STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1978 No. 239

BURIAL, ENGLAND AND WALES
The Human Remains Removal Licence (Prescribed Fee) Order 1978

Made - - - - 21*st February* 1978

Coming into Operation 1*st April* 1978

In pursuance of section 7(1) of the Fees (Increase) Act 1923(**a**), as amended by the Human Remains Removal Licence (Variation of Maximum Fee) Order 1977(**b**), and with the consent of the Treasury, I hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Human Remains Removal Licence (Prescribed Fee) Order 1978 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1978.

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(**c**) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The fee payable under section 7(1) of the Fees (Increase) Act 1923, as amended, on the issue of a licence under section 25 of the Burial Act 1857(**d**) for the removal of any body, or the remains of any body, which has been interred in any place of burial shall, instead of £4 as prescribed by the Human Remains Removal Licence (Prescribed Fee) Order 1976(**e**), be £5.

Merlyn Rees,

One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office.
16th February 1978.

We consent to this Order.

Donald R. Coleman,

T. E. Graham,

Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

21st February 1978.

(**a**) 1923 c. 4.
(**b**) S.I. 1977/2140.
(**c**) 1889 c. 63.
(**d**) 1857 c. 81.
(**e**) S.I. 1976/501.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order increases from £4 to £5 the prescribed fee for a licence issued under section 25 of the Burial Act 1857 for the removal of human remains interred in a place of burial.

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