

Colin Trevor Brant, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General at Doha (11th January 1978)
 Kenneth Ernest Laddie Barton, Esquire, MBE, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General at Madrid (25th January 1978)
 David Gordon Crawford, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General at Atlanta (27th January 1978)
 Rex Goring-Morris, Esquire, OBE, to be Her Majesty's Consul General at Bangkok (31st January 1978)
 Alan Kenneth Mason, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General at Hanover (1st February 1978)
 William Norman Hillier-Fry, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General at Hamburg (1st February 1978)
 Frank Henry Brown, Esquire, OBE, to be Her Majesty's Consul General at Paramaribo (2nd March 1978)
 John Rodney Johnson, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General to the Republic of Chad (3rd March 1978).
 David Albert Dewberry, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Mexico City (16th November 1977)
 John Lewis Beaven, Esquire, MVO, to be Her Majesty's Consul at New York (15th January 1978)
 William Frederick Barry Price, Esquire, OBE, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Houston (17th January 1978)
 John Clive Harrison, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Luxembourg (18th January 1978)
 Guy Patrick Lockton, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Seoul (19th January 1978)
 Ronald Victor Juchau, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Alicante (25th January 1978)
 Albert Brian Gundersen, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at New York (1st February 1978)
 Jack Lionel William Hobbs, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Geneva (20th February 1978)
 Michael Joseph Wilmshurst, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Guatemala City (16th March 1978)
 Richard Robert Reeve, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul for Macao (7th December 1977).

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the undermentioned to be Officers of Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service:

Diplomatic Service Commissions:
 (6th February 1978)

Michael John Bennett, Esquire, MBE
 Peter Cooper, Esquire
 Norman Cecil Druery, Esquire
 Sydney Norman Lee, Esquire
 Richard George Lewington, Esquire
 Henry McCrory, Esquire
 Miss Marion Moffat Tinman, MBE
 Stephen Edward Turner, Esquire

(10th March 1978)

Denis Terence Healy, Esquire
 Miss June Helen Welsh Reid
 Peter Johnstone, Esquire
 Robert Patrick Whillock, Esquire
 Charles Francis Mochan, Esquire
 Michael John Peart, Esquire
 William James Syrratt, Esquire

(10th March 1978)

Bertie John Wheatley, Esquire, MBE

(20th March 1978)

Robert Alexander Facey, Esquire
 Richard Michael Jackson, Esquire

The Queen has been pleased to approve of:

(1st February 1978) Colonel Carlos Elizalde Cabal as Consul of Ecuador at Liverpool.
 Signor Emiliano Guidotti as Consul-General of Italy at Port Stanley.
 (10th February 1978) Mr Torao Nishimaki as Consul for the State of Brunei, with residence at Kota Kinabalu.
 (14th February 1978) Mr Timothy Julian Spurrier as Honorary Vice-Consul of The Netherlands at Lowestoft
 (20th February 1978) Mr Brian James William Ellison as Honorary Vice-Consul of The Netherlands at Plymouth
 Senhor Manuel Atunes Caldas Faria as Consul-General of the Portuguese Republic at London
 (8th March 1978) Senor Abel Ernesto Lopez as Consul of the Federal Republic of Germany at Belize City
 (10th March 1978) Monsieur Eleftheris Eliopoulos as Consul-General of the Hellenic Republic at London.

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HIGHWAYS ACTS 1959 TO 1971

*The County Council of Mid Glamorgan
 (Caerphilly Northern Bypass Penrhos to Treceynydd Section)
 (Side Roads) Order 1977*

The Secretary of State for Wales hereby gives notice that he has confirmed the above Order which was made by the County Council of Mid Glamorgan under Sections 1, 3 and 62 of the Highways Act 1971 and which, as confirmed, provides for authorising the Council:

- a. to improve lengths of (a) the Nantgarw-Caerphilly Road A468 at Penrhos (b) Black Cock Road, Penrhos (c) Old Nantgarw Road, Penrhos and (d) St Cenydd Road, Treceynydd;
- b. to stop up other lengths of the above named roads together with a length of The Crescent/West Avenue, Treceynydd from its junction with St Cenydd Road, Treceynydd;
- c. to construct (a) a new length of road from the northern end of Black Cock Road (as improved), and (b) a new length of road and a footway from Old Nantgarw Road as connections to the new highway which the Council propose to construct from Penrhos to Treceynydd as part of the Caerphilly Northern By-Pass, and
- d. to stop up the existing private means of access at (a) the gated entrance to O.S. Field No 6525 off the Nantgarw-Caerphilly Road, A468 (b) the access road to Gwaun Gledyr Isaf and (c) the access road to Penrhos tip and to provide appropriate alternative accesses thereto
 all on or in the vicinity of the route of the classified road which the Council are proposing to construct between Penrhos and Treceynydd.

Copies of the Order (as confirmed) and of the relevant plans may be inspected free of charge at all reasonable hours at the offices of the Rhymney Valley District Council at Hengoed and Mountain Road, Caerphilly; Mid Glamorgan County Council at County Hall, Cathays Park, Cardiff and at the Welsh Office, Transport and Highways Group, Government Buildings, Ty Glas Road, Llanishen, Cardiff.

Any person aggrieved by the Order and desiring to question the validity thereof, or of any provision contained therein on the ground that it is not within the powers of the Highways Act 1971 or on the ground that any requirement of the Highways Act 1959 or the Highways Act 1971 or of any regulations made thereunder has not been complied with in relation to the Order, may, within 6 weeks of 17th April 1978 apply to the High Court for the suspension or quashing of the Order or of any provision contained therein.

R. G. Hicks, a Principal, Welsh Office

HEALTH AND SAFETY EXECUTIVE

FACTORIES ACT 1961

EMPLOYMENT OF WOMEN AND YOUNG PERSONS

In accordance with Section 117 of the Factories Act 1961, the Health and Safety Executive hereby gives notice that, during the month ending 31st March 1978, it has made special exemption orders relating to the employment of women and/or young persons at the following factories:

Abbott Laboratories Ltd. Whiteway, Queensborough.
 Aberdare Cables Ltd. Treceynydd, Aberdare.
 Abingdon Carpets Ltd. Pen-y-Fan Industrial Estate, Croespenmaen, Crumlin.
 Acorn Typesetting and Litho Services Ltd. Pulborough Way, Green Lane, Hounslow.
 Alcoa Foils (GB) Ltd. Invicta Works, Barking-by-Pass, Barking.
 Allied Industrial Services, Richmond Road, Bradford.
 Sir Richard Arkwright & Co. (English Sewing Ltd.—Spinning Division) Bridgewater Mill, Worsley Street, Pendlebury.
 Thomas Ashworth & Co. Ltd. Sycamore Avenue, Burnley.
 C E Automation Ltd. Bennet Road, Reading.