

2. The Tenth Article of the aforesaid Order in Council of the Twenty-seventh day of July 1863 is hereby revoked, but without prejudice to anything lawfully done thereunder.

3. There shall be an Executive Council in and for the Island of St. Helena, and the said Council shall consist of such persons as shall be directed by Instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, and all such persons shall hold their places in the said Council during His Majesty's pleasure. The Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the said Island of St. Helena (hereinafter referred to as the Governor) may upon sufficient cause to him appearing suspend from the exercise of his functions in the Council any Member thereof pending the signification of His Majesty's pleasure giving immediate notice to His Majesty through one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State. If the suspension is confirmed by His Majesty through one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State the Governor shall forthwith by an instrument under the Public Seal of the said Island revoke the appointment of such Member, and thereupon his seat in the Council shall become vacant.

4. The said Council shall observe such rules in the conduct of business as may have been or may hereafter be, from time to time, directed or appointed by or under authority of any Instructions addressed to the Governor under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet.

5. In this Order the term "the Governor and Commander-in-Chief" or "the Governor," unless inconsistent with the context, shall include every person for the time being administering the government of the said Island.

6. This Order shall be published in the St. Helena Government Gazette and shall thereupon come into operation.

7. His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors in Council may from time to time revoke, add to, alter or amend this Order.

And the Right Honourable Leopold Charles Maurice Stennett Amery, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

M. P. A. HANKEY.

[This Order came into operation on the 19th July 1929.]

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND). REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS.

ORDER dated July 26th, 1929, made by the Secretary of State in pursuance of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1929 (19 & 20 Geo. 5, c. 25), with reference to the registration of electors in new electoral divisions and new wards.

Whereas by Section 8 (3) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1929 (hereinafter called the Act), the Secretary of State is empowered for the purposes of the reconstitution of county councils, to determine by Order the contents and boundaries of electoral divisions in counties.

And whereas by Section 10 (5) of the Act the Secretary of State is empowered for the purposes of the election of town councillors of the united burghs constituted by that section by Order to make provision for the division of such burghs into wards.

And whereas by Section 25 (2) of the Act it is provided that members of the district councils constituted by the Act, other than *ex officio* members, shall be elected for the electoral divisions within the districts or for wards forming part thereof.

And whereas by Section 36 of the Act the Secretary of State is empowered for the purposes of the election of councillors in large burghs, to determine or alter by Order the number and boundaries of the wards into which such burghs are divided.

And whereas it is provided by Section 37 (1) of the Act that where any Order made under the Act determining or altering the boundaries of electoral divisions in a county or of wards in a burgh or dividing a burgh into wards, or where a scheme providing for the election of district councillors for wards of electoral divisions involves an alteration of the area of any registration unit within the meaning of the Representation of the People Acts, the Secretary of State may by Order make such provision as may be necessary with regard to the Register of Electors to be used at any election of county, town or district councillors for any electoral division or ward affected by such alteration in the area of the registration unit.

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers conferred on him by the last cited Section of the Act, the Secretary of State orders as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Local Government (Scotland) (Registration of Electors) Order, 1929.

2. Where a new electoral division of a county or a new ward of a burgh or of an electoral division within a district of a county comprises a part but not the whole of a registration unit for which there is a separate part of the Register of Electors which came into force on 1st May 1929, the Register of Electors for that division or ward for the purposes of the first election of members of the reconstituted council for the landward area of that county, the town councillors of that burgh and the elected members of the district council for that district as the case may be, shall consist of the separate parts of such Register for the registration units wholly comprised within the division or ward together with such portion of the part of the Register for any registration unit partly comprised within the division or ward as contains the names of local government electors registered in respect of lands and heritages or premises situated within the division or ward.

Given under the seal of the Secretary of State this 26th day of July 1929.

(L. S.)

JOHN LAMB,
Under Secretary of State.

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