DISTRIBUTION OF INDUSTRY

DEVELOPMENT AREAS

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1. ENGLAND

The Distribution of Industry (Development Areas) Order, 1949*

1949 No. 692

Made - - - - 4th March, 1949

Whereas by Section 1 of the Distribution of Industry Act, 1945(a), the Board of Trade may provide premises for industrial undertakings in development areas, that is to say, the areas specified in the First Schedule to that Act.

And Whereas by subsection (2) of Section 7 of that Act where at any time it appears to the Board that the distribution of industry is such that in any area not specified in the said First Schedule there is likely to be a special danger of unemployment, the Board may by Order direct that the area shall be added to that Schedule.

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by subsection (2) of Section 7 of the said Act, hereby order and direct as follows:—

1.—(1) The following area shall be added to the First Schedule to the said Act as part of the South Wales and Monmouthshire Development Area:—

In the Administrative County of Carmarthen—

Within the Rural District of Llandilo, the parishes of Llandybie, Bettws and Quarter-Bach and the Glynamman Ward of the parish of Llandilo-Fawr Rural.

(2) The following area shall be added to the said First Schedule as a new development area:—

The Merseyside Development Area.

The County Boroughs of Liverpool and Bootle.

In the Administrative County of Lancaster—

The Urban Districts of Litherland and Huyton-with-Roby.

The parishes of Netherton, Aintree, Kirkby, Simonswood and Halewood.

The County Boroughs of Birkenhead and Wallasey.

In the Administrative County of Chester—

The Borough of Bebington.

2. This Order may be cited as the Distribution of Industry (Development Areas) Order, 1949.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1949.

Harold Wilson,

President of the Board of Trade.

(a) 8 & 9 Geo. 6. c. 36.

*In accordance with Section 7 (5) of the Distribution of Industry Act, 1945, this Order has been approved by each House of Parliament. The necessary Resolutions were passed by the House of Lords on 5th April, 1949, and by the House of Commons on 30th March, 1949.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order extends the South Wales and Monmouthshire Development Area by a boundary adjustment and creates a new development area—the Merseyside Development Area.

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2. SCOTLAND

The Distribution of Industry (Development Areas) (Scotland) Order, 1949*

1949 No. 693 (S. 38)

Made - - - 4th March, 1949

Whereas by Section 1 of the Distribution of Industry Act, 1945(a), the Board of Trade may provide premises for industrial undertakings in development areas, that is to say, the areas specified in the First Schedule to that Act.

And Whereas by subsection (2) of Section 7 of that Act where at any time it appears to the Board that the distribution of industry is such that in any area not specified in the said First Schedule there is likely to be a special danger of unemployment, the Board may by Order direct that the area shall be added to that Schedule.

And Whereas by subsection (1) of Section 16 of that Act anything required or authorised to be done by Section 7 in relation to any area in Scotland shall be done by the Board of Trade and the Secretary of State acting jointly.

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade and the Secretary of State for Scotland, acting jointly in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by subsection (2) of Section 7 and subsection (1) of Section 16 of the said Act, hereby order and direct as follows:—

1. The following areas shall be added to the said First Schedule as part of the Scottish Development Area:—

That part of the Royal Burgh of Irvine within the parish of Dundonald and within the County of Ayr.

That part of the Royal Burgh of Linlithgow within the County of West Lothian so far as situated north of the railway line from Linlithgow to Ratho.

The parishes of Kirkhill, Inverness and Bona, Ardersier, Petty, Dores, Urquhart and Glenmoriston, Kilmorack, Kiltarlity and Convinth and Boleskine and Abertarff within the County of Inverness.

The parishes of Tain, Tarbat, Fearn, Logie Easter, Kilmuir Easter, Nigg, Cromarty, Resolis, Rosemarkie, Avoch, Urquhart and Logie Wester, Knockbain, Killearnan, Rosskeen, Kiltearn, Alness, Dingwall, Fodderty, Urray, Contin, Kincardine and Edderton within the County of Ross and Cromarty.

(a) 8 & 9 Geo. 6. c. 36.

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