5. In addition to any notice required to be given under section 2 of the Act of 1909 and to the publication of notices in accordance with these regulations, notice of any application to which these regulations relate shall, where the Secretary of State so directs, be served upon such persons as may be specified in the directions.

6.—(1) Every notice published or served in pursuance of these regulations shall state the time within which, and the manner in which, objections to the application can be made by persons other than those to whom (under section 2 of the Act of 1909, or under section 21 of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1919(**a**)) an opportunity of being heard or of stating objections is required to be given, and in no case shall the time within which objections to the application can be made be less than twenty-one days from the date of publication of the first notice.

(2) In so far as any such notice requires objections to be sent to any person other than the Secretary of State, copies of the objections shall be sent to the Secretary of State by that person.

Dated this 23rd day of January, 1958.

John S. Maclay,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations made under section 34 of the Electricity Act, 1957, set out the requirements for the publicity to be given to applications to the Secretary of State for his consent to the construction or extension of a generating station under section 2 of the Electric Lighting Act, 1909, and to the erection of an overhead high voltage electric line under section 10 (*b*) of the Schedule to the Electric Lighting (Clauses) Act, 1899.

1958 No. 1061

The Meters (Permitted Alterations) Order, 1958

Made - - - -	*25th June,* 1958
Laid before Parliament	*30th June,* 1958
Coming into Operation	*1st July,* 1958

The Minister of Power in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section thirty of the Electricity Act, 1957(**b**), and of all other powers him enabling, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of July, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, and may be cited as the Meters (Permitted Alterations) Order, 1958.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 100. (b) 5 & 6 Eliz. 2. c. 48.

2. In this Order the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them respectively, that is to say :—

" meter " means a meter certified under the provisions of the Schedule of 1899 ;

" the Schedule of 1899 " means the Schedule to the Electric Lighting (Clauses) Act, 1899(a) ;

" the value of the supply " has the same meaning as in the Schedule of 1899.

3. Notwithstanding the proviso to Section fifty of the Schedule of 1899 (under which, if a certified meter is altered, it ceases to be certified until re-certified), the making in a meter of an alteration of a description specified in the Schedule to this Order shall not cause the meter to cease to be a certified meter.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight.

Mills,
Minister of Power.

THE SCHEDULE

1. Any alteration to the prepayment mechanism in a prepayment meter.
2. Any alteration to the demand indicator mechanism in a maximum demand meter.
3. Any alteration to the two-rate mechanism in a two-rate meter.
4. The setting of any electrolytic meter to zero at the time of installation and any re-setting to zero immediately subsequent to a reading of the meter and a recording thereof.
5. Any alteration to any part of any meter not mentioned in the preceding paragraphs of this Schedule, being a part which is not concerned with the ascertainment of the value of the supply.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order sets out the alterations which may be made to certified meters without causing them to require re-certification.

Certified meters register the value of supply in units (kilowatt-hours). Some of them incorporate additional parts, e.g., prepayment mechanisms, two-rate mechanisms and demand indicator mechanisms. The Order permits alterations to such additional parts, which are necessary, for example, to implement tariff changes, and also permits alterations in electrolytic meters.

(a) 62 & 63 Vict. c. 19.