STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1971 No. 721

CONTINENTAL SHELF

The Continental Shelf (Jurisdiction) (Amendment) Order 1971

Made - - -	30*th April* 1971
Laid before Parliament	6*th May* 1971
Coming into Operation	18*th May* 1971

At the Court at Windsor Castle, the 30th day of April 1971

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by sections 3(2), 3(4), 6 and 7 of the Continental Shelf Act 1964(a), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Continental Shelf (Jurisdiction) (Amendment) Order 1971 and shall come into force on 18th May 1971.

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

Amendments to Continental Shelf (Jurisdiction) Order 1968

2. The following amendments shall be made to Article 1(3) of the Continental Shelf (Jurisdiction) Order 1968(c):—

(*a*) the word "and", where it appears before the definition of "the seventh designated area", shall be omitted and after that definition there shall be inserted the following definitions:—

'"the eighth designated area" and "the ninth designated area" mean, respectively, the areas described in paragraphs (1) and (2) and the areas described in paragraphs (3) and (4) of the Schedule to the

(a) 1964 c. 29.
(b) 1889 c. 63.
(c) S.I. 1968/892 (1968 II, p. 2373).

Continental Shelf (Designation of Additional Areas) Order 1971;'(a)

(*b*) in the definition of "the English area", for the words "third and fourth", there shall be substituted the words "third, fourth and eighth"; and

(*c*) in the definition of "the Scottish area", for the words "sixth designated area", there shall be substituted the words "sixth and ninth designated areas".

W. G. Agnew.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order includes in the areas of the United Kingdom Continental Shelf, treated respectively as English and Scottish areas for the purposes of the civil law of the two countries and related matters, the new areas designated as part of the Shelf by the Continental Shelf (Designation of Additional Areas) Order 1971.

(a) S.I. 1971/594(1971 I, p. 1586).