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## State Intelligence

### HONOURS AND AWARDS

#### HOME OFFICE

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

24th November 1964.

The QUEEN was pleased on Friday, 20th November 1964, at Buckingham Palace, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon:

The Right Honourable Frederick Elwyn JONES, Q.C., M.P., Her Majesty's Attorney General.  
Dingle Mackintosh FOOT, Esq., Q.C., M.P., Her Majesty's Solicitor General.

### PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of November 1964.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas the Minister of Housing and Local Government, after giving to the Incumbent and Churchwardens of the Parish of West Retford in the County of Nottingham, ten days' previous notice of his intention in that behalf, has, under the provisions of the Burial Act, 1853, as amended by subsequent enactments, made a Representation to Her Majesty in Council that, for the protection of the Public Health, burials should be discontinued forthwith and entirely in the Churchyard of St. Michael's Church in the said Parish:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give Notice of such Representation and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council on the 13th day of January next.

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the *London Gazette*, and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the Churches or Chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the Parish affected by such Representation one month before the said 13th day of January.

W. G. Agnew.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of November 1964.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas Her Majesty maintains a Foreign Service, a Commonwealth Service and a Trade Commission Service;

And whereas it is expedient to establish a single Service to take the place of the said Services;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. On 1st January 1965 Her Majesty's Foreign Service, the Commonwealth Service and the Trade Commission Service shall be amalgamated to form a single Service which shall be known as "Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service" and which shall discharge the functions of the Services aforesaid.

2. On 1st January 1965 the following persons who were immediately before that date members of the Services mentioned below shall become members of Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service in a grade determined by the Secretary of State to be equivalent to the substantive rank which they held immediately before the said date in the said Services:

- (a) all members of Her Majesty's Foreign Service;
- (b) all members of the Commonwealth Service who have not before that date elected to remain members of the Home Civil Service;
- (c) those members of the Trade Commission Service who before that date have applied to join Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service and have been accepted for it by the Secretary of State.

3.—(1) A person who immediately before 1st January 1965 is a member of the Trade Commission Service but who on that date does not become a member of Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service may, if he either has applied for transfer thereto or does so before 1st January 1966, be accepted for transfer to Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service by the Secretary of State.

(2) A person for whom a Certificate of Qualification for service in Her Majesty's Foreign Service or the Commonwealth Relations Office has been issued by the Civil Service Commissioners before 1st January 1965 but who has not on that date taken up appointment may be appointed in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service by virtue of the said Certificate of Qualification.

4. Members of the Commonwealth Service who on 1st January 1965 become members of Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service may at any time before 1st January 1966 elect to transfer to the Home Civil Service, and those who so elect may be so transferred without the issue of a further Certificate of Qualification by the Civil Service Commissioners.

5. The incorporation under the foregoing provisions of this Order of a person in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service shall not affect that person's tenure of any post or appointment in the service of Her Majesty held at the date of incorporation; provided that in the case of a post or appointment in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service such person shall, on becoming a member of that Service, hold the post or appointment as a member of that Service and subject to the conditions and regulations applicable to such members.

6.—(1) Except as provided in Articles 2 and 3 of this Order, no person shall be appointed a member