(2) Any reference to an Electricity Board in paragraph (6) of regulation one, in paragraph (5) of regulation two, in paragraph (2) of regulation six, and in regulations eight, nine, eleven and twelve, shall include a reference to the Electricity Council.

Dated this twentieth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

Mills,
Minister of Power.

Dated this twentieth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

John S. Maclay,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations amend the Electricity (Pension Scheme) Regulations, 1948, and, where appropriate, the Electricity (Pension Rights) Regulations, 1948, so as to include the Electricity Council as an Electricity Board for the purposes of those Regulations.

1957 No. 2227

The Electricity (Publication of Applications) Regulations, 1957

Made - - - -	*20th December,* 1957
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The Minister of Power in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by subsection (2) of section thirty-four of the Electricity Act, 1957(**a**), and of all other powers him enabling, hereby makes the following regulations:—

1. These regulations shall come into operation on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, and may be cited as the Electricity (Publication of Applications) Regulations, 1957.

2.—(1) In these regulations the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them respectively, that is to say:—

"the Act of 1909" means the Electric Lighting Act, 1909(**b**);

"the Minister" means the Minister of Power;

"the Schedule of 1899" means the Schedule to the Electric Lighting (Clauses) Act, 1899(**c**).

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

3.—(1) Notwithstanding any notice required to be given under section two of the Act of 1909, notice of any application for the consent of the Minister under that section made on or after the first day of January, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, shall be published by the Electricity Board concerned in two successive weeks in one or more local newspapers circulating in the locality in which the land to which the application relates is situated:

Provided that, where such an application is made under the said section two for the consent of the Minister to the extension of a generating station

(**a**) 5 & 6 Eliz. 2. c. 48. (**b**) 9 Edw. 7. c. 34. (**c**) 62 & 63 Vict. c. 19.
(**d**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

and the Minister considers the extension to be of a minor character and in accordance with the said section dispenses with the giving of a notice, the Minister may give directions to the Electricity Board concerned dispensing with the requirements of this regulation.

(2) Any notice required to be published under paragraph (1) of this regulation shall describe, by reference to a map, the land to which the application relates, and shall name a place within the locality in which such land is situated where the said map may be inspected.

4. Notice of any application for the consent or authorisation of the Minister under paragraph (*b*) of section ten of the Schedule of 1899 made on or after the first day of January, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, in respect of the placing of a high voltage line shall be published by the Electricity Board concerned in two successive weeks in one or more local newspapers circulating in the locality in which the land over which the said line will pass is situated or, in any case where different parts of the land over which the said line will pass are situated in several localities, circulating in every such locality.

5. In addition to any notice required to be given under section two of the Act of 1909 and to the publication of notices in accordance with these regulations notice of any application to which these regulations relate shall, where the Minister so directs, be served upon such persons as may be specified in the directions.

6.—(1) Every notice published or served in pursuance of these regulations shall state the time within which, and the manner in which, objections to the application can be made by persons other than those to whom (under section two of the Act of 1909, or under section twenty-one of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1919(a)) an opportunity of being heard or of stating objections is required to be given, and in no case shall the time within which objections to the application can be made be less than twenty-one days from the date of publication or service of the notice.

(2) In so far as any such notice requires objections to be sent to any person other than the Minister, copies of the objections shall be sent to the Minister by that person.

Dated this twentieth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

Mills,
Minister of Power.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations, made under Section 34 of the Electricity Act, 1957, set out the requirements for the publicity to be given to applications to the Minister of Power for his consent to the construction or extension of a generating station under section two of the Electric Lighting Act, 1909, and to the erection of an overhead high voltage electric line under section 10 (*b*) of the Schedule to the Electric Lighting (Clauses) Act, 1899.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 100.