STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1986 No. 1052 (C.28)

MERCHANT SHIPPING

The Merchant Shipping Act 1979 (Commencement No. 10) Order 1986

Made - - - - - 23*rd June* 1986

The Secretary of State for Transport, in exercise of powers conferred on him by section 52(2) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1979**(a)** (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Merchant Shipping Act 1979 (Commencement No. 10) Order 1986.

2. The provisions of the Act specified in the first column of the Schedule to this Order (which relates to the matters specified in the second column of that Schedule) shall come into force on 1st December 1986.

John Moore,
Secretary of State for Transport.

23rd June 1986.

SCHEDULE

PROVISION COMING INTO FORCE ON 1ST DECEMBER 1986

Section 17	Limitation of Liability
Section 18	Exclusion of Liability
Section 19(1) and (4)	Supplementary
Section 50(4) so far as it relates to the provisions of Schedule 7 set out below in this Schedule	Repeals
Schedule 4	Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims 1976
Schedule 5	Salvors: Consequential amendments
Schedule 7, Part I	Repeal of enactments relating to liability of Shipowners and salvors

(a) 1979 c. 39.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order brings into operation those provisions of the Merchant Shipping Act 1979 necessary to give effect to the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims 1976 (set out in Schedule 4 to the Act), which comes into force on 1st December 1986, and replaces in the United Kingdom the Brussels Convention relating to the Limitation of Liability of Owners of Sea-going Ships, 1957.

NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

The following provisions of the Merchant Shipping Act 1979 have been brought into force by commencement orders made before the date of this Order:—

Provision	Date of commencement	S.I. No.
ss. 1 to 6. Sch. 1	1.8.79	1979/807
ss. 7, 8(1), (2), (4) and that part of (6) which relates to s. 14 of the Pilotage Act 1913, 9 to 11	4.7.80 and 1.9.80	1980/923
ss. 12, 13(1) in relation to Sch. 2, paras. 1 to 4, 5(2), 6, 7, 10(2), 11, 12, 14 to 19, 20(1), the former part of 20(2), 21 to 27	1.8.79, 1.10.79 and 1.1.80	1979/807
s. 13(1) in relation to Sch. 2, paras. 5(1), 8, 9, 10(1), 13(3) and the latter part of 20(2)	1.1.80 4.7.80 and 1.9.80	1979/807 1980/923
s. 13(2) to (5)	1.8.79	1979/807
s. 15(1) and the latter part of (2)	17.12.79	1979/1578
s. 16	1.8.79	1979/807
s. 19(2), (3)	17.12.79	1979/1578
ss. 20 to 22, 26 to 30, 32(1), 33, 34, 35(1) except in relation to fishing vessels, 36(1)	1.8.79, 1.10.79 and 1.1.80	1979/807
s. 23(7)	31.12.85	1985/1827
s. 31	3.5.83	1983/440
s. 32(2), (3)	1.7.83	1982/1616
s. 36(2)	1.4.80	1980/354

Provision	Date of commencement	S.I. No.
ss. 36(3), 37(1) to (3), (5), (7), (8)	1.8.79	1979/807
s. 37(4)	1.1.83	1982/1616
s. 38(5)	17.12.79	1979/1578
s. 38(1), (2), (3) and (6)	8.4.81	1981/405
ss. 39 to 45, 46 (partially), Sch. 6	1.8.79 and 1.1.80	1979/807
s. 46 (remainder)	4.7.80	1980/923
s. 47(1), (2) (partially), (3)	1.8.79, 1.10.79 and 1.1.80	1979/807
s. 47(2)	17.12.79 and 14.9.83	1979/1578 and 1983/1312
ss. 48, 49, 50(1), (2)	1.8.79	1979/807
s. 50(3)	4.7.80	1980/923
s. 50(4) and Sch. 7 (partially)	1.8.79, 1.10.79 and 1.1.80 1.4.80 4.7.80 and 1.9.80 8.4.81 3.5.83 31.12.85	1979/807 1980/354 1980/923 1981/405 1983/440 1985/1827
s. 51(1), (3), 52	1.8.79	1979/807
s. 51(2) (partially)	1.1.83	1982/1616
Sch. 3, Part I has been brought into force for some purposes, with modification, by the Carriage of Passengers and their Luggage by Sea (Interim Provisions) Order 1980 (S.I. 1980/1092) made under the powers in section 16(1), (2) and (5).	1.1.81	1980/1092.

Note: 1. Sections 1 to 13, Schedule 2, paragraph 2 of Schedule 5 and the entries relating to the Pilotage Act 1913 (c. 31 (2 & 3 Geo. 5)) in Part II of Schedule 7 have been repealed by and re-enacted in the Pilotage Act 1983 (c. 21) (a consolidation Act).

2. Section 35(1) ceases to have effect with the coming into operation of the repeals effected by this Order.

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