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GOVERNOR OF NORTHERN IRELAND CORRECTION

The entry on page 487 of the *Belfast Gazette* published on Friday, 27th November, 1970, relating to the appointment of John Andrew Oliver Esquire to be a Civil Service Commissioner for Northern Ireland should read—John Andrew Oliver Esquire, C.B., *idc*, Second Secretary to the Ministry of Development for Northern Ireland.

OFFICE OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL OF NORTHERN IRELAND

7th December 1970

A Meeting of the Privy Council of Northern Ireland was held at Government House, Hillsborough, today, at which the following were present:

His Excellency the Governor of Northern Ireland
The Right Honourable W. K. Fitzsimmons, M.P.
The Right Honourable R. H. Bradford, M.P.
The Right Honourable J. D. Taylor, M.P.

K. P. Bloomfield, Deputy Clerk of the Council.

H.M. TREASURY

Treasury Chambers,
London SW1

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that they have made an Order under Sections 1, 2 and 13 of the Import Duties Act 1958

Viz: The Import Duties (General) (No. 7) Order 1970

This Order:

- consolidates all Import Duties (General) Orders as at 1st January, 1971;
- implements the third stage of the Kennedy Round reductions;
- effects some further simplifications of the tariff;
- indicates decimal equivalents (effective from 15th February, 1971) of specific duty rates, a few of which have been very slightly reduced to facilitate conversion, and

- introduces metric units into a limited part of the tariff from 1st January, 1971.

The Order comes into operation on 1st January, 1971 and has been published as Statutory Instruments 1970 No. 1522.

Copies of the Order may be purchased from Her Majesty's Stationery Office, 7 Linenhall Street, Belfast, BT2 8AY.

POST OFFICE TELECOMMUNICATIONS

SCHEME T5/1970

NOTE—The Scheme which follows this Note amends the Telegraph (Inland Written Telegram) Regulations 1963 (S.I. 1963 No. 558) which have effect under paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to the Post Office Act 1969 as if they were provisions of a Scheme made under section 28 of that Act. The amendment of the Regulations is consequential upon the decision to withdraw the general delivery of telegrams on Christmas Day and New Year's Day (in Scotland) and on Christmas Day and Boxing Day (in other parts of the British Islands).

(This Note is not part of the Scheme).

THE POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH (INLAND WRITTEN TELEGRAM) AMENDMENT (No. 1)

SCHEME 1970

Made	9th December 1970
Coming into operation	21st December 1970

The Post Office, by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by section 28 of, and paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to, the Post Office Act 1969, and all other powers enabling it in this behalf hereby makes the following Scheme:

Commencement, citation and interpretation

1. (1) This Scheme shall come into operation on the 21st day of December 1970, and may be cited as the Post Office Telegraph (Inland Written Telegram) Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1970.

(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Telegraph (Inland Written Telegram) Regulations 1963 (S.I. 1963 No. 558) (hereinafter called "the Regulations").

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889 applies for the interpretation of this Scheme as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Days and times for delivery of telegrams

2. The following regulations shall be inserted immediately after regulation 25 of the Regulations:

"Days and times for delivery of telegrams

25A. A telegram may be delivered on on such days and at such times as the Post Office may determine."

Special instructions for delivery

3. The following paragraph shall be inserted at the end of regulation 20 of the Regulations:

"(3) Any such special instructions, if registered by the Post Office, shall be subject to the provisions of regulation 25A as regards the days and times of delivery of telegrams."

Dated 9th December 1970

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by Ena A. Knight (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

SCHEME T6/1970

NOTE—The Scheme which follows this Note amends the Telegraph (Inland Written Press Telegram) Regulations 1954 (S.I. 1954 No. 1743) as amended, which have effect under paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to the Post Office Act 1969 as if they were provisions of a Scheme made under section 28 of that Act. The amendment of the Regulations is consequential upon the decision to withdraw the general delivery of telegrams on Christmas Day and New Year's Day (in Scotland) and on Christmas Day and Boxing Day (in other parts of the British Islands). (This Note is not part of the Scheme).

THE POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH (INLAND WRITTEN PRESS TELEGRAM) AMENDMENT (No. 3) SCHEME 1970

Made 9th December 1970

Coming into operation 21st December 1970

The Post Office, by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by section 28 of, and paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to, the Post Office Act 1969, and all other powers enabling it in this behalf hereby makes the following Scheme:—

Commencement, citation and interpretation

1. (1) This Scheme shall come into operation on the 21st day of December 1970 and may be cited as the Post Office Telegraph (Inland Written Press Telegram) Amendment (No. 3) Scheme 1970.

(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Telegraph (Inland Written Press Telegram) Regulations 1954 (S.I. 1954 No. 1743) (hereinafter called "the Regulations"), as amended by the Telegraph (Inland Written Press Telegram) Amendment (No. 1) Regulations 1955 (S.I. 1955 No. 1892) and the Telegraph (Inland Written Press Telegram) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1963 (S.I. 1963 No. 559).

(3) The Interpretation Act 1889 applies for the interpretation of this Scheme as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Days and times for delivery of telegrams

2. The following regulations shall be inserted immediately after regulation 12 of the Regulations:

"Days and times for the delivery of telegrams

12A. A press telegram may be delivered on such days and at such times as the Post Office may determine."

Dated 9th December 1970

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by Ena A. Knight (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

SCHEME T7/1970

NOTE—The Scheme which follows this Note amends the Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Regulations, 1959 (S.I. 1959/No. 2099) which have effect under paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to the Post Office Act, 1969, as if they were provisions of a Scheme made under Section 28 of that Act. The amendment of the Regulations is consequential upon the decision to withdraw the general delivery of telegrams on Christmas Day and New Year's Day (in Scotland) and on Christmas Day and Boxing Day (in other parts of the British Islands). (This note is not part of the Scheme).

THE POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH (BRITISH COMMONWEALTH AND FOREIGN WRITTEN TELEGRAM) AMENDMENT (No. 1) SCHEME 1970

Made 9th December, 1970

Coming into operation 21st December, 1970

The Post Office, by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by Section 28 of, and paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 9 to, the Post Office Act, 1969, and all other powers enabling it in this behalf hereby makes the following Scheme:

Commencement, citation and interpretation

1. (1) This Scheme shall come into operation on the 21st day of December, 1970, and may be cited as the Post Office Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1970.

(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Telegraph (British Commonwealth and Foreign Written Telegram) Regulations, 1959 (S.I. 1959, No. 2099) (hereinafter called "the Regulations").

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1889, applies for the interpretation of this Scheme as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Delivery of telegrams

2. In Part 6 of the Regulations the following regulation shall be inserted immediately before regulation 35:

"Delivery of telegrams

34a. A telegram may be delivered to a place within the British Islands, on such days and at such times, and by such means as the Post Office may determine."

Special instructions for delivery

3. The following paragraph shall be inserted at the end of regulation 27 of the Regulations:

"(4) Any such special instructions, if registered or extended in accordance with this regulation, shall be subject to the provisions of regulation 34A as regards the delivery of telegrams."

Dated 9th December, 1970.

J. Hodgson,

Signed on behalf of the Post Office by James Hodgson (a person authorised by the Post Office to act in that behalf).

DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND PRODUCTIVITY

PRICES AND INCOMES ACT 1966

National Freight Corporation

DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 5(4) FURTHER EXTENDING THE PERIOD WHICH THE NATIONAL BOARD FOR PRICES AND INCOMES MUST PUBLISH THEIR REPORT

1. Whereas the First Secretary of State and Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity and the Minister of Transport, in pursuance of their powers under section 2(1) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966, referred the above-mentioned question to the National Board for Prices and Incomes for examination and have published the text of the reference in the Gazette on 9th June, 1970:

2. And whereas by section 5(3) of the Act, but subject to section 5(4), the Board are required to make their report so as to allow publication within three months of the said date;

3. And whereas, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), the Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity and the Minister of Transport, by a direction published in the Gazette on 4th September, 1970, extended the said period of three months by three months;

4. Now, therefore the Secretary of State for Employment and the Secretary of State for the Environment, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), hereby direct that the said period of three months be further extended by two months.

Motor Vehicle Repair and Servicing

DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 5(4) FURTHER EXTENDING THE PERIOD WHICH THE NATIONAL BOARD FOR PRICES AND INCOMES MUST PUBLISH THEIR REPORT

1. Whereas the First Secretary of State and Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity and the Minister of Technology, in pursuance of their powers under section 2(1) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966, referred the above-mentioned question to the National Board for Prices and Incomes for examination, and have published the text of the reference in the Gazette on 11th June, 1970;

2. And whereas by section 5(3) of the Act, but subject to section 5(4), the Board are required to make their report so as to allow publication within three months of the said date;

3. And whereas, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), the Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity and the Minister of Technology, by a direction published in the Gazette on 4th September, 1970, extended the said period of three months by three months;

4. Now, therefore, the Secretary of State for Employment and the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), hereby direct that the said period of three months be further extended by two months.

Report by the National Board for Prices and Incomes

PAY OF THE ARMED FORCES

1. On 2nd November, 1967, in pursuance of their powers under section 3(2) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966, the Secretary of State for Economic Affairs, the Chancellor of the Exchequer and the Secretary of State for Defence, acting jointly, instructed the National Board for Prices and Incomes to keep under continuous review the pay and allowances of members of naval, military or air forces of the Crown and of any women's services administered by the Defence Council.

2. The Board has now made its fifth report, and in accordance with section 5(1) of the Act, the Prime Minister and Minister for the Civil Service, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Secretary of State for Defence and the Secretary of State for Employment hereby give notice that this report, entitled "Separation Allowance," was first published as Command Paper Number 4529 on 12th November, 1970.

ICE CREAM PRICES

1. On 16th June, 1970, in pursuance of their powers under Section 2(1) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966, the First Secretary of State and Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity and the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food referred to the National Board for Prices and Incomes for examination and report the question of costs, prices and profitability in the ice-cream manufacturing industry.

2. The Board has now made its report, entitled "Costs, Prices and Profitability in the Ice-Cream Manufacturing Industry." In accordance with Section 5(1) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966, the Secretary of State for Employment and the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food hereby give notice that the report was first published as Command Paper Number 4548 on 3rd December, 1970.

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

ULSTER FOLK MUSEUM

Board of Trustees

In accordance with the provisions of the Ulster Folk Museum Act (N.I.) 1958 the following have been appointed to serve as trustees for a further period of three years from 1st October, 1970:

Appointed by the Senate of the Queen's University of Belfast:

Professor E. Estyn Evans, F.S.A., M.R.I.A.

Appointed by the Ulster Association of County Councils:

His Grace the Duke of Abercorn, H.M.L.

Captain M. H. Armstrong, D.L.

James Gunn, Esq.

Appointed by the Association of Local Authorities of Northern Ireland:

Lt. Col. K. C. C. Smith, D.S.O., J.P.

Alderman C. F. Milligan.

Lt. Col. D. C. McCormack, J.P.

Appointed by the Association of District Councils:

R. Taylor-Nobbs, Esq.

Appointed by the Corporation of the City of Belfast:

Councillor Miss I. M. E. McAleery.

Appointed by Londonderry Development Commission:

Sir Samuel Orr, J.P.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

CORRECTION

The entry on page 489 of the Belfast Gazette published on Friday, 27th November, 1970 should read:

AGRICULTURE (TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE) ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1954 AND 1957

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Agriculture, with the approval of the Minister of Finance and in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Agriculture (Temporary Assistance) Acts (Northern Ireland) 1954 and 1957 and of all other powers him thereunto enabling, made on 18th November, 1970 the Erection of Glasshouses Grants Scheme (Northern Ireland) 1970 (S. R. & O. 1970, No. 294).

Copies of the Regulations may be purchased at an early date from Her Majesty's Stationery Office, 7 Linenhall Street, Belfast, BT2 8AY.

AGRICULTURAL MARKETING ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1964

Notice is hereby given that in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 2(4) of the Agricultural Marketing Act (Northern Ireland) 1964 the Ministry of Agriculture has made a Statutory Rule dated 12th November, 1970, entitled the Pigs Marketing Scheme (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1970 (S.R. & O. 1970, No. 311).

The Order removes the provision that, for the purposes of Part IV and Article 37 of the Scheme, two or more persons jointly carrying on a farm business or a corporation aggregate shall necessarily be regarded as constituting together a single registered producer. It also provides that:—