1956 No. 819

The Parliamentary Constituencies (Bradford and Shipley) Order, 1956

Made - - - -	1*st June*, 1956
Coming into Operation	15*th June*, 1956

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 1st day of June, 1956

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas under subsection (3) of section two of the House of Commons (Redistribution of Seats) Act, 1949(**a**), the Boundary Commission for England has submitted to the Secretary of State a report dated the twenty-sixth day of January, 1956, with respect to the areas comprised in certain constituencies and showing the constituencies into which they recommend that those areas should be divided in order to give effect to the rules set out in the Second Schedule to the said Act:

And Whereas the Secretary of State has laid the said report before Parliament together with the draft of this Order in Council to give effect to recommendations contained in the report and each House of Parliament has by resolution approved the said draft:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the powers conferred by section three of the House of Commons (Redistribution of Seats) Act, 1949, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. In lieu of the county constituency of Shipley described in the First Schedule to the Representation of the People Act, 1948(**b**), and the borough constituency of Bradford North described in Part II of the Schedule to the Parliamentary Constituencies (Bradford, Brighouse and Spenborough and Dewsbury) Order, 1955(**c**), both of which are specified in Part I of the Schedule to this Order there shall be substituted the county and borough constituencies described in Part II of the Schedule to this Order.

2. The electoral registration officers for the aforesaid constituencies shall make such re-arrangement or adaptation of the registers of parliamentary electors as may be necessary to give effect to this Order.

(**a**) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 66. (**b**) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 65.
(**c**) S.I. 1955/180 (1955 II, p. 2106).

3.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Parliamentary Constituencies (Bradford and Shipley) Order, 1956.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(a), shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(3) This Order shall come into operation on the fourteenth day after the day on which it is made:

Provided that the coming into operation of this Order shall not affect any parliamentary election until a proclamation is issued by Her Majesty summoning a new Parliament or affect the constitution of the House of Commons until the dissolution of the Parliament in being on the day on which this Order comes into operation.

W. G. Agnew.

SCHEDULE

YORKSHIRE—WEST RIDING

PART I

Existing constituencies described by reference to circumstances as they existed immediately before the end of the year 1947 *in the case of Shipley, and as they existed on the* 1*st day of April,* 1954, *in the case of Bradford North.*

Name	County or Borough Constituency	Contents
Shipley	County ...	The urban districts of Baildon, Bingley and Shipley.
Bradford North ...	Borough ...	The following wards of the county borough of Bradford, namely, Bolton, Bradford Moor, Eccleshill, Idle and North East.

PART II

New constituencies described by reference to circumstances as they existed on the 1*st January,* 1956 (*being a day subsequent to the West Riding of Yorkshire and Bradford (Alteration of Boundaries) Order,* 1955(b)).

Name	County or Borough Constituency	Contents
Shipley	County ...	The urban districts of Baildon, Bingley and Shipley.
Bradford North ...	Borough ...	The following wards of the county borough of Bradford, namely, Bolton, Bradford Moor, Eccleshill, Idle and North East.

(a) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63. (b) S.I. 1955/387.