1955 No. 4

The Parliamentary Constituencies (Crewe, Knutsford, Nantwich and Northwich) Order, 1955

Made - - - - 5*th January*, 1955
Coming into Operation 19*th January*, 1955

At the Court at Sandringham, the 5th day of January, 1955

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas in pursuance of subsection (1) 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 tenth day of November, 1954, showing the constituencies into which they recommend that England 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 a 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 constituencies of Crewe, Knutsford and Northwich described in the First Schedule to the Representation of the People Act, 1948(b), and specified in Part I of the Schedule to this Order there shall be substituted the county constituencies described in Part II of the Schedule to this Order.

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

3.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Parliamentary Constituencies (Crewe, Knutsford, Nantwich and Northwich) Order, 1955.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), 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.

(a) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 66. (b) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 65. (c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

SCHEDULE

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PART I

Existing constituencies described by reference to circumstances as they existed immediately before the end of the year 1947

Name	County or Borough Constituency	Contents
Crewe ...	County ...	(i) The borough of Crewe; (ii) the urban district of Nantwich; (iii) the rural district of Nantwich.
Knutsford ...	County ...	(i) The urban districts of Alderley Edge, Alsager, Bowdon, Hale, Knutsford, Sandbach and Wilmslow; (ii) the rural districts of Bucklow and Congleton.
Northwich ...	County ...	(i) The urban districts of Middlewich, Northwich and Winsford; (ii) the rural districts of Northwich and Tarvin.

PART II

New constituencies described by reference to circumstances as they existed on the 1*st day of April,* 1954

Name	County or Borough Constituency	Contents
Crewe ...	County ...	(i) The borough of Crewe; (ii) the urban districts of Alsager and Sandbach; (iii) the parishes of Barthomley, Crewe, Haslington and Weston in the rural district of Nantwich.
Knutsford ...	County ...	(i) The urban districts of Alderley Edge, Bowdon, Hale, Knutsford and Wilmslow; (ii) the rural districts of Bucklow and Congleton.
Nantwich ...	County ...	(i) The urban districts of Middlewich, Nantwich and Winsford; (ii) the rural district of Nantwich except the parishes of Barthomley, Crewe, Haslington and Weston; (iii) the parishes of Darnhall, Stanthorne and Wimboldsley in the rural district of Northwich; (iv) the rural district of Tarvin except the parishes included in the Northwich constituency.

PART II—*continued*

Name	County or Borough Constituency	Contents
Northwich ...	County ...	(i) The urban district of Northwich; (ii) the rural district of Northwich except the parishes of Darnhall, Stanthorne and Wimboldsley; (iii) the following parishes in the rural district of Tarvin, namely, Ashton, Bruen Stapleford, Burton by Tarvin, Clotton Hoofield, Cotton Abbots, Cotton Edmunds, Duddon, Foulk Stapleford, Hatton, Hockenhull, Horton cum Peel, Huxley, Iddinshall, Kelsall, Mouldsworth, Prior's Heys, Tarvin, Tilstone Fearnall, Tiverton, Waverton and Willington.

1955 No. 174

The Parliamentary Constituencies (Croydon) Order, 1955

Made - - - - 1*st February*, 1955
Coming into Operation 15*th February*, 1955

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 1st day of February, 1955

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas in pursuance of subsection (1) 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 tenth day of November, 1954, showing the constituencies into which they recommend that England 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 a 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 borough constituencies of Croydon East, Croydon North and Croydon West described in the First Schedule to the Representation of the People Act, 1948(**b**), and specified in Part I of the Schedule to this Order there shall be substituted the borough constituencies described in Part II of the Schedule to this Order.

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

3.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Parliamentary Constituencies (Croydon) Order, 1955.

(**a**) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 66. (**b**) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 65.