Transhipment

5.—(1) The transhipment at a port in Great Britain of any bird to which this Order applies, brought from any other country is hereby prohibited unless such transhipment is authorised by a licence granted by a Veterinary Inspector or other Officer of the Ministry subject to such conditions, if any, as may be prescribed therein.

(2) Licences required to be obtained by this Article shall be delivered to the proper Officer of Customs and Excise at the port of transhipment.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this second day of February, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) *Tom Dugdale,*
Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order prohibits the importation of parrots and similar birds into Great Britain.

1953 No. 778

The Parrots and Miscellaneous Birds (Prohibition of Importation) (Amendment) Order, 1953

Made - - - -	1*st May*, 1953
Laid before Parliament	5*th May*, 1953
Coming into Operation	8*th May*, 1953

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him by Sections 33, 49 and 85 of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950(**a**), (as extended by the Diseases of Animals (Extension of Definition of Poultry) Order, 1953(**b**)), and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Parrots and Miscellaneous Birds (Prohibition of Importation) (Amendment) Order, 1953, and shall come into operation on the eighth day of May, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

2. In Article 3 of the Parrots and Miscellaneous Birds (Prohibition of Importation) Order, 1953(**c**), (which prohibits the importation into Great

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 36. (b) S.I. 1953/37, p. 1669 above. (c) S.I. 1953/151, p. 1670 above.

Britain of parrots and certain other birds), after the words "from any other country or part of a country" there shall be inserted the words "except the Island of Jersey, the Isle of Man and Northern Ireland".

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this first day of May, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) *E. A. Hitchman,*
Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Parrots and Miscellaneous Birds (Prohibition of Importation) Order, 1953 prohibited the importation of parrots and similar birds into Great Britain. This amending Order permits their importation from Jersey, the Isle of Man and Northern Ireland.

1953 No. 38

The Psittacosis or Ornithosis Order, 1953

Made - - - - *8th January,* 1953

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him by Sections 1, 20, 45 and 84 of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950(**a**), (as extended by the Diseases of Animals (Extension of Definition of Poultry) Order, 1953(**b**), and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Short Title

1. This Order may be cited as the Psittacosis or Ornithosis Order, 1953.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires:—

"Local Authority" means a Local Authority for the purposes of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950;

"Poultry" means any live bird or birds of any of the following descriptions, that is to say:—

(*a*) domestic fowls, turkeys, geese, ducks, guinea-fowls, pigeons, pheasants and partridges;

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 36. (b) S.I. 1953/37, p. 1669 above.