

Ground in terms of Section 5 of the aforesaid Act except for the reservation of the right of burial in the said Burial Ground of—

- (1) Spouses of persons who are already buried in the said Burial Ground;
- (2) Parents who have a child or children already buried in the said Burial Ground;
- (3) Unmarried persons whose parent or parents are already buried in the said Burial Ground;
- (4) Unmarried persons resident in the Parish whose brother or sister is already buried in the said Burial Ground;
- (5) Persons whom the County Council of the County of Perth may specially authorise to be buried in the said Burial Ground; and
- (6) Cremated human remains.

Now, therefore, His Majesty in Council is pleased to give Notice of such Representation and to Order that the same be taken into consideration on the 23rd day of July next:

And His Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order, or Notice thereof, be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and that copies of this Order, or Notice thereof, be fixed as required by the aforesaid Act on the doors of the church of or on some other conspicuous places within the Parish of Port of Menteith one month before such Representation is considered.

E. C. E. LEADBITTER.

Statutory Instruments 1948, No. 1340.

#### MERCHANT SHIPPING.

##### LIGHT DUES.

THE MERCHANT SHIPPING (LIGHT DUES) ORDER, 1948, made 22nd June 1948; coming into Operation upon the date of publication in the London Gazette (25th June 1948).

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22nd day of June 1948.

#### PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by Section 5 of the Merchant Shipping (Mercantile Marine Fund) Act, 1898 (61 & 62 Vict., c. 44) hereinafter referred to as "the said Section", it is, amongst other things enacted as follows:—

"5.—(1) On and after the commencement of this Act the general lighthouse authorities shall levy light dues with respect to the voyages made by ships or by way of periodical payment, and not with respect to the lights which a ship passes or from which it derives benefit, and the dues so levied shall take the place of the dues now levied by those authorities.

(2) The scale and rules set out in the Second Schedule to this Act shall have effect for the purpose of the levying of light dues in pursuance of this Act, but Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, alter, either generally or with respect to particular classes of cases, the scale or rules and the exemptions therefrom."

And whereas by the Merchant Shipping (Light Dues) Order, 1947 (S.R. & O. 1947, No. 1516), certain alterations were made in the Scale and Rules set out in the Second Schedule to the said recited Act:

And whereas it is expedient that such last recited Order should be revoked:

And whereas it has been made to appear to His Majesty that the said Scale and Rules should be further altered in manner hereinafter appearing:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Him by the said Section 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.—(a) This Order shall come into operation on the date of its publication in the London Gazette (25th June 1948), and may be cited as the Merchant Shipping Light Dues Order, 1948.

(b) The Interpretation Act, 1889 (52 & 53 Vict., c. 63), shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. Each of the dues authorised to be levied in accordance with the Scale set out in the Second Schedule to the said recited Act shall be subject to an increase of 300 per cent., for the purposes of the levying of light dues in pursuance of the said recited Act.

3. The payments referred to in the proviso to Rule (1) and in the proviso to Rule (7) of the Rules set out in the Second Schedule to the said recited Act shall also be subject to an increase of 300 per cent.

4. The Merchant Shipping (Light Dues) Order, 1947, is hereby revoked.

E. C. E. LEADBITTER.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE.

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The dues and payments increased by this Order by 300 per cent. were by the Merchant Shipping (Light Dues) Order, 1947, now being revoked; increased by 200 per cent.

Scottish Home Department,  
St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, 1,  
3rd July 1948.

A Loyal Address has been received by the Secretary of State for Scotland from the Grand Lodge of Scotland of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons for presentation to Their Majesties The King and The Queen on the occasion of the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of Their Majesties' Wedding, and has been presented accordingly.

Westminster, 30th June 1948.

This day the Royal Assent was given, by Commission, to the following Acts:—

Animals Act, 1948.  
House of Commons Members' Fund Act, 1948.  
Radioactive Substances Act, 1948.  
Companies Act, 1948.  
Industrial Assurance and Friendly Societies Act, 1948.  
Education (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1948.  
Law Reform (Personal Injuries) Act, 1948.  
National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act, 1948.  
Children Act, 1948.  
William Brown Nimmo Charitable Trust (Amendment) Order Confirmation Act, 1948.  
Church of Scotland Trust (Amendment) Order Confirmation Act, 1948.  
Railway Clearing System Superannuation Fund Act, 1948.

#### TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 9th July 1948, at 1 p.m., for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the National Loans Act, 1939, to the amount of £170,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5000, £10,000, £25,000, £50,000, or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday the 12th July 1948 to Saturday the 17th July 1948 inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000 and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.

5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House, or Broker.

6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 1.30 p.m. (Saturday, 12 noon) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers,

2nd July 1948.

#### WAGES COUNCILS ACT, 1945.

##### BAKING WAGES COUNCIL (SCOTLAND).

The Baking Wages Council (Scotland) hereby give notice of its intention to submit to the Minister of Labour and National Service proposals (1) for the revocation of the Baking Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation Order, 1947 (Order B.K.S.(13)), and for the fixing of specified statutory minimum remuneration in substitution for the minimum remuneration at present in operation; and (2) for the amendment of the Baking Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation Order, 1947 (Order B.K.S.(14)), which relates to holidays with pay.