STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1969 No. 544

PRICES AND INCOMES

The Awards and Settlements (Temporary Continuation of Standstill) (No. 1) Order 1969

Made - - -	*15th April* 1969
Laid before Parliament	*18th April* 1969
Coming into Operation	*19th April* 1969

Whereas by virtue of a Reference to the National Board for Prices and Incomes under section 2(1) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966(**a**) (the text whereof was published on 24th December 1968 in the Edinburgh Gazette) the implementation of the agreement described in Article 2 hereof relating to the pay of certain workers employed by members of the Electrical Contractors' Association of Scotland was forbidden by section 15(2) of that Act;

And whereas before the said implementation ceased to be so forbidden a Report of the Board on the said Reference was published on 20th March 1969(**b**) with a recommendation adverse to the implementation of the said agreement;

And whereas by virtue of the said recommendation and subsections (1) and (2)(*a*) of section 1 of the Prices and Incomes Act 1967(**c**) the said section 15(2) continued to apply to the implementation of the said agreement as it applied up to the date of publication of the said Report:

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State, having given notice under section 1(2)(*a*) of the said Act of 1967 within a period of ten days after the date of the said publication, of a proposal to make this Order, and having taken into consideration representations duly made in pursuance of the said notice, in exercise of the powers conferred on her by section 1(2)(*b*) of the said Act of 1967, as amended by section 3(2) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1968(**d**), and of all other powers enabling her in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order, which may be cited as the Awards and Settlements (Temporary Continuation of Standstill) (No. 1) Order 1969, shall come into operation on 19th April 1969.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(**e**) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The Secretary of State hereby directs that section 15(2) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966 shall continue to apply to forbid the implementation up to and including 23rd November 1969 of the agreement made on 18th December 1968 between the Electrical Contractors' Association of Scotland and the

(**a**) 1966 c. 33.
(**b**) Report No. 108 entitled "Pay and conditions in the Electrical Contracting Industry in Scotland" (Cmnd. 3966).
(**c**) 1967 c. 53.
(**d**) 1968 c. 42.
(**e**) 1889 c. 63.

Electrical and Electronic Trades Union providing, with effect from 18th December 1968, for increases in the hourly rates of wages of chargehands, journeymen electricians, journeymen armature winders and apprentices employed by members of the said Association.

15th April 1969.

Barbara Castle,
First Secretary of State and
Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order, which has effect from 19th April 1969, provides for the further continuation until 23rd November 1969 of the standstill on the implementation of an agreement relating to the pay of certain workers employed by members of the Electrical Contractors' Association of Scotland.