

## TRANSPORT ACT, 1947.

NOTICE is hereby given that the British Transport Commission with the consent of the Minister of Transport pursuant to Paragraph 7 of a Scheme of Delegation to the Railway Executive made by them on the 22nd November, 1947, and approved by the said Minister on the 25th November, 1947, have issued an Instrument (No. R/EX/7) revoking the delegation to that Executive of the functions of the Commission in relation to activities which they are empowered to carry on relating to the Kennet and Avon Canal, the Nottingham Canal (western portion) and the Grantham Canal by virtue of the

transfer to the Commission under Part II of the above Act of the undertakings of the Great Western Railway Company and the London and North Eastern Railway Company.

Copies of the said Instrument may be obtained from the Office of the British Transport Commission, 55, Broadway, Westminster, London, S.W.1, at the price of 6d. for each copy.

MILES BEEVOR,  
Chief Secretary and Legal Adviser,  
British Transport Commission.

25th February, 1949.  
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## COUNTY BOROUGH OF WALSALL

## ROAD TRAFFIC ACT, 1930—SECTIONS 101 AND 102

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the County Borough of Walsall have applied to the Licensing Authority for Public Service Vehicles for the West Midland Traffic Area for Consent under Sections 101 and 102 of the Road Traffic Act 1930 to the running by the said Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of Public Service Vehicles on the roads situate outside the County Borough of Walsall as set out in Column (3) hereunder:—

Nature of Proposed Service (1)	Terminal Points (2)	Consent desired on the following roads situate outside the County Borough of Walsall (3)
Stage Carriage	Lichfield Road, Brownhills, and Station Road, Lichfield	<i>In the Rural District of Lichfield:—</i> From junction of Ogley Hay Road/Green Lane to junction of Stockhay Lane/Lichfield Road: Green Lane ... .. 560 yards Meerash Lane ... .. 963 yards Pingle Lane ... .. 933 yards Stockhay Lane ... .. 453 yards  Total distance of 2,909 yards

Any objection to the Application by any of the persons or bodies named in Section 102 (1) of the said Act must be in writing and must state the grounds on which it is based and must be sent in triplicate to the Licensing Authority for Public Service Vehicles for the West Midland Traffic Area, York House, Great Charles Street, Birmingham, 3, so as to reach them on or before the 25th day of March, 1949, and at the same time a copy thereof must be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this Fifteenth day of February, 1949.

W. STALEY BROOKES, Town Clerk.

The Council House,  
Walsall.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1937, AND AGRICULTURE ACT, 1937 (PART IV), GREAT BRITAIN  
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES

## RETURN No. 3/1949. OUTBREAKS OF SCHEDULED (NOTIFIABLE) DISEASES WHICH HAVE BEEN CONFIRMED BY THE MINISTRY during the period

1st to 15th FEBRUARY, 1949

Summary of Returns of outbreaks of certain scheduled (notifiable) diseases which have been confirmed by the Ministry during the period 1st to 15th February, 1949.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Fowl Pest.	Parasitic Mange.*		Sheep Scab.	Swine Fever.	
	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered.
Period 1st to 15th February, 1949 ...	8	8	1	431	27	—	—	3	1	—
Corresponding period in { 1948 ... ..	10	11	—	—	14	1	1	5	1	2
{ 1947 ... ..	4	4	8	773	—	—	—	1	6	1
{ 1946 ... ..	3	3	4	353	—	1	1	7	42	30
Total 1st Jan. to 15th February, 1949	24	24	1	431	72	—	—	10	3	—
Corresponding period in { 1948 ... ..	16	17	—	—	68	1	1	15	4	2
{ 1947 ... ..	9	9	49	4,128	—	—	—	13	8	1
{ 1946 ... ..	18	18	17	1,357	—	4	4	16	90	67

NOTE.—The figures for the current year are approximate only.

\* Excluding outbreaks in Army Horses.

NOTE.—The following diseases were eradicated from Great Britain in the years indicated:—Cattle plague or rinder-pest (*pestis-bovina*), 1877; pleuro-pneumonia (*peripneumonia contagiosa bovum*), 1898; sheep pox (*variola ovium*), 1850; rabies, 1922; epizootic lymphangitis (*lymphangitis epizootica*), 1906; and glanders (including farcy) (*malleus*), 1928. Dourine (*exanthema coitale paralyticum*) has never existed in Great Britain.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
24th February, 1949.