

Subject to the exemptions provided by virtue of section 11 (4) of the Act if, on any day after the Order has come into operation, smoke is emitted from a chimney of any building within the smoke control area, the occupier of that building shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding £20 unless he proves that the emission of smoke was not caused by the use of any fuel other than authorised fuel. The authorised fuels include anthracite, coke and other carbonised fuels, gas and electricity.

Fireplaces in buildings or parts of buildings separately occupied without gas supply shall be exempted from the operation of section 11 of the said Act on condition that only authorised fuels as declared by regulations made under the said Act and kindling sticks and paper shall be used in the fireplaces.

If confirmed, the Order will not come into operation before the 1st November 1975 or before a later date determined by the Secretary of State for the Environment.

Copies of the Order and of the map referred to therein may be inspected free of charge at the Secretary and Solicitor's Office, Town Hall, Leamington Spa, at all reasonable times during the period of six weeks from the 20th December 1974.

Within the said period, any person who will be affected by the Order may by notice in writing to the Secretary, Department of the Environment, 2 Marsham Street, London SW1P 3EB, object to the confirmation of the Order.

#### SCHEDULE

All that area of land comprising approximately 86 acres or thereabouts at Leamington Spa in the District of Warwick bounded on the south-west by Royal Leamington Spa Smoke Control Orders Nos. 9 and 11 on the south-east by the rear boundaries of Nos. 2-86 Rugby Road and 1 Windmill Hill, on the north-east mainly by the centre of Kenilworth Road, New Cubbington, and on the north-west by the centre of Leicester Lane, all of which said area of land is delineated and coloured green on the map referred to in the Order.

Dated 13th December 1974.

C. J. George, Secretary and Solicitor.

Town Hall,  
Leamington Spa.

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## POST OFFICE

### SCHEME P9/1974

NOTE: The Scheme which follows this note has been made under section 28 of the Post Office Act 1969 and amends the Post Office Inland Post Scheme 1972. The Scheme, which will come into operation on 30th December 1974, makes amendments to the provisions relating to undeliverable postal packets except parcels.

(This note is not part of the Scheme)

### THE POST OFFICE INLAND POST AMENDMENT (No. 6) SCHEME 1974

Made - - - - 12th November 1974  
Coming into Operation 30th December 1974

The Post Office, by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by section 28 of 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 30th December 1974 and may be cited as the Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 6) Scheme 1974.

(2) This Scheme shall be read as one with the Post Office Inland Post Scheme 1972 (Post Office Scheme P7/1972) (hereinafter called "the Scheme") as amended by the Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 1) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P1/1973), The Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 2) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P10/1973), the Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 3) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P11/1973), the Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 4) Scheme 1973 (Post Office Scheme P12/1973) and the Post

Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 5A) Scheme 1974 (Post Office Scheme P5A/1974).

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

#### Undeliverable postal packets (except parcels)

2.—(1) For paragraph 16 of this Scheme there shall be substituted the following:

"16.—(1) In the case of any postal packet (other than (i) a parcel, (ii) a letter accepted for transmission as a second class letter under paragraph 35 of the Scheme or (iii) a current registered newspaper) which for any reason cannot be delivered, the following provisions shall apply:

- (a) where the name and address of the sender appear legibly on the outside of the packet, the packet shall be returned to the sender unopened, but subject to payment of any charges to which it has become liable;
- (b) where the name and address of the sender do not appear on the outside of the packet or are illegible, the packet shall be opened by any officer of the Post Office duly authorised in that behalf and if the packet is found to contain or consist wholly or partly of anything other than commercial advertising matter, newspapers or magazines, then if the name and address of the sender can be ascertained, the packet shall be returned to the sender, subject to payment of any charges to which it has become liable;
- (c) if the packet has been opened by an officer of the Post Office in pursuance of sub-paragraph (1) (b) of this paragraph and the name and address of the sender cannot be ascertained, or it is found to contain or consist of nothing except commercial advertising matter, newspapers or magazines, it may be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Post Office may think fit.

(2) In the case of (i) a letter accepted for transmission as a second class letter under paragraph 35 of the Scheme or (ii) a postal packet which is a current registered newspaper, being in either case a packet which for any reason cannot be delivered, the following provisions shall apply:

- (a) where the name and address of the sender appear legibly on the outside of the packet, the packet shall be returned to the sender unopened, subject to payment of any charges to which it has become liable;
- (b) where the name and address of the sender do not appear on the outside of the packet or are illegible, the packet may be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Post Office may think fit.

(3) If a packet shall be tendered to the sender under the provisions of this paragraph and he refuses or fails to pay any charges to which the packet has become liable, the packet may be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Post Office may think fit."

(2) The following shall be added to paragraph 22 of the Scheme as substituted by the Post Office Inland Post Amendment (No. 4) Scheme 1973:

"(5) The name and address of the sender shall appear legibly on the outside of all current registered newspapers (or if enclosed in a cover or envelope on the outside of such cover or envelope) intended for transmission by post under this paragraph where the sender wishes the current registered newspaper to be returned to him as provided in paragraph 16 (2) of the Scheme as substituted by this Scheme."

(3) The following shall be inserted immediately after paragraph 35 (2) of the Scheme:

"(2A) The name and address of the sender shall appear legibly on the outside of all letters intended for transmission by post under this paragraph where the sender wishes the letter to be returned to him as provided in paragraph 16 (2) of the Scheme as substituted by this Scheme."

Dated 12th November 1974

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