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CONSULAR RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES

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POWERS OF ENTRY IN RELATION TO CONSULAR OFFICES

The Consular Conventions (Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia) Order 1966

Made - - - -	20*th April* 1966
Laid before Parliament	26*th April* 1966
Coming into Operation	5*th May* 1966

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of April 1966

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by section 6(1) of the Consular Conventions Act 1949(**a**) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") it is enacted that Her Majesty may by Order in Council direct that sections 1 and 2 or section 4 of the Act (which provide for the exercise by consular officers of certain powers in relation to the property of deceased persons, and for the restriction of the powers of entry in relation to consular offices) shall apply to any foreign State specified in the Order, being a State with which a Consular Convention providing for matters for which provision is made by those sections has been concluded by Her Majesty:

And whereas such a Consular Convention between Her Majesty in respect of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the President of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia was signed at Belgrade on 21st April 1965(**b**) and will enter into force on 5th May 1966:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf by the Act or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. Sections 1 and 2 and section 4 of the Act shall apply to the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.

2. This Order may be cited as the Consular Conventions (Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia) Order 1966. It shall come into operation on 5th May 1966.

W. G. Agnew.

(**a**) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 29. (**b**) Cmnd. 2694.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order provides for the application of sections 1, 2 and 4 of the Consular Conventions Act 1949 to Yugoslavia and thus enables Her Majesty to give effect to the Consular Convention between the United Kingdom and Yugoslavia which was signed at Belgrade on 21st April 1965 (Cmnd. 2694)

The purport of sections 1, 2 and 4 of the Act is stated in the preamble to this Order. Sections 1 and 4 relate to England and, with the modifications contained in section 7 of the Act, to Northern Ireland; sections 2 and 4 relate to Scotland.