STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1978 No. 778

BETTING, GAMING AND LOTTERIES

The Pool Competitions Act 1971 (Continuance) Order 1978

Laid before Parliament in draft

Made - - -	*25th May* 1978
Coming into Operation	26*th July* 1978

Whereas a draft of this Order has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 8(2) and (3) of the Pool Competitions Act 1971(**a**), I hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Pool Competitions Act 1971 (Continuance) Order 1978 and shall come into operation on 26th July 1978.

2.—(1) In this Order "the Act" means the Pool Competitions Act 1971 as for the time being amended by or under any enactment.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(**b**) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The period specified in section 8(1) of the Act (which relates to the duration of the Act), as extended by the Pool Competitions Act 1971 (Continuance) Order 1976(**c**) and the Pool Competitions Act 1971 (Continuance) Order 1977(**d**), is hereby further extended so as to expire with 26th July 1979.

Merlyn Rees,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office.
25th May 1978.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order continues in force the Pool Competitions Act 1971 until, and including, 26th July 1979.

(**a**) 1971 c. 57. (**b**) 1889 c. 63. (**c**) S.I. 1976/939. (**d**) S.I. 1977/997.

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