1956 No. 1885

The Defence Regulations (No. 5) Order, 1956

Made - - - -	*29th November,* 1956
Laid before Parliament	*5th December,* 1956
Coming into Operation	*6th December,* 1956

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 29th day of November, 1956

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in pursuance of section three of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(**a**), as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(**b**), and the Supplies and Services (Defence Purposes) Act, 1951(**c**), and continued in force by the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1955(**d**), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1.—(1) The power conferred by paragraph (1) of Regulation fifty-five of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939 (which relates to the general control of industry) to make orders for purposes described in sub-paragraph (*a*) of that paragraph shall include power to make orders for regulating or prohibiting the production, treatment, keeping, storage, movement, transport, distribution, disposal, acquisition, use or consumption of any of the substances specified in the Schedule to this Order, and sub-paragraph (*e*) of the said paragraph (1) shall have effect accordingly.

(2) The powers conferred by Regulation fifty-five AA of the said Regulations (which relates to the keeping of books, making of returns, entry and inspection) may be exercised in relation to any undertaking concerned with any of the said substances.

(3) The powers conferred by paragraph (1) of Regulation fifty-five AB of the said Regulations (which relates to price control of goods and services) may be exercised in relation to any of the said substances.

2.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Defence Regulations (No. 5) Order, 1956.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on the sixth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-six.

W. G. Agnew.

SCHEDULE

Oils produced from coal, shale or peat.

The substance commonly known as crude benzol.

Benzene, toluene, xylene and mixtures of benzene, toluene and xylene or of any two of them.

The substance commonly known as solvent naphtha.

Coal-tar, coal-tar distillates, pitch, blends of any of those distillates and blends of pitch and any of those distillates.

(**a**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10.
(**b**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.
(**c**) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 25.
(**d**) S.I. 1955/1810 (1955 II, p. 2491).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order amends Regulations 55, 55AA and 55AB of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, the scope of which was limited by the Defence Regulations (No. 9) Order, 1954, S.I. 1954/1480 (1954 II, p. 2040). Paragraph (1) of Article 1 confers power to regulate or prohibit a number of activities concerning the substances specified in the Schedule (including, in particular, production, distribution and consumption). Paragraph (2) of that Article confers power to require undertakings concerned with any of those substances to keep books and furnish information and power to authorise the inspection of such undertakings. Paragraph (3) of that article enables price control to be imposed on any of those substances.

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The Defence Regulations (No. 6) Order, 1956

Made - - - -	*29th November,* 1956
Laid before Parliament	*5th December,* 1956
Coming into Operation	*1st January,* 1957

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 29th day of November, 1956

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in pursuance of section three of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(**a**), as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(**b**), and the Supplies and Services (Defence Purposes) Act, 1951(**c**) and continued in force by the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1955(**d**), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1.—(1) The powers conferred by paragraph (1) of Regulation fifty-five of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939 (which relates to the general control of industry) shall cease to be exercisable as regards goods of the following kinds, namely, paper, tin plate, terne plate and black plate, except for the purpose of imposing in respect of the movement, transport, disposal or acquisition of goods of any of those kinds situated outside the United Kingdom or the re-export of goods of any of those kinds from the United Kingdom, such prohibitions or restrictions as appear to a competent authority to be expedient having regard to any agreement or arrangement concluded in respect of defence matters, or any consultations held in respect of such matters, between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the government of any country outside the United Kingdom.

(2) In this Article "paper" includes all descriptions (whether laminated or coated or not) of paper, paper board and pulp board.

2.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Defence Regulations (No. 6) Order, 1956.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

W. G. Agnew.

(**a**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10.
(**b**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.
(**c**) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 25.
(**d**) S.I. 1955/1810 (1955 II, p. 2491).