,636

Ministry of Finance, Belfast, 31st August, 1973.

R. H. KIDD, Second Secretary.

\*The Residuary Share of Reserved Taxes is the net receipt of Reserved Revenue after deduction of the following:—(a) the estimated cost of Reserved Services; (b) the Northern Ireland Contribution towards Imperial Expenditure; and (c) New Land Purchase Annuities (Imperial). It is paid over by the United Kingdom Treasury in instalments based on an estimate for the financial year and an adjustment is made when the true Residuary Share has been finally ascertained.

## INLAND REVENUE

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Acts, 1845 and 1928, the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, and the Coinage Act, 1971, of the Amount of Notes authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in Northern Ireland, and the Average Amount of Notes in Circulation, and of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during the Four Weeks ended Saturday, 25th day of August, 1973.

Name and Title as set forth on Licence	Name of the Firm	Approved offices	Circulation authorised by the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Act, 1928	Average Circulation during 4 weeks ended as above			Average Amount of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during 4 weeks ended as above		
				£5 and upwards	Under £5	Total	*Gold and Bank of England Notes	Coin other than Gold Coin	Total
The Bank of Ireland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland ...	{ Belfast Londonderry	£ †794,025	£ 4,211,273	£ 908,054	£ 5,119,327	£ 4,547,232	£ 135,426	£ 4,682,658
The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited	The Provincial Bank of Ireland, Limited	{ Belfast Londonderry	†220,000	3,818,615	556,250	4,374,865	4,403,262	23,403	4,426,665
The Northern Bank Limited ...	The Northern Bank Limited ...	{ Belfast Londonderry	594,000	10,280,022	396,296	10,676,318	11,849,701	654,522	12,504,223
The Ulster Bank Limited ...	The Ulster Bank Limited ...	Belfast	290,000	7,670,870	548,814	8,219,684	8,232,639	241,205	8,473,844
The National Bank Limited ...	The National Bank Limited ...	{ Belfast Londonderry	120,000	118,560	19,786	138,346	150,000	—	150,000

I hereby certify that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in circulation an amount of Notes beyond that authorised by the Bankers (Northern Ireland) Act, 1928, have held an amount of Bank of England Notes and Gold and Coin other than Gold Coin not less than that which they are required by the Treasury to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated 3rd day of September, 1973.

A. A. E. E. ETTINGHAUSEN,  
Registrar of Bank Returns.

†These amounts are the latest amounts approved by the Treasury.

\*This column includes Bank of England Notes deposited at the Bank of England which, by virtue of Section 9(1) of the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, are to be treated as gold coin held by the Bank.

## MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

## DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958

Summary of Return of Outbreaks of Diseases which have been Confirmed by or Reported to the Ministry

PERIOD (inclusive)	Anthrax		Bovine Tuberculosis		Sheep Scab		Newcastle Disease
	Outbreaks	Animals Affected	Outbreaks	Animals Affected	Outbreaks	Animals Affected	Outbreaks Confirmed
16th August/ 31st August, 1973	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st August/ 15th August, 1973	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st January/ 31st August, 1973	1	1	—	—	1	12	—

Note—The following diseases have not appeared in Northern Ireland since the year shown after each disease: Sheep Pox (Variola Ovis), 1850; Rinderpest (pestis Bovina), 1877; Pleuro-Pneumonia (Peripneumonia, Contagiosa Bovum), 1893; Glanders (including Farcy) (Malleus), 1913; Rabies (rage), 1923; Foot and Mouth Disease (Fieue Aphteuse), 1941; Parasitic Mange (Sarcopites Scabei Equi), 1946; and Swine Fever (Peste Porcine), 1958.

Epizootic Lymphangitis (Lymphangitis Epizootica), Dourine and Fowl Plague have never existed in Northern Ireland.

Ministry of Agriculture,  
Dundonald House,  
Belfast BT4 3SB.

# Public Notices

## NOTICES UNDER THE BANKRUPTCY ACT

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN NORTHERN  
IRELAND

### *In Bankruptcy*

In the matter of Ronald Samuel Blythe residing at Recopla Hill, Omagh, Co. Tyrone, House Repairer, bankrupt. Adjudicated bankrupt: 20th August, 1973.

Public sittings: 25th September, 1973, and 9th October, 1973, at 11.30 a.m.

Creditors' claims to be sent to, and all debts due to the bankrupt to be paid to the Official Assignee, Royal Courts of Justice (Ulster), Chichester Street, Belfast BT1 3JF.

*V. G. Bridges*, Deputy Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN NORTHERN  
IRELAND

### *In Bankruptcy*

In the matter of Samuel McBride, formerly of Broadmills, Lisburn, and now of The Carr, Lisburn, both Co. Antrim, former Agricultural Contractor and General Merchant, bankrupt.

A sitting of the Court will be held at the Royal Courts of Justice (Ulster), Chichester Street, Belfast, on 25th September, 1973, at 11.30 a.m. to audit the Official Assignee's account and to declare a dividend.

Dated 5th September, 1973.

*W. Vogen*, for Official Assignee.

## NOTICES UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1960

In the Matter of

### JOHN HARVEY & COMPANY LIMITED

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of Section 263 of the above-mentioned Act that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-mentioned Company will be held at the offices of Atkinson & Boyd, Chartered Accountants, Scottish Amicable House, 11 Donegall Square South, Belfast BT1 5JT, on Monday, 1st October, 1973, at 3.00 p.m.

*Messrs. Heron & Dobson*, Solicitors, 6 Bridge Street, Banbridge, Co. Down.

## STATUTORY NOTICES TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

TRUSTEE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1958

In the Estate of Mary Isobel Clarke Gilmer late of Rashee, Ballyclare in the County of Antrim, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 28 of the Trustee Act (N.I.) 1958 that all creditors, beneficiaries and other persons having any claims against or interest in the estate of the above-named deceased who died on 22nd June, 1973, are hereby requested to send on or before the 16th day of November, 1973, particulars and such claims or interest to the undersigned Solicitor for the personal representative of the deceased.

And notice is hereby further given that after the said 16th day of November, 1973, the said personal representative will proceed to convey or distribute the property of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which particulars shall have been received.

Dated the 30th day of August, 1973.

*R. T. Seymour, LL.B.*, Solicitor for the Personal Representative, 15a Market Square, Antrim BT41 4AW.

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