STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1961 No. 988

PARLIAMENT

The House of Commons Members' Fund Order, 1961

Made - - - -	18*th May*, 1961
Laid before the House of Commons	31*st May*, 1961
Coming into Operation	1*st June*, 1961

In exercise of their powers under Subsections (1) (2) and (3) of Section 1 of the House of Commons Members' Fund Act, 1957(a), the Treasury hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the House of Commons Members' Fund Order, 1961.

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

2. The Treasury direct that the amount of the annual contributions payable under Section 1 of the House of Commons Members' Fund Act, 1957 shall not exceed twenty-two thousand pounds.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the 1st day of June, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

Dated this 18th day of May, 1961.

Michael Hughes-Young,
W. S. I. Whitelaw,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Order authorises an increase from £10,000 to £22,000 of the maximum limit of the annual Exchequer contribution to the House of Commons Members' Fund.

(a) 5 & 6 Eliz. 2. c. 24. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.