ELECTRICITY SUPPLY

1958 No. 131 (S. 5)

The Electricity (Publication of Applications) (Scotland) Regulations, 1958

Made - - - -	23*rd January*, 1958
Laid before Parliament	31*st January*, 1958
Coming into Operation	1*st February*, 1958

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by subsection (2) of section 34 of the Electricity Act, 1957(**a**), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf I hereby make the following regulations:—

1. These regulations shall come into operation on the first day of February nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, and may be cited as the Electricity (Publication of Applications) (Scotland) Regulations, 1958.

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 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 2 of the Act of 1909, notice of any application for the consent of the Secretary of State under that section made by an Electricity Board on or after 1st February, 1958, shall be published by the Board 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 for the consent of the Secretary of State to the extension of a generating station and the Secretary of State considers the extension to be of a minor character and in accordance with the said section 2 dispenses with the giving of a notice under that section the Secretary of State may give directions to the Board 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 Secretary of State under paragraph (*b*) of section 10 of the Schedule of 1899 made by an Electricity Board on or after the 1st February, 1958, in respect of the placing of a high voltage line shall be published by the Board 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.

(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.

5. In addition to any notice required to be given under section 2 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 Secretary of State 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 2 of the Act of 1909, or under section 21 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 of the first notice.

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

Dated this 23rd day of January, 1958.

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

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

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 Secretary of State for his consent to the construction or extension of a generating station under section 2 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.

1958 No. 1061

The Meters (Permitted Alterations) Order, 1958

Made - - - -	*25th June,* 1958
Laid before Parliament	*30th June,* 1958
Coming into Operation	*1st July,* 1958

The Minister of Power in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section thirty of the Electricity Act, 1957(**b**), and of all other powers him enabling, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of July, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, and may be cited as the Meters (Permitted Alterations) Order, 1958.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 100. (b) 5 & 6 Eliz. 2. c. 48.