STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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CIVIL AVIATION

The Policing of Airports (Heathrow) (Second Supplementary) Order 1980

Made - - - -	*28th January* 1980
Laid before Parliament	*5th February* 1980
Coming into Operation	*1st March* 1980

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsections (1) and (2) of section 6 of the Policing of Airports Act 1974(a), and after such consultation as is mentioned in subsection (6) thereof, I hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Policing of Airports (Heathrow) (Second Supplementary) Order 1980 and shall come into operation on 1st March 1980.

2. The British Airports Authority shall pay to the Receiver for the metropolitan police district the sum of £2,276,000 (in addition to the sum of £729,000 which the Authority has already paid on this account) in respect of the pension rights of such members of the British Airports Authority Constabulary as were transferred to the metropolitan police force under the Policing of Airports (Heathrow) (First Supplementary) Order 1974(b) together with interest thereon for each completed period of six months from 1st November 1979 until the date of payment, compounded at the average Public Works Loan Board quota rate prevailing during each such period for maturity loans of 1 to 5 years.

W. S. I. Whitelaw,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office.
28th January 1980.

(a) 1974 c. 41.

(b) S.I. 1974/1672.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

By virtue of the Policing of Airports (Heathrow) Order 1974 (S.I. 1974/1671) Heathrow Airport became a designated airport for the purposes of the Policing of Airports Act 1974 and, accordingly, fell to be policed by the metropolitan police force. The Policing of Airports (Heathrow) (First Supplementary) Order 1974 made certain provisions necessary or expedient in connection with the designation of Heathrow Airport and, in particular, provided for the transfer of aerodrome constables to the metropolitan police force. By virtue of the Police Pensions (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1974 (S.I. 1974/1673) constables so transferred are entitled to reckon their previous service for the purposes of the police pensions scheme for personal and widow's benefits. This Order requires the British Airports Authority to pay to the metropolitan police fund a sum which is an actuarial valuation of the pension benefits so conferred on transferred constables.

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