All fees shall be paid by adhesive stamps which shall be sold only at the offices of the Tribunal.

The fees on appeal are governed by the rules of the Court to which the appeal lies.

No fees are payable by the Minister of Transport in respect of Proceedings before the Transport Tribunal.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Rules lay down the procedure to be followed before the Transport Tribunal, as the Railway Rates Tribunal has been renamed. In its main lines the procedure is the same as that prescribed by the Railway Rates Tribunal Rules of 1922, now revoked. The Additional Rules of 1928, 1929, 1934 (1) and 1934 (2) are revoked. They dealt respectively with the Road Transport charges of the Railway Executive, the Railway Freight Rebates Scheme, Agreed Charges, and services rendered by the London Transport Executive and the charges therefor. Their provisions are substantially re-embodied in these Rules.

NAVAL RESERVES

COLONIAL NAVAL DEFENCE

The Malayan Naval Force Order, 1949

1949 No. 142

Made - - - - *28th January,* 1949

At the Court at Sandringham, the 28th day of January, 1949

Present,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by the Colonial Naval Defence Act, 1931(a), (hereinafter referred to as the Act) it is enacted that the legislature of any colony may, with the approval of His Majesty in Council, make provision for maintaining and using vessels of war; and that where the legislature of any colony has made provision for raising a force for the naval defence of the colony within its territorial waters, that legislature may, with the approval of His Majesty in Council, further make such provision regarding the discipline and service of officers and men of that force as is set out in the Act;

(a) 21 & 22 Geo. 5. c. 9.

And Whereas by the Act it is further provided that His Majesty in Council may, on such conditions as He thinks fit, authorise the Admiralty to accept any offer made by the Government of a colony to place at His Majesty's disposal for general service in the Royal Navy vessels of war maintained, or officers or men of such force as aforesaid raised, by the colony;

And Whereas by the Malayan Naval Force Ordinance, 1948, of the legislature of the Colony of Singapore (hereinafter referred to as the Legislature) provision has been made for raising a force for the naval defence of the Colony called the Malayan Naval Force (hereinafter referred to as the Force):

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Him by the above recited provisions, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Malayan Naval Force Order, 1949.

2. Approval is hereby given to the exercise by the Legislature of the power contained in section 1 of the Act to make provision at the expense of the Colony for maintaining and using vessels of war.

3. The Admiralty is hereby authorised to accept any offer made by the Government of Singapore to place at His Majesty's disposal for general service in the Royal Navy any vessel of war so maintained.

4. Approval is hereby given to the exercise by the Legislature of the powers contained in sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Act, namely, to provide that officers and men of the Force—

(*a*) shall, whether serving ashore or afloat or within or without the limits of Singapore, be subject to all the enactments and regulations for the time being in force for the enforcement of discipline in the Royal Navy, with such modifications and adaptations as may be made by the Legislature to adapt those enactments and regulations to the circumstances of Singapore;

(*b*) shall be liable to service and training in any ship, establishment or other place without the limits of Singapore, whether belonging to Singapore or not;

(*c*) shall, in the case of officers or men entered on the express terms of accepting general service in the Royal Navy in emergency, form part of the Royal Navy Reserve or of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, or that some shall form part of the Royal Naval Reserve and others of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

5. The Admiralty is hereby authorised to accept any offer made by the Government of Singapore to place at His Majesty's disposal for general service in the Royal Navy any officers and men of the Force.

Edward Ford.