STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1962 No. 347

LAND DRAINAGE AND IMPROVEMENT OF LAND

The Drainage Charges (Forms) Regulations, 1962

Made - - - - 16*th February*, 1962
Coming into Operation 1*st March*, 1962

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by subsection (3) of section 5 of the Land Drainage Act, 1961(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations—

Citation and Commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Drainage Charges (Forms) Regulations, 1962, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of March, 1962.

Interpretation

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act, 1889(b), shall apply to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) Any reference in these regulations to a form denoted by a number shall be construed as a reference to the form so numbered in the Schedule hereto, or a form substantially to the like effect.

Form of drainage charges

3. Every general drainage charge raised by a river board or catchment board shall be in Form 1 and every special drainage charge so raised shall be in Form 2.

Forms of demand for drainage charges

4. Every demand for payment of a general drainage charge shall be in Form 3, if it is assessed on an occupier, or in Form 4, if it is assessed on an owner.

5. Every demand for payment of a special drainage charge shall be in Form 5, if it is assessed on an occupier, or in Form 6, if it is assessed on an owner.

6. Where a general and a special drainage charge are payable by the same person, the amount of the special drainage charge may be included in the general drainage charge demand, if the additional information required to be given by the appropriate form of special drainage charge demand is also included.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this sixteenth day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty-two.

(L.S.) *A. C. J. Soames*,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

(a) 9 & 10 Eliz. 2. c. 48. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

SCHEDULE

Form 1 (*General drainage charge*)

The [River] [Catchment] Board, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 1 of the Land Drainage Act, 1961, hereby raise, for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 19 , a general drainage charge of per pound on the annual value of each chargeable hereditament in the area of the Board.

The Common Seal of the [River] [Catchment] Board is hereunto affixed pursuant to a resolution of the Board dated the day of , 19 . (L.S.)

Form 2 (*Special drainage charge*)

The [River] [Catchment] Board, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by a scheme made by them and confirmed by the Order, 19 , hereby raise, for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 19 , a special drainage charge of per pound on the annual value of each chargeable hereditament [in the area of the Board] [in such part of the Board's area as is specified in the said scheme].

The Common Seal of the [River] [Catchment] Board is hereunto affixed pursuant to a resolution of the Board dated the day of , 19 . (L.S.)

Form 3 (*Demand for general drainage charge when assessed on occupier*)

.....[River] [Catchment] Board

General Drainage Charge

Land Drainage Act, 1961

To ..... (or occupier)

Address .....

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The ..... [River] [Catchment] Board have raised a general drainage charge at in the pound for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 19.... Payment of this charge [and of the arrears (if any) of former charges] as shown below is now due from you.

Assessment No.	Name or description of hereditament	Annual value for drainage charge purposes, ascertained in accordance with Section 7 of the Act	Amount of charge
		£	£ s. d.
		Arrears (if any) of former charges	
		Total amount now due	

The amount due should be paid.....*

Cheques, Money Orders and Postal Orders should be made payable to the ..... Board and crossed. They should not be made payable to any individual officer.

By order of the Board

.... Treasurer.

* Insert instructions as to place, time and method of payment.

Form 4 (Demand for general drainage charge when assessed on owner)

.....[RIVER] [CATCHMENT] BOARD

GENERAL DRAINAGE CHARGE

LAND DRAINAGE ACT, 1961

To ..... (or owner)

Address .....

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The ..... [River] [Catchment] Board have raised a general drainage charge at in the pound for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 19.... Payment of this charge [and of the arrears (if any) of former charges] as shown below is now due from you.

Assessment No.	Name or description of hereditament	Annual value for drainage charge purposes, ascertained in accordance with Section 7 of the Act	Amount of charge
		£	£ s. d.
		Arrears (if any) of former charges	
		Total amount now due	

This charge has been assessed upon you, as owner of the hereditament described above, in accordance with Section 14 of the Land Drainage Act, 1961. If the amount of the charge for the current year is paid not later than the 30th September, 19 , the Board will make an allowance of £..... which is equal to ten per cent. of the first mentioned amount.

The amount due should be paid.....*

Cheques, Money Orders and Postal Orders should be made payable to the ..... Board and crossed. They should not be made payable to any individual officer.

By order of the Board

..... Treasurer.

Form 5 (Demand for special drainage charge when assessed on occupier)

.....[RIVER] [CATCHMENT] BOARD

SPECIAL DRAINAGE CHARGE

LAND DRAINAGE ACT, 1961

To ..... (or occupier)

Address .....

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The ..... [River] [Catchment] Board have raised a special drainage charge at in the pound for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 19 , to meet the expenses of drainage works in connection with the watercourses designated in the scheme confirmed by the Order, 19 , and any expenses arising from such works. Payment of this charge [and of the arrears (if any) of former charges] as shown below is now due from you.

* Insert instructions as to place, time and method of payment.

Assessment No.	Name or description of hereditament	Annual value for drainage charge purposes, ascertained in accordance with Section 7 of the Act	Amount of charge
		£	£ s. d.
		Arrears (if any) of former charges	
		Total amount now due	

The amount due should be paid.....* Cheques, Money Orders and Postal Orders should be made payable to the ..... Board and crossed. They should not be made payable to any individual officer.

By order of the Board

..... Treasurer.

Form 6 (Demand for special drainage charge when assessed on owner)

.....[River] [Catchment] Board

Special Drainage Charge

Land Drainage Act, 1961

To ..... (or owner)

Address .....

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The ..... [River] [Catchment] Board have raised a special drainage charge at in the pound for the year ending on the 31st day of March, 19 , to meet the expenses of drainage works in connection with the watercourses designated in the scheme confirmed by the Order, 19 , and any expenses arising from such works. Payment of this charge [and of the arrears (if any) of former charges] as shown below is now due from you.

Assessment No.	Name or description of hereditament	Annual value for drainage charge purposes, ascertained in accordance with Section 7 of the Act	Amount of charge
		£	£ s. d.
		Arrears (if any) of former charges	
		Total amount now due	

This charge has been assessed upon you, as owner of the hereditament described above, in accordance with Section 14 of the Land Drainage Act, 1961. If the amount of the charge for the current year is paid not later than the

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The amount due should be paid.....*

Cheques, Money Orders and Postal Orders should be made payable to the ..... Board and crossed. They should not be made payable to any individual officer.

By order of the Board

..... Treasurer.

* Insert instructions as to place, time and method of payment.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations, which come into operation on the 1st March, 1962, prescribe the forms to be used for raising drainage charges, whether general or special, and the forms of demands for such charges.