STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1985 No. 750

INTERNATIONAL IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES

The Eumetsat (Legal Capacities) Order 1985

Laid before Parliament in draft

Made - - - - 15*th May* 1985

Coming into operation on a date to be notified in the London, Edinburgh and Belfast Gazettes

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 15th day of May 1985

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas a draft of this Order has been laid before Parliament in accordance with section 10(1) of the International Organisations Act 1968 (**a**) (hereinafter referred to as the Act) and has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by section 1 of the Act (**b**) or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Eumetsat (Legal Capacities) Order 1985 and shall come into operation on the date on which the Convention for the Establishment of a European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites ("Eumetsat") (**c**) enters into force in respect of the United Kingdom. That date shall be notified in the London, Belfast and Edinburgh Gazettes.

2. The European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites (hereinafter referred to as Eumetsat) is an organisation of which the United Kingdom and other sovereign Powers are members.

3. Eumetsat shall have the legal capacities of a body corporate.

G. I. de Deney,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

(**a**) 1968 c.48.
(**b**) As amended by section 1 of the International Organisations Act 1981 (c.9).
(**c**) Cmnd. 9203.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order will enable effect to be given to Article 1(3) of the Convention for the Establishment of a European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites ("Eumetsat") (Cmnd. 9203), by conferring the legal capacities of a body corporate on Eumetsat. It will come into operation on the date on which the Convention enters into force in respect of the United Kingdom.

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