STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1963 No. 371

FOREIGN COMPENSATION

The Foreign Compensation (Financial Provisions) Order 1963

Made - - - -	*27th February* 1963
Laid before Parliament	*5th March* 1963
Coming into Operation	*11th March* 1963

At the Court of Saint James, the 27th day of February 1963

Present,

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother

His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester

Lord President	**Mr. Powell**
Mr. Vosper	**Mr. Macpherson**

Whereas Her Majesty, in pursuance of the Regency Acts 1937 to 1953, was pleased, by Letters Patent dated the twenty-second day of January, 1963, to delegate to the following Counsellors of State (subject to the exceptions hereinafter mentioned) or any two or more of them, that is to say, His Royal Highness The Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother, Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester, His Royal Highness Prince William of Gloucester and His Royal Highness The Duke of Kent, full power and authority during the period of Her Majesty's absence from the United Kingdom to summon and hold on Her Majesty's behalf Her Privy Council and to signify thereat Her Majesty's approval for anything for which Her Majesty's approval in Council is required :

And Whereas Her Majesty was further pleased to except from the number of the said Counsellors of State His Royal Highness The Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester, His Royal Highness Prince William of Gloucester and His Royal Highness The Duke of Kent while absent from the United Kingdom :

And Whereas by section 7 (2) of the Foreign Compensation Act 1950(a) (hereinafter referred to as " the Act ") it is provided that Her Majesty may by Order in Council direct the payment into the Exchequer by the Foreign Compensation Commission (hereinafter referred to as " the Commission "), out of any sums paid to the Commission for the purpose of being distributed under the Act, of such amount as may be determined by or under the Order to be the amount of the expenses of the Commission attributable to the discharge by the Commission of their functions in relation to the distribution of those sums :

And Whereas it is now expedient to direct the Commission to make certain payments into the Exchequer pursuant to that provision:

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 12.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester, being authorized thereto by the said Letters Patent, and in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Act or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, do hereby, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, on Her Majesty's behalf order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The Commission shall pay into the Exchequer not later than 30th March 1963 out of each of the Funds named in the first column of the Schedule to this Order the amount specified in respect of that Fund in the second column of the said Schedule which is hereby determined to be the amount of the expenses of the Commission attributable to the discharge by the Commission of their functions in relation to the distribution of sums from that Fund during the period stated in the third column of the said Schedule.

2. This Order shall come into operation on 11th March 1963 and may be cited as the Foreign Compensation (Financial Provisions) Order 1963.

And the Right Honourable The Earl of Home, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, is to give the necessary directions herein.

E. N. Landale.

SCHEDULE

Name of Fund	Amount	Period
	£	
The Czechoslovak Fund	1,149	1st October 1961 to 30th September 1962
The Polish (Nationalisation Claims) Fund ...	3,124	
The Polish Debts Fund: Part I (State Guaranteed Debts)	3,104	
The Bulgarian Compensation Fund ...	100	
The Hungarian Compensation Fund ...	15,676	
The Egyptian Compensation Fund	71,450	
The Roumanian Compensation Fund ...	11,023	2nd October 1961 to 30th September 1962

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order, which is made under section 7 (2) of the Foreign Compensation Act 1950, directs the Foreign Compensation Commission to pay into the Exchequer, out of sums paid to the Commission for the purpose of being distributed under the Act, amounts in respect of the Commission's expenses in relation to the distribution of those sums.