EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of these regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations—

(*a*) prescribe the manner in which the number of therms supplied to any consumer is to be calculated (reg. 1);

(*b*) make provision as to the time when, and the manner in which, an original declaration of calorific value, and any alteration in calorific value, of gas supplied by Area Boards is to be declared and is to be brought to the notice of consumers and Consultative Councils and as to the time when any such declaration is to take effect (regs. 2 and 3); and

(*c*) provide for the adjustment of charges for gas in cases where an alteration in the declared calorific value occurs in the course of a period for which such charges are made (reg. 3).

(iv) FINANCIAL YEARS

The Gas (Financial Years) Regulations, 1949

1949 No. 743

Made - - - -	13*th April*, 1949
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Coming into Operation	1*st May*, 1949

The Minister of Fuel and Power in pursuance of subsection (1) of section seventy-four of the Gas Act, 1948,(a) hereby makes the following regulations:—

1. The day on which the financial years of each Area Board and the Gas Council shall end shall be the thirty-first day of March.

2. These regulations shall come into operation on the first day of May, nineteen hundred and forty-nine, and may be cited as the Gas (Financial Years) Regulations, 1949.

Dated this thirteenth day of April, nineteen hundred and forty-nine.

Hugh Gaitskell,
Minister of Fuel and Power.

(a) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 67.