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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1939.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 8th day of September 1939.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section 23 of the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Scotland) Act, 1854 (17 & 18 Vict. c. 80), it is enacted that every page of the register books shall be ruled and filled up according to the form given in the three Schedules (A), (B) and (C) annexed to the Act:

And whereas by section 46 of the said Act it is enacted that a copy of the said Schedule (C) shall be produced to the minister solemnising a regular marriage or to the person solemnising a marriage according to the rites and forms respectively observed by Jews and Quakers:

And whereas by section 74 of the said Act the Registrar General of Births, Deaths and Marriages in Scotland is empowered to alter, with the consent of His Majesty in Council, the Schedules annexed to the said Act:

And whereas by the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Schedule C. Amend-

ment) Order, 1921 (S.R. & O., 1921, No. 1246, p. 1100), the form of the said Schedule (C) (which relates to marriages) was altered to the effect set forth in the Schedule to that Order:

And whereas it is necessary in consequence of the Marriage (Scotland) Act, 1939 (2 & 3 Geo. 6, c. 34), which comes into force on the 1st day of January 1940, to alter the form of the register books so far as relating to marriages, and the Registrar General has accordingly altered the said Schedule (C) to the effect shown in the Schedule to this Order:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to declare and doth hereby declare His consent to the alteration of the said Schedule (C) to the effect aforesaid, and to direct that the Schedule annexed to this Order, which may be cited as the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Schedule C. Amendment) Order, 1939, shall, as from the 1st day of January 1940, be substituted for the Schedule (C) as altered by the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Schedule C. Amendment) Order, 1921.

RUPERT B. HOWORTH.