STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1975 No. 1896

ELECTRICITY

The Electricity (Transfer of Transmission Assets) (Midlands Electricity Board) Order 1975

Made - - - -	18*th November* 1975
Laid before Parliament	1*st December* 1975
Coming into Operation	1*st January* 1976

The Secretary of State, on the application of the Central Electricity Generating Board (in this Order referred to as "the Generating Board") and after consulting the Electricity Council, in exercise of powers conferred by section 19(1) of the Electricity Act 1947(**a**) as amended by section 3 of the Electricity Act 1972(**b**) and now vested in him(**c**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1. This Order shall come into operation on 1st January 1976 and may be cited as the Electricity (Transfer of Transmission Assets) (Midlands Electricity Board) Order 1975.

2.—(1) In this Order "electric lines" means the line conductors used for the purpose of transmitting electricity together with any supporting structures, earth lines, insulation, insulators, protective ducts or any apparatus on the route of the line connected therewith for the purpose of transmitting electricity.

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

3. There are hereby transferred to the Midlands Electricity Board without further assurance—

(*a*) all interests in or relating to the substations specified in Part I of Schedule 1 to this Order, being interests vested in the Generating Board, and all rights, liabilities and obligations of the Generating Board acquired or incurred by reason of those substations being vested in them including any interest held by the Generating Board in land forming the sites of those substations;

(**a**) 1947 c. 54. (**b**) 1972 c. 17.
(**c**) S.I. 1957/48, 1969/1498, 1970/1537 (1957 I, p. 1439; 1969 III, p. 4797; 1970 III, p. 5293).
(**d**) 1889 c. 63.

(*b*) all interests in or relating to the land forming the sites for the proposed substations (being substations which have not been constructed at the commencement of this Order) specified in Part II of Schedule 1 to this Order, being interests vested in the Generating Board, and all rights, liabilities and obligations of the Generating Board acquired or incurred by reason of that land being vested in them; and

(*c*) all interests in or relating to the electric lines specified in Schedule 2 to this Order, being interests vested in the Generating Board, and all rights, liabilities and obligations of the Generating Board acquired or incurred by reason of those lines being vested in them.

4. Every agreement to which, immediately before the commencement of this Order, the Generating Board were a party shall, in so far as concerns anything transferred by virtue of Article 3 of this Order, have effect as if—

(*a*) the Midlands Electricity Board had been a party to the agreement; and

(*b*) for any reference (however worded and whether express or implied) to the Generating Board there were substituted, as respects anything falling to be done at or after the commencement of this Order, a reference to the Midlands Electricity Board.

5. Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing provisions, any application to any authority pending at the commencement of this Order by the Generating Board shall, in so far as it relates to anything transferred as aforesaid, or to any agreement which has effect in accordance with the provisions of Article 4 of this Order, be continued by the Midlands Electricity Board to the exclusion of the Generating Board.

18th November 1975.

Alexander Eadie,

Parliamentary Under Secretary of State,
Department of Energy

SCHEDULE 1

PART I

SUBSTATIONS

Substation Name	*County*
Bagnall Street	Staffordshire
Banbury	Oxfordshire
Bartley Green	West Midlands
Bentley	West Midlands
Birchfield Lane	West Midlands
Black Lake	West Midlands
Bordesley	West Midlands
Bournville	West Midlands
Burslem	Staffordshire
Bushbury "B"	West Midlands
Castle Meads Transforming	Gloucestershire
Chad Valley	West Midlands
Chase Terrace	Staffordshire
Cheapside	West Midlands
Cheltenham (Hesters Way) 132 kV	Gloucestershire
Cheltenham (Montpellier)	Gloucestershire
Chester Street	West Midlands
Chipping Sodbury	Avon
Copt Heath	West Midlands
Coseley	West Midlands
Droitwich	Hereford and Worcester
Dudley	West Midlands
Dawley South	Salop
Erdington 132 kV	West Midlands
Gloucester (Port Ham)	Gloucestershire

SCHEDULE 1

PART I—(*continued*)

SUBSTATIONS

Substation Name	*County*
Halesowen	West Midlands
Hall Green	West Midlands
Hereford (Mordiford)	Hereford and Worcester
Highters Heath	Hereford and Worcester
Hinksford	Staffordshire
Ketley	Salop
Kidderminster	Hereford and Worcester
Kidsgrove British Railways (Goldenhill)	Staffordshire
Kingstanding	West Midlands
Ladywood	West Midlands
Leek	Staffordshire
Little Bloxwich	West Midlands
Longbridge	West Midlands
Longton	Staffordshire
Ludlow	Salop
Lydney Main	Gloucestershire
Lydney Local 132 kV	Gloucestershire
Lye	West Midlands
Malvern	Hereford and Worcester
Newcastle-under-Lyme	Staffordshire
Perry Barr	West Midlands
Rednal	West Midlands
Robin Hood	West Midlands

SCHEDULE 1

PART I—(*continued*)

SUBSTATIONS

Substation Name	*County*
Round Oak 132 kV	West Midlands
Rugeley Town	Staffordshire
Ryeford	Gloucestershire
Selly Oak	West Midlands
Shirley	West Midlands
Shrewsbury	Salop
Smethwick	West Midlands
Solihull	West Midlands
Sparkbrook	West Midlands
Stafford 132 kV	Staffordshire
Stafford South	Staffordshire
Stagefields 132 kV	Staffordshire
Stechford	West Midlands
Summer Lane	West Midlands
Sutton Coldfield	West Midlands
Timberdine	Hereford and Worcester
Tividale	West Midlands
Tewkesbury	Gloucestershire
Wapley	Avon
Warndon	Hereford and Worcester
Willenhall	West Midlands
Winson Green	West Midlands
Wolverhampton 132 kV	West Midlands
Wolverhampton West	Staffordshire
Worcester	Hereford and Worcester

SCHEDULE 1

PART II

PROPOSED SUBSTATIONS

Substation Name	*County*
Cowhorn	Avon
Stoke	Staffordshire

SCHEDULE 2

ELECTRIC LINES

No.	Operating Voltage (kV)	From	To
1	132	Stourport Generating Station	Bishops Wood Substation
2	132	Stourport Generating Station	Kidderminster Substation
3	132	Bishops Wood Substation	Ludlow Substation
4	132	Bishops Wood Substation	Timberdine Substation
5	132	Timberdine Substation	Malvern Substation
6	132	Warndon Substation	Junction with the line between Bishops Wood Substation and Timberdine Substation
7	132	Bishops Wood Substation	Hereford (Mordiford) Substation
8	132	Worcester Substation	Junction with the line between Bishops Wood Substation and Hereford (Mordiford) Substation
9	132	Bishops Wood Substation	Worcester Substation
10	132	Worcester Substation	Malvern Substation
11	132	Ryeford Substation	Junction with the line between Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation and Berkeley Generating Station
12	132	Hams Hall Generating Station	Sutton Coldfield Substation
13	132	Ironbridge Generating Station	Shrewsbury Substation

SCHEDULE 2—(*continued*)

ELECTRIC LINES

No.	Operating Voltage (kV)		From	To
14	132		Ketley Substation	Junction with the line between Ironbridge Generating Station and Shrewsbury Substation
15	132		Bushbury 'A' Substation	Stafford 132 kV Substation
16	132		Bushbury 'A' Substation	Bushbury 'B' Substation
17	132		Bushbury 'A' Substation	Willenhall Substation
18	132		Lichfield Road, Wednesfield Sealing End Compound	Willenhall Substation
19	132		Rugeley Generating Station	Stafford 132kV Substation
20	132		Rugeley Generating Station	Rugeley Town Substation
21	132		Rugeley Generating Station	Willenhall Substation
22	132		Walsall Generating Station	Junction with the line between Rugeley Generating Station and Willenhall Substation
23	132		Chase Terrace Substation	Junction with the line between Rugeley Generating Station and Willenhall Substation
24	132		Walsall Generating Station	Willenhall Substation
25	132		Bentley Substation	Junction with the line between Walsall Generating Station and Willenhall Substation
26	132	(2)	Willenhall Substation	Wolverhampton 132kV Substation
27	132		Oldbury Substation	Birchfield Lane Substation
28	132		Nechells Generating Station	Erdington 132kV Substation
29	132		Nechells Generating Station	Sparkbrook Substation
30	132		Nechells Generating Station	Bordesley Substation
31	132		Bordesley Substation	Cheapside Substation
32	132		Nechells Generating Station	Summer Lane Substation
33	132		Chester Street Substation	Junction with the line between Nechells Generating Station and Summer Lane Substation
34	132		Ocker Hill Generating Station	Black Lake Substation
35	132	(2)	Bustleholm Substation	Smethwick Substation
36	132		Bustleholm Substation	Perry Barr Substation
37	132		Bustleholm Substation	Kingstanding Substation

SCHEDULE 2—(*continued*)

Electric Lines

No.	Operating Voltage (kV)		From	To
38	132		Bustleholm Substation	Winson Green Substation
39	132		Winson Green Substation	Ladywood Substation
40	132		Penn Substation	Wolverhampton West Substation
41	132		Penn Substation	Coseley Substation
42	132		Coseley Substation	Ocker Hill Generating Station
43	132		Penn Substation	Ocker Hill Generating Station
44	132		Dudley Substation	Junction with the line between Penn Substation and Ocker Hill Generating Station
45	132	(2)	Penn Substation	Hinksford Substation
46	132		Hinksford Substation	Lye Substation
47	132		Round Oak 132 kV Substation	Junction with the line between Hinksford Substation and Lye Substation
48	132		Dudley Substation	Junction with the line between Hinksford Substation and Lye Substation
49	132		East Claydon Substation	Banbury Substation
50	132		Cellarhead Substation	Whitfield Substation
51	132		Whitfield Substation	Kidsgrove British Railways (Goldenhill) Substation
52	132		Cellarhead Substation	Burslem Substation
53	132		Whitfield Substation	Burslem Substation
54	132		Cellarhead Substation	Rugeley Generating Station
55	132		Meaford Generating Station	Stafford 132 kV Substation
56	132	(2)	Meaford Generating Station	Longton Substation
57	132		Stagefields 132 kV Substation	Meaford Generating Station
58	132		Meaford Generating Station	Bagnall Street Substation
59	132	(2)	Stagefields 132 kV Substation	Junction with the line between Meaford Generating Station and Bagnall Street Substation
60	132		Meaford Generating Station	Newcastle-under-Lyme Substation
61	132		Cellarhead Substation	Stagefields 132 kV Substation
62	132		Kitwell Substation	Longbridge Substation
63	132	(2)	Kitwell Substation	Bartley Green Substation

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ELECTRIC LINES

No.	Operating Voltage (kV)	From	To
64	132	Bournville Substation	Copt Heath Substation
65	132	Longbridge Substation	Junction with the line between Bournville Substation and Copt Heath Substation
66	132	Highters Heath Substation	Junction with the line between Bournville Substation and Copt Heath Substation
67	132	Hall Green Substation	Junction with the line between Bournville Substation and Copt Heath Substation
68	132	Shirley Substation	Junction with the line between Bournville Substation and Copt Heath Substation
69	132	Hams Hall Generating Station	Junction with the line between Bournville Substation and Copt Heath Substation
70	132	Copt Heath Substation	Hams Hall Generating Station
71	132	Copt Heath Substation	Solihull Substation
72	132	Bournville Substation	Selly Oak Substation
73	132	Kitwell Substation	Bournville Substation
74	132	Selly Oak Substation	Bartley Green Substation
75	132	Bournville Substation	Junction with the line between Selly Oak Substation and Bartley Green Substation
76	132	Bartley Green Substation	Chad Valley Substation
77	132	Longbridge Substation	Rednal Substation
78	132	Kitwell Substation	Halesowen Substation
79	132 (2)	Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation	Cheltenham (Hesters Way) 132 kV Substation
80	132	Tewkesbury Substation	Junction with the line between Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation and Cheltenham (Hesters Way) 132 kV Substation
81	132	Cheltenham (Hesters Way) 132 kV Substation	Cheltenham (Montpellier) Substation
82	132	Hereford (Mordiford) Substation	Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation
83	132	Lydney Local 132 kV Substation	Lydney Main Substation
84	132	Lydney Main Substation	Junction with the line between Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation and Uskmouth Generating Station

SCHEDULE 2—(*continued*)

ELECTRIC LINES

No.	Operating Voltage (kV)	From	To
85	132	Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation	Uskmouth Generating Station up to but excluding Tower No. 21, National Grid Reference ST 577972
86	132	Berkeley Generating Station	Junction with the line between Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation and Uskmouth Generating Station
87	132	Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation	Castle Meads Transforming Substation
88	132	Castle Meads Generating Station	Castle Meads Transforming Substation
89	132	Iron Acton Substation	Chipping Sodbury Substation
90	132	Berkeley Generating Station	Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation
91	132	Castle Meads Transforming Substation	Junction with the line between Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation and Uskmouth Generating Station.
92	66	Stourport Generating Station	Stourport Substation
93	33	Stagefields 132 kV Substation	Stagefields 33 kV Substation
94	33	Meaford Generating Station	Ironbridge Generating Station up to and including Tower No. 34, National Grid Reference SJ 670143
95	33	Ironbridge Generating Station	Tower No. 19 (including that Tower), National Grid Reference SJ 688012
96	33	Wolverhampton 132 kV Substation	Wolverhampton 33 kV Substation
97	33	Round Oak 132 kV Substation	Round Oak 33 kV Substation
98	33	Castle Meads Transforming Substation	Gloucester (Commercial Road) Substation
99	33	Lydney Local 132 kV Substation	Lydney Local 33 kV Substation
100	25	Stafford 132 kV Substation	Stafford British Railways Feeder Substation
101	25	Willenhall Substation	Willenhall British Railways Feeder Substation
102	25	Nechells Generating Station	Washwood Heath British Railways Feeder Substation
103	11	Cheltenham (Hesters Way) 132 kV Substation	Cheltenham (Hesters Way) 11 kV Substation
104	11	Erdington 132 kV Substation	Erdington 11 kV Substation
105	11	Stafford 132 kV Substation	Stafford 11 kV Substation
106	0·415	Castle Meads Transforming Substation	Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation
107	0·11	Lydney Main Substation	Lydney Local 132 kV Substation
108	0·11	Castle Meads Generating Station	Castle Meads Transforming Substation
109	0·05	Castle Meads Generating Station	Gloucester (Port Ham) Substation

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ELECTRIC LINES

No.	Operating Voltage (kV)	From	To
110	0·05	Hams Hall Generating Station	Solihull Substation
111	0·05	Solihull Substation	Bournville Substation
112	0·05	Shirley Substation	Junction with the line between Solihull Substation and Bournville Substation
113	0·05	Bournville Substation	Bartley Green Substation
114	0·05	Longbridge Substation	Junction with the line between Bartley Green Substation and Bournville Substation
115	0·05	Kitwell Substation	Bartley Green Substation
116	0·05	Dudley Substation	Round Oak 132 kV Substation
117	0·05	Hinksford Substation	Dudley Substation
118	0·05	Hinksford Substation	Penn Substation
119	0·05	Ocker Hill Substation	Bustleholm Substation
120	0·05	Bustleholm Substation	Smethwick Substation
121	0·05	Bustleholm Substation	Nechells Generating Station
122	0·05	Perry Barr Substation	Junction with the line between Bustleholm Substation and Nechells Generating Station
123	0·05	Junction with the line between Bustleholm Substation and Nechells Generating Station, National Grid Reference SP 068927	Junction with the line between Bustleholm Substation and Winson Green Substation, National Grid Reference SP 058915
124	0·05	Highters Heath Substation	Junction with the line between Solihull Substation and Bournville Substation
125	0·05	Bournville Substation	Selly Oak Substation
126	0·05	Solihull Substation	Copt Heath Substation
127	0·05	Selly Oak Substation	Bartley Green Substation
128	0·05	Perry Barr Substation	Smethwick Substation
129	0·05	Smethwick Substation	Birchfield Lane Substation
130	0·05	Dudley Substation	Ocker Hill Generating Station
131	0·05	Birchfield Lane Substation	Junction with the line between Ocker Hill Generating Station and Dudley Substation

SCHEDULE 2—(*continued*)

ELECTRIC LINES

No.	Operating Voltage (kV)		From	To
132	0·05		Round Oak 132 kV Substation	Junction with the line between Hinksford Substation and Dudley Substation
133	0·05		Ocker Hill Generating Station	Coseley Substation
134	0·05		Ockner Hill Generating Station	Black Lake Substation
135	0·05		Ocker Hill Generating Station	Walsall Generating Station
136	0·05		Willenhall Substation	Junction with the line between Ocker Hill Generating Station and Walsall Generating Station
137	0·05		Wolverhampton 132 kV Substation	Junction with the line between Ocker Hill Generating Station and Walsall Generating Station
138	0·05	(2)	Wolverhampton 132 kV Substation	Bushbury 'A' Substation
139	0·05	(2)	Worcester Generating Station	Worcester Substation
140	0·05		Ocker Hill Generating Station	Halesowen Substation

NOTE: The figure (2) between the second and third columns indicates that there are two electric lines between the points described.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order transfers certain assets from the Central Electricity Generating Board to the Midlands Electricity Board. The assets in question are the substations and proposed substations specified in Schedule 1, and the electric lines specified in Schedule 2.