Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, with the consent of the Treasury hereby orders as follows:—

1: All the shares of the Company called Short Brothers (Rochester & Bedford) Limited are hereby transferred to nominees of the Minister as follows:—

(a) The ordinary share with the lowest number is transferred to Mr. Priston Charles How of the Ministry of Aircraft Production, Millbank, London, S.W.I,

(b) The ordinary share with the next lowest

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(c) The ordinary share with the next lowest number is transferred to Mr. Reginald Halsall of

the Ministry of Aircraft Production, Millbank, London, S.W.r;

London, S.W.r.;

(d) The remainder of the ordinary shares and all the "A" ordinary shares and all the 5 per cent. Redeemable Cumulative Preference Shares are transferred to the Solicitor for the Affairs of His Majesty's Treasury, of Storey's Gate, St. James's Park, London, S.W.I.

2. The date of transfer for the purposes of paragraph (4) (a) of Regulation 78 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, shall be the twenty-third day of March, 1943.

3. This Order shall come into force on the twenty-third day of March, 1943, and may be cited as the Short Brothers (Rochester & Bedford) Limited (Transfer of Shares) Order, 1943.

Dated this twenty-second day of March, 1943.

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A. Rowlands, Secretary, Ministry of Aircraft Production.

The Treasury consent to this Order.

J. P. L. Thomas,
L. R. Pym,
Two of the Lords Commissioners
of His Majesty's Treasury,

Factory Department, Ministry of Labour and National Service. 17th March, 1943.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. W. R. Main to be Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the Buckingham District of the county of Buckingham.

Factory Department, Ministry of Labour and National Service.

19th March, 1943.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. E. O. Libbey an appointment as Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the District of Scarborough, in the County of Yorks, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 6th April, 1943.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. S. Spickett an appointment as Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the District of Greenwich, in the county of London, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 6th April, 1943.

Downing Street, 5th March, 1943.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Claude Vibart Wight, Esq., and Joseph Alexander Luckhoo, Esq., to be Unofficial Members of the Executive Council of the Colony of British Guiana.

Downing Street, 5th March, 1943.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Joseph Alexander Luckhoo, Esq., to be a Nominated Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of British Guiana.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918, AND TRADE BOARDS AND ROAD HAULAGE WAGES (EMERGENCY PROVISIONS) ACT,

KEG AND DRUM TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

Proposal to vary minimum rates of wages.

The Keg and Drum Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose to vary minimum rates of wages for female workers 19 years of age or over, at present set out in their Notice K.D. (23).

Particulars of the proposed variations which super-sede proposals made in the Board's Notice K.D. (24)

sede proposals made in the Board's Notice K.D. (24) may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within fourteen days from 23rd March, 1943. Any such objection should be in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address), and sent to the Secretary, Keg and Drum Trade Board, Sunnyside Mansions Hotel, Knowsley Road, Southport, Lancashire. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

G. H. Tregear, Secretary.

23rd March, 1943.

Admiralty, March, 1943.

R.N.

Actg. Lt. C. C. Haddon to be Lt. with seny. of 1st Mar. 1942.

Shipwt. Lt. J. R. Hindmarsh (Retd.) to be Shipwt. Lt. Cdr. (Retd.). 14th Dec. 1942.

Proby. Tempy. Sub-Lt. (E) D. Flynn, R.N.V.R., transferred to R.N. in rank of Tempy. Lt. (E) with seny. of 12th Feb. 1943.

Cd. Bosn. A. E. J. Martin (Retd.) to be Lt. (Retd.). 28th Dec. 1942.

28th Dec. 1942.

Gnrs. (Retd.) to be Cd. Gnrs. (Retd.) with seny. as stated:—
F. J. K. Adams. 27th Oct. 1942.
R. H. Mumford. 8th Dec. 1942.

Lts. (Retd.) to be Lt. Cdrs. (Retd.) with seny.

As stated:—

H. Le Noury. 24th Oct. 1942.

W. S. Porter. 4th Nov. 1942.

W. Coe. 30th Nov. 1942.

B. A. W. Baldwin. 9th Dec. 1942.

F. C. Way. 8th Feb. 1943.

Sub-Lts. to be Lts. with seny. as stated:I. S. Primrose. 1st Nov. 1942.

T. G. Dewar. P. Forbes. J. E. Moore. P. G. W. Williams. 1st Jan. 1943.

J. O. Coote. 16th Jan. 1943.J. Blease. 1st Feb. 1943.

W. A. E. Hall. R. M. Wilmot. C. D. V. Nicoll.

16th Feb. 1943.

Admiralty, 8th March, 1943. R.M.

Maj. S. G. Cutler to be Act. Lt.-Col. 3rd Mar. 1943. Tempy. Lt. (Act. Tempy. Maj.) G. L. T. Robins granted the War Subs. rank of Tempy. Capt. and to retain the rank of Act. Tempy. Maj. 8th Mar.

Lt. Col. (Act. Col. Comdt.) (Tempy. Brig.) G. E. Wildman-Lushington to be Act. Maj.-Gen. 3rd

Mar. 1943.
Tempy. Lts. (Act. Tempy. Capts.) L. R. Woolner,
H. O. Griffith, to be Act. Tempy. Maj. 8th Mar. 1943.

Admiralty, 9th March, 1943. R.M.

The undermentioned revert to the pensioner list on the dates stated:—
Tempy. Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) H. C. Flack. 24th Feb..

Tempy. Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) W. J. Jarvis. 5th Mar.

en. Sir Alan G. B. Bourne, K.C.B., D.S.O., M.V.O., is placed on the Retired List. 9th Feb. 9th Feb. 1943. Proby. Lt. D. E. Mosely to be Lt. 4th Jan. 1943.

Admiralty, 10th March, 1943. R.M.

Tempy. Lt. H. A. Courtenay to be Act. Tempy. Capt. 8th Mar. 1943.
Tempy. Lt. (Act. Tempy. Capt.) G. G. Darley-Bentley to be Act. Tempy. Maj. 1st Mar. 1943.
Tempy. Lts. G. P. Sanford, G. S. Yates, R. Cameron, to be Act. Tempy. Capts. 1st Mar. 1943.
Cd. R.M. Gnr. W. E. Shaw to be Act. Capt. 10th

Mar. 1943.