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FRIDAY, 30 APRIL, 1937

*Privy Council Office,  
30th April, 1937.*

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1933.**

Notice is hereby given that a Scheme making provision for the transfer or adjustment of the whole or part of the functions, franchises, property, income, debts, liabilities and expenses of the Councils of the Urban Districts of Great Crosby and Waterloo-with-Seaforth, in the Administrative County of Lancaster, and for other purposes, has been settled by a Committee of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Notice is hereby further given that a copy of the said Scheme may be inspected at the Town Hall, Great Grosby or at the Town Hall, Waterloo.

*Westminster, 29th April, 1937.*

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons, by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to the Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to:—

Education (Deaf Children) Act, 1937.  
Army and Air Force (Annual) Act, 1937.

Rothsay Water Order Confirmation Act, 1937.  
Edinburgh Royal Maternity and Simpson Memorial Hospital Order Confirmation Act, 1937.  
Kingston upon Hull Provisional Order Confirmation Act, 1937.  
Margate Broadstairs and District Electricity Act, 1937.  
Rickmansworth and Uxbridge Valley Water Act, 1937.  
Brighton Hove and Worthing Gas Act, 1937.

*Whitehall, April 28, 1937.*

The following Addresses were presented to The KING on the occasion of the opening by His Majesty of the National Maritime Museum at Greenwich on the 27th April, 1937:—

**H.M. FIRST COMMISSIONER OF WORKS.**

May it please Your Majesty,

Great Britain, more than any other country, owes its greatness to the influence of Sea Power and of overseas trade. Ships have carried goods from this Island Kingdom across the Seven Seas, and the flag has followed trade, until the British Crown has become the symbol of unity to peoples scattered over the face of the earth. Strange is it, therefore, that until now there has been no national Museum in Great Britain to commemorate the deeds of those who have gone down to the sea in ships.

The National Maritime Museum which Your Majesty has been so gracious as to come here to open to the public is fortunate in the home which has been dedicated to it by Act of Parliament.