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FRIDAY, 2 MAY, 1941

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 25th day of *April*, 1941.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 18th day of April, 1941 (N. 6614/41), in the words following, viz. :—

" Whereas by section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, inter alia, that all pay, pensions or other allowances in the nature thereof payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman or Marine therein shall be paid in such manner and subject to such restrictions, conditions and provisions as are from time to time directed by Order in Council :

" And whereas by Orders in Council bearing dates the 29th February, 1908, and 13th August, 1920, authority was given for the payment of Prize Money for Torpedo Proficiency in the case of certain vessels :

" And whereas by Order in Council bearing date 28th November, 1923, authority was given for Torpedo Proficiency Prize Money Funds to be administered at our discretion :

" And whereas we are of the opinion that it is desirable to provide for the payment of Torpedo Proficiency Prize Money in the case of Naval Air Stations with Torpedo facilities and the Mobile Torpedo Unit :

" We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to authorise, with effect

from 2nd April, 1941, the payment of Prize Money for Torpedo Proficiency as follows :—

	" Per annum.
	£
" Naval Air Stations with Torpedo facilities with authorised complements of—	
1,000 or over ... ..	15
Over 500 but under 1,000	10
500 or below ... ..	5
Mobile Torpedo Unit ... ..	2

" The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal."

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

*Rupert B. Howorth.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 25th day of *April*, 1941.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 21st day of April, 1941 (C.W. 11757/1940), in the words following, viz. :—

" Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, inter alia, that all pay, pensions or