STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1977 No. 1406

WATER, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Bournemouth and District Water Order 1977

Made - - - 11*th August* 1977

Coming into Operation 1*st September* 1977

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 32 and 50 of the Water Act 1945(a) and now vested in him(b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Citation and commencement.

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Bournemouth and District Water Order 1977 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1977.

(2) The Bournemouth and District Water Acts and Orders 1873 to 1976 and this order may be cited together as the Bournemouth and District Water Acts and Orders 1873 to 1977.

Interpretation.

2. In this order—

"the undertaking" means the undertaking of the Bournemouth and District Water Company as for the time being authorised by any enactment;

and unless the context otherwise requires, any reference in this order to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended by, or having effect by virtue of, any subsequent enactment, including this order.

Power to make single quarterly rate.

3. Section 55 (making and dates for payment of water rates) of the Third Schedule to the Water Act 1945 as applied to the undertaking by section 3 of the Bournemouth and District Water Order 1961(c) shall have effect as if there were inserted at the end of subsection (1) thereof the following proviso—

"Provided that notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this subsection the undertakers may make a water rate by fixing a rate poundage in respect of the period of three months next following the expiration of any one such period of twelve months.".

(a) 1945 c. 42.

(b) S.I. 1951/142, 1900, 1970/1681 (1951 I, pp. 1348, 1347; 1970 III, p. 5551).

(c) 1961/628.

Application of section 94 of Third Schedule to Water Act 1945.

4. For the purposes of this order, section 94 of the Third Schedule to the Water Act 1945 (which requires undertakers to keep a copy of the special Act at their principal office and to deposit copies with certain officers) shall apply to the undertaking and is hereby incorporated with this order.

Costs of order.

5. The costs, charges and expenses of and incidental to the application for and the preparation and making of this order may in whole or in part be defrayed out of revenue.

A. G. Semple,

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

An Under Secretary in the Department of the Environment.

11th August 1977.

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