CHAPTER 2

An Act to provide for the grant of a new constitution for Southern Rhodesia. [22nd November, 1961]

BE it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Power to provide a new constitution for Southern Rhodesia by Order in Council.

1.—(1) Notwithstanding anything in the Southern Rhodesia Constitution Letters Patent, 1923, Her Majesty may by Order in Council amend, or revoke and replace by new provisions (including provision for the making by the legislature of Southern Rhodesia of laws having extra-territorial operation), all or any of the provisions of the said Letters Patent of 1923 as subsequently amended.

(2) An Order in Council under subsection (1) of this section may authorise the amendment or revocation of any of the provisions of the Order in any manner specified by the Order in relation to those provisions respectively, but nothing in this Act shall authorise any other amendment or revocation of any of the provisions of the Order.

(3) Where an Order in Council under subsection (1) of this section authorises the amendment or revocation of any of its provisions by a further Order in Council, any such further Order shall, for the purposes of the Statutory Instruments Act, 1946, be a statutory instrument within the meaning of that Act.

9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 36.

(4) Any Order in Council by virtue of this section shall be laid before Parliament after being made.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Southern Rhodesia (Constitution) Act, 1961.

CHAPTER 3

An Act to increase the limit imposed by section two of the Export Guarantees Act, 1949, as amended by any subsequent enactment, on the liabilities which may be undertaken by the Board of Trade in respect of guarantees under that section and certain other transactions under the Export Guarantees Acts, 1949 to 1959.

[20th December, 1961.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Raising of limit on guarantees under s. 2 of 1949 Act and related transactions. 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 14. 7 & 8 Eliz. 2. c. 63.

1. In subsection (2) of section two of the Export Guarantees Act, 1949 (which, as amended by subsection (2) of section one of the Export Guarantees Act, 1959, imposes a limit of four hundred million pounds in respect of guarantees given under the said section two and related transactions entered into under the Export Guarantees Acts, 1949 to 1959 by the Board of Trade) for the words "four hundred million pounds" there shall be substituted the words "eight hundred million pounds".

Short title, citation and repeal.

2.—(1) This Act may be cited as the Export Guarantees Act, 1961; and the Export Guarantees Acts, 1949 to 1959 and this Act may be cited together as the Export Guarantees Acts, 1949 to 1961.

(2) Subsection (2) of section one of the Export Guarantees Act, 1959, is hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 4

An Act to continue certain expiring laws.

[20th December, 1961]

WHEREAS the Acts mentioned in the Schedule to this Act are, in so far as they are in force and are temporary in their duration, limited to expire—

(*a*) as respects those mentioned in the first and second columns of Part I of that Schedule, on the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and sixty-one; and

(*b*) as respects those mentioned in the first and second columns of Part II of that Schedule, on the thirty-first day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty-two;

and whereas it is expedient to provide for the continuance, as in this Act mentioned, of those Acts and of the enactments amending or affecting the same:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Continuance of Acts in Schedule.

1.—(1) The Acts mentioned in the first and second columns of Part I of the Schedule to this Act shall, to the extent specified in the third column of that Part, be continued until the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and sixty-two.

(2) The Acts mentioned in the first and second columns of Part II of the Schedule to this Act shall, to the extent specified in the third column of that Part, be continued until the thirty-first day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty-three.