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TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 1921.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 14th day of July 1921.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Representation of the People Acts, 1918 to 1920, power is conferred upon His Majesty to make provision for various matters by Order in Council:

And whereas by the Representation of the People Order His Majesty was pleased by Order in Council to make provision for various matters under those Acts:

And whereas by Section 13 (2) of the Representation of the People Act, 1918 (in this Order referred to as "the Act"), the rules contained in the First Schedule to that Act may be altered by Order in Council:

And whereas by Section 40 (2) of the Act, any Order in Council made thereunder may be revoked or varied as occasion requires by any subsequent Order in Council:

And whereas by Section 46 (4) of the Act, His Majesty may by Order alter, in connection with any new register prepared during the continuance of the present war and a period of twelve months thereafter, any registration dates, including the dates governing the qualifying period:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by those Acts and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf is pleased, by and with the advice of His

Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The following Rule shall be inserted after Rule 13A of the Representation of the People Order—

" 13B. The following paragraph shall be added to Rule 17 of the First Schedule to the Act as an additional exception to that Rule (which provides that the Registration Officer shall place on the absent voters list any naval or military voter) "

' (c) that person is serving for a temporary period during an emergency, or for purposes of annual training either in His Majesty's Naval, army or air-force reserves, or in the territorial force.' "

2. The following Rule shall be substituted for Rule 46 of the Representation of the People Order—

" 46. As respects constituencies in Ireland:—

(a) the Third Register prepared under the Act shall remain in force, unless otherwise ordered, until the 15th day of February 1922, and shall be kept published until the coming into force of the next succeeding Register;

(b) the Fourth Register to be prepared under the Act shall come into force on the 15th day of February 1922, and shall remain in force, unless otherwise ordered, until the 15th day of October