

Treasury Chambers,
London S.W.1.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that they have made an Order under Sections 3(6) and 14 of the Finance Act 1972 viz.:—The Value Added Tax (Works of Art, Antiques and Scientific Collections) Order 1972.

This Order provides, subject to specified conditions, for the tax chargeable on the supply (otherwise than by hiring) of certain works of art, antiques and scientific collections by a taxable person to be charged only on the excess if any of the price which that person obtains for any item over the price which he gave for it.

The Order applies only to items which have been sold at least once before 1st April 1973 or have been sold at least once after that date by a seller who did not charge value added tax.

The Order also relieves from the tax imports of such items, provided, in the case of the works of art, that they have been acquired from the artist of his estate before 1st April 1973.

The Order comes into operation on 1st April 1973 and has been published as Statutory Instrument 1972 No. 1971.

Copies may be purchased (price 5p Net) direct from Her Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—

49 High Holborn, London WC1V 6HB; 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh, EH2 3AR; 258 Broad Street, Birmingham 1; 50 Fairfax Street, Bristol BS1 3DE; Brazenose Street, Manchester M60 8AS; 109 St. Mary Street, Cardiff, CF1 1JW; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, BT1 4JY.
or from any bookseller.

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THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that they have made an Order under Section 1, 2 and 13 of the Import Duties Act 1958.

Viz.:—The Import Duties (General) (No. 4) Order 1972.

This Order, which comes into operation on 1st February 1973, further amends the Import Duties (General) (No. 7) Order 1971, which sets out the United Kingdom Customs Tariff and the protective import duties chargeable in accordance with it.

This Order (Schedules 1 and 2) amends the manner in which most of the headings in Chapters 1-24, and a few headings in certain other Chapters, of the United Kingdom Tariff are at present sub-divided.

The Order (in Article 2(b)) provides for the conversion of sums expressed in units of account of the Community into pounds sterling where goods are defined by reference to such units of account in the new nomenclature.

These amendments stem from the United Kingdom's obligations under the Treaty of Accession to the European Economic Community to incorporate within the United Kingdom Tariff the subheadings of the Community's Common Customs Tariff in respect of agricultural products covered by a common organisation of the market and of certain other products by 1st February 1973. In the case of some goods, generally as a result of the United Kingdom's Treaty obligations, protective import duties are removed or reduced (Schedule 1 and Article 3).

The Order also provides for a change from imperial to metric units in some rates of duty (Schedule 3) and some descriptions of goods (Schedule 4).

The Order comes into operation on 1st February 1973 and has been published as Statutory Instruments 1972 No. 1909.

Copies of the Order may be purchased (price 85p net) direct from Her Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—

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WAGES COUNCILS ACT 1959

Perambulator and Invalid Carriage Wages Council (Great Britain)

THE Perambulator and Invalid Carriage Wages Council (England and Wales) (Scotland) (Great Britain) hereby gives notice of its intention to submit to the Secretary of State for Employment proposals for (1) varying the statutory minimum remuneration as set out in the Wages Regulation (Perambulator and Invalid Carriage) Order 1972 (Order

I.85); (2) amending the provisions relating to holidays and holiday remuneration as set out in the Wages Regulations (Perambulator and Invalid Carriage) (Holidays) Order 1970 (Order I.83)); and (3) the revocation of Order I.85) and Order I.83).

Particulars of the proposals are contained in the Wages Council's Notice I.86) which may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Wages Council at the address given below.

The Wages Council will consider any written representation with respect to the above-mentioned proposals if made to it within 14 days from 22nd December 1972. Any such representation should bear the writer's address and signature and be sent to the Secretary, Perambulator and Invalid Carriage Wages Council (Great Britain), 12 St. James's Square, London SW1Y 4LL. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise nature of their objections and quote the number of the Wages Council's Notice of Proposals I.86).

YVONNE M. SIMMONS, Secretary.

21st December 1972.

POST OFFICE

TELECOMMUNICATIONS CHARGES NOTICE E44/1972

The Post Office hereby gives notice that telex service will become available from the United Kingdom and the Isle of Man to Cook Islands on 23rd December 1972.

The charges on and from 23rd December 1972 for telex calls made from the United Kingdom and the Isle of Man to Cook Islands are as shown below. These charges have been fixed by the Post Office in accordance with paragraph 5(3) of the Post Office Telex Scheme 1971 (Post Office Scheme T2/1971) and may be revised by the Post Office without notice.

<i>Minimum charge for first 3 minutes or part thereof</i>	<i>Charge for each additional minute or part thereof</i>
£3.75	£1.25

Dated the 13th day of November 1972.

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by Anthony P. Hawkins
(a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

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HIGH COURT OF JUSTICIARY, STIRLING (Special Sitting)

Stirling—Tuesday, 23rd January 1973, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

R. I. SUTHERLAND, Esq., Q.C.,
Advocate Depute.

W. HOWARD, Esq.,
Clerk.

Justiciary Office, Edinburgh.

13th December 1972.

THE DIVING OPERATIONS (DIVER'S FITNESS REGISTER) ORDER 1972

THE Secretary of State for Employment hereby gives notice that on 12th December 1972 he made the Diving Operations (Diver's Fitness Register) Order 1972 under powers contained in the Diving Operations Special Regulations 1960.

This Order prescribes the form of diver's fitness register required by Regulation 9 of the Diving Operations Special Regulations 1960 to be issued in respect of a person before he is employed under water as a diver. The form prescribed by this Order supersedes that prescribed by the Order of the Minister of Labour dated 28th June 1960, which is revoked.

Copies of the prescribed form F 2015, may be obtained from Her Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—

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