EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order brings into operation, as from the 1st January, 1959, certain provisions of the Opticians Act, 1958, and in particular—

(*a*) provisions with respect to the establishment and constitution of a General Optical Council;

(*b*) provisions enabling the Council to make rules and to establish certain committees.

OVERSEAS SERVICE

1958 No. 543

The Governors' Pensions (Maximum Amounts) Order, 1958

Made - - - -	27*th March*, 1958
Laid before Parliament	31*st March*, 1958
Coming into Operation	1*st April*, 1958

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by subsection (3) of section 3 and subsection (2) of section 9 of the Governors' Pensions Act, 1957(a) (hereafter in this Order referred to as "the Act") and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:—

1. The sum of three thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds is hereby specified for the purposes of section 3 of the Act (which relates to the maximum amount of a pension under the Act).

2. The sum of five thousand six hundred and twenty-five pounds is hereby specified for the purposes of section 9 of the Act (which relates to death gratuities).

3. The Interpretation Act, 1889(b), shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

4. This Order may be cited as the Governors' Pensions (Maximum Amounts) Order, 1958, and shall come into operation on the first day of April nineteen hundred and fifty-eight.

Dated this 27th day of March nineteen hundred and fifty-eight.

Martin Redmayne,
P. E. O. Bryan,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

(a) 5 & 6 Eliz. 2. c. 62. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order increases the maximum amount of a Governor's pension from £3,000 a year to £3,750 a year and of a gratuity payable in respect of a Governor dying in office from £4,500 to £5,625.

OVERSEAS TERRITORIES

1958 No. 591

The Leeward Islands (Emergency Powers) Order in Council, 1958

Made - - - - 3*rd April*, 1958

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 3rd day of April, 1958

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers conferred on Her by section 3 of the Leeward Islands Act, 1956(a), and all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Leeward Islands (Emergency Powers) Order in Council, 1958.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Order the expression "the Governor" means the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Leeward Islands and includes any person for the time being discharging the functions of that office by virtue of the provisions of article 4 of the Leeward Islands Letters Patent, 1956(b), and (except in subsection (4) of the next following section) any person appointed to be a Deputy to the Governor under article 5 of those Letters Patent.

(2) The colonies to which this Order applies are the colonies of Antigua, Saint Christopher Nevis and Anguilla, Montserrat and the Virgin Islands.

Governor may make emergency laws for a colony to which this Order applies

3.—(1) The Governor may, during a period of emergency in any colony to which this Order applies, make such laws for that colony as appear to him to be necessary or expedient for securing the public safety, the defence of the colony or the maintenance of public order or for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community.

(a) 4 & 5 Eliz. 2. c. 23. (b) S.I. 1956 II, p. 3009.