STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1978 No. 188

MERCHANT SHIPPING

The Prevention of Oil Pollution (Convention Countries) (Additional Countries) Order 1978

Made - - - -	*9th February* 1978
Laid before Parliament	*17th February* 1978
Coming into Operation	*10th March* 1978

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 9th day of February 1978
Present,
The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by section 21(3) of the Prevention of Oil Pollution Act 1971(**a**) it is enacted that Her Majesty, if satisfied that the Government of any country has accepted any convention accepted by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom in so far as it relates to the prevention of pollution of the sea by oil, may by Order in Council make a declaration to that effect:

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that the Governments of the countries specified in the Schedule to this Order have accepted the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea by Oil 1954, a convention which has been accepted by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and which relates solely to the prevention of pollution of the sea by oil:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the powers conferred on Her by the said section 21(3) and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Prevention of Oil Pollution (Convention Countries) (Additional Countries) Order 1978 and shall come into operation on 10th March 1978.

2. It is hereby declared that the Governments of the countries specified in the Schedule to this Order have accepted the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea by Oil 1954.

N. E. Leigh,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

(**a**) 1971 c. 60.

SCHEDULE

The Argentine Republic.
The People's Republic of Bulgaria.
The Republic of Surinam.
The Republic of Chile.

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