STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1965 No. 755

# EXCHANGE CONTROL

## The Exchange Control (Import and Export) (Amendment) Order 1965

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| *Made - - - -* | *1st April* 1965 |
| *Laid before Parliament* | *6th April* 1965 |
| *Coming into Operation* | *7th April* 1965 |

The Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 31 and 36(5) of the Exchange Control Act 1947(a), hereby make the following Order :—

**1.** The Exchange Control (Import and Export) Order 1958(b), as amended (c), shall be further amended as follows :—

(1) by deleting sub-paragraph (*a*) of Article 6(1) and substituting therefor the following :—

" (a) by any traveller on his person or in his baggage, if—

(i) he is about to leave the United Kingdom or the Channel Islands for any destination in the Republic of Ireland and while travelling to that destination will touch at any place outside the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands and the Republic of Ireland, or

(ii) he is about to leave the United Kingdom or the Channel Islands for any destination outside the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands and the Republic of Ireland,

of notes which are or have at any time been legal tender in the United Kingdom or any part of the United Kingdom or any part of the Channel Islands not exceeding £25 sterling in value and in addition thereto of notes which are or have at any time been legal tender in any other territory not exceeding £250 sterling in value, provided that, if and so long as there is in force a permission granted under subsection (1) of the said section 22 authorising that person to take any notes to which the said section 22 applies out of the United Kingdom or the Channel Islands, he shall not be entitled to any exemption under this sub-paragraph ; " ;

(2) by deleting sub-paragraph (*b*) of Article 7 and the word " or " at the end of sub-paragraph (*a*) thereof.

**2.** This Order shall extend to the Channel Islands, and any reference in this Order to the Exchange Control Act 1947 includes a reference to that Act as extended by the Exchange Control (Channel Islands) Order 1947(d).

(a) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 14. (b) S.I. 1958/299 (1958 I, p. 1100).
(c) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1959/1837, 1962/1847 (1959 I, p. 1256 ; 1962 II, p. 2173).
(d) S.R. & O. 1947/2034 (Rev. VI, p. 1001 : 1947 I, p. 660).

**3.** The Interpretation Act 1889(a) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

**4.** The Exchange Control (Import and Export) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 1959(b) is hereby revoked.

**5.** This Order may be cited as the Exchange Control (Import and Export) (Amendment) Order 1965, and shall come into operation on the 7th April 1965.

1st April 1965.

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*James Callaghan,*

Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order amends the Exchange Control (Import and Export) Order 1958 by reducing from £50 to £25 the amount of sterling notes permitted to be taken out of the United Kingdom by travellers. It restates the conditions of the permission.

It also amends the Order so as to extend to members of H.M. Forces (including women's services) the exemptions granted by articles 3 to 6 of the Order from the provisions of sections 21 and 22 of the Exchange Control Act 1947 (which restrict the importation into and exportation from the United Kingdom of currency notes, etc.).

(a) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63. (b) S.I. 1959/1837 (1959 I, p. 1256 ).