STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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MERCHANT SHIPPING

The Merchant Shipping (Tonnage) (Hong Kong) Order 1982

Made - - - - -	18*th May* 1982
Laid before Parliament	27*th May* 1982
Coming into Operation	18*th July* 1982

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 18th day of May 1982

Present,
The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her by section 94(ii) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1970**(a)** is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (Tonnage) (Hong Kong) Order 1982 and shall come into operation on 18th July 1982.

2. The provisions of section 91 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1970 shall extend to Hong Kong, with the exceptions, adaptations and modifications specified in the Schedule hereto as part of the law thereof and the reference in that section to the Merchant Shipping Act 1965**(b)** shall be to that Act as extended to Hong Kong by the Merchant Shipping (Tonnage) (Hong Kong) Order 1967**(c)**.

N. E. Leigh,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

SCHEDULE Article 2

EXCEPTIONS, ADAPTATIONS AND MODIFICATIONS IN THE EXTENSION OF SECTION 91 OF THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT 1970 TO HONG KONG

1. In section 1(6) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1965, as substituted by section 91:
   (a) for any reference to the Board of Trade there shall be substituted a reference to the Governor;
   (b) for the reference to the United Kingdom there shall be substituted a reference to Hong Kong.

(a) 1970 c. 36. **(b)** 1965 c. 47. **(c)** S.I. 1967/1764.

2. In section 1(6A) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1965, as substituted by section 91, for the reference to a fine not exceeding £100 there shall be substituted a reference to a fine not exceeding 5,000 Hong Kong dollars.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order extends to Hong Kong, with the necessary modifications, section 91 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1970, which amends section 1(5) and (6) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1965, as extended to Hong Kong by the Merchant Shipping (Tonnage) (Hong Kong) Order 1967. The extension of section 91 enables effect to be given in Hong Kong to the International Convention on Tonnage Measurement of Ships, 1969 (Cmnd. 4332).

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