STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1961 No. 318

COMPANIES

The Companies (Winding-Up) (Amendment) Rules, 1961

Made - - - -	*22nd February*, 1961
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Coming into Operation	*6th March*, 1961

I, DAVID VISCOUNT KILMUIR, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, with the concurrence of the President of the Board of Trade, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 365 (1) of the Companies Act, 1948(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf do hereby make the following Rules:—

1. The Companies (Winding-up) Rules, 1949(b), as amended(c), shall be amended as follows:—

(*a*) in Rule 34, for the words "six o'clock" there shall be substituted the words "four o'clock" and, for the words "not later than one o'clock in the afternoon of the Saturday previous to such day", there shall be substituted the words "of the Friday previous to such day.";

(*b*) for paragraph (4) of Rule 72 there shall be substituted the following:—

"(4) The shorthand writer shall be paid a sum not exceeding four guineas a day for attending the examination, and a sum not exceeding 1s. 6d. per folio of 72 words for any transcript of the shorthand note of the evidence which may be required"; and

(*c*) paragraph (6) of Rule 72 shall be omitted.

2. These Rules shall apply in relation to payments made on or after the date on which these Rules come into operation for attendances and transcripts made on or after the 1st June, 1960.

3. These Rules may be cited as the Companies (Winding-up) (Amendment) Rules, 1961, and shall come into operation on the 6th day of March, 1961.

Dated this 22nd day of February, 1961.

Kilmuir, C.

I concur,

Dated this 22nd day of February, 1961.

R. Maudling,
President of the Board of Trade.

(a) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 38. (b) S.I. 1949/330 (1949 I, p. 789).
(c) S.I. 1954/162, 1957/973 (1954 I, p. 509; 1957 I, p. 465).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Rules, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Rules amend the Companies (Winding-up) Rules, 1949,—

(*a*) by providing that persons intending to appear on the hearing of a petition for winding-up must notify the petitioner by four o'clock (instead of six o'clock) on the day before the day appointed for the hearing of the petition or, if that day is a Monday, by four o'clock on the previous Friday (instead of one o'clock on the previous Saturday); and

(*b*) by increasing the fees payable to shorthand writers in examinations in Winding-up from £2 12s. 6d. to £4 4s. 0d. a day for attending an examination and from 1s. 3d. to 1s. 6d. per folio of 72 words for a transcript.

The increases apply to attendances and transcripts made on or after the 1st June, 1960.