STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1972 No. 1580

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The Carriage by Railway (Parties to Convention) Order 1972

Made - - - 23*rd October* 1972

At the Court at Windsor Castle, the 23rd day of October 1972

Present,
The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her by section 2(1) and (2) of the Carriage by Railway Act 1972(**a**), and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Carriage by Railway (Parties to Convention) Order 1972.

2. It is hereby certified that the Contracting States for the purposes of the Additional Convention to the International Convention concerning the Carriage of Passengers and Luggage by Rail (**b**) are as specified in Schedule 1 to this Order.

3. It is hereby certified that the Contracting States which have made a declaration in accordance with paragraph 2 of article 1 of the said Convention are as specified in Schedule 2 to this Order.

W. G. Agnew.

SCHEDULE 1

The Contracting States for the purposes of the Convention and the date of entry into force of the Convention with respect to such States are as follows: —

Contracting States	Date of entry into force
The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	1st January 1973
The Democratic and Popular Republic of Algeria	,, ,,
The Republic of Austria	,, ,,
The Kingdom of Belgium	,, ,,
The People's Republic of Bulgaria	,, ,,
The Czechoslovak Socialist Republic	,, ,,

(**a**) 1972 c. 33. (**b**) Cmnd. 4969

The Kingdom of Denmark	"	"
The Republic of Finland	"	"
The French Republic	"	"
The Republic of Iraq	"	"
The Principality of Liechtenstein	"	"
The Grand Duchy of Luxembourg	"	"
The Kingdom of the Netherlands	"	"
The Kingdom of Norway	"	"
The Polish People's Republic	"	"
The Republic of Portugal	"	"
The Spanish State	"	"
The Swiss Confederation	"	"
The Syrian Arab Republic	"	"
The Republic of Turkey	"	"
The Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia	"	"

SCHEDULE 2

The Contracting States which have made a declaration in accordance with paragraph 2 of article 1 of the Convention are as follows:—

The Republic of Austria
The People's Republic of Bulgaria
The Czechoslovak Socialist Republic
The Kingdom of Denmark
The Republic of Finland
The Republic of Iraq
The Kingdom of Norway
The Polish People's Republic
The Republic of Portugal

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

The Carriage by Railway Act 1972 gives effect in the United Kingdom to the Additional Convention to the International Convention concerning the Carriage of Passengers and Luggage by Rail signed at Berne between 26th February and 1st July 1966. This Order certifies which are the Contracting States to the Convention and which of these have made a declaration in accordance with Article 1(2) of the Convention. The Order is, except in so far as it may be superseded by a subsequent Order, conclusive evidence of the matters so certified.

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