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BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

TERMINATING HER MAJESTY'S PROTECTION OVER THE PROTECTORATE OF
SOUTH ARABIA

ELIZABETH R.

Whereas the territories in Arabia known as the Protectorate of South Arabia are under Our protection:

And Whereas by treaty, grant, usage, sufferance and other lawful means We have power and jurisdiction in the Protectorate of South Arabia:

And Whereas it is intended that the territories known as the Protectorate of South Arabia shall become independent on the thirtieth day of November 1967 (hereinafter referred to as "the appointed day"):

Now, therefore, We do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, proclaim and declare that, as from the beginning of the appointed day, Our protection over the territories known as the Protectorate of South Arabia and all functions, powers, rights, authority or jurisdiction exercisable by Us immediately before that day in or in relation to the said territories by treaty, grant, usage, sufferance or otherwise shall lapse.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this twenty-eighth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven, and in the Sixteenth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN