"supervision order" means an order made under section sixty-two, section sixty-three, section sixty-four or section eighty-four of the Children and Young Persons Act, 1933(a), placing a child or young person under the supervision of a probation officer or some other person appointed for the purpose by the court;

"Warden" means the person in charge of a hostel or home.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(b), shall apply to the interpretation of these Rules as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

37. These Rules may be cited as the Approved Probation Hostel and Home Rules, 1949, and shall come into operation on the first day of August, 1949.

J. Chuter Ede,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
20th July, 1949.

PROBATION OF OFFENDERS, SCOTLAND

The Probation (Scotland) Rules, 1949

1949 No. 150 (S. 12)

Made - - - -	*24th January,* 1949
Coming into Operation	*29th January,* 1949

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 9 of the Probation of Offenders (Scotland) Act, 1931(c), the Secretary of State hereby makes the following Rules:—

1. The Probation (Scotland) Rules, 1931(d), shall be amended in terms of the Schedule hereto.

2. The Probation (Scotland) Rules, 1946(e), are hereby revoked.

3. These Rules may be cited as the Probation (Scotland) Rules, 1949, and shall come into operation on the 29th day of January, 1949.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State this twenty-fourth day of January, nineteen hundred and forty-nine.

(L.S.) *C. C. Cunningham,*
Secretary.

Scottish Home Department,
St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh 1.

(a) 23 & 24 Geo. 5. c. 12.
(b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(c) 21 & 22 Geo. 5. c. 30.
(d) S.R. & O. 1931 (No. 1023) p. 1077.
(e) S.R. & O. 1946 (No 825) I, p. 1411.

SCHEDULE

The following Rule shall be substituted for Rule 25:—

"25. No person who has not attained the age of 25 or who has attained the age of 45 shall be appointed a full-time salaried Probation Officer:

Provided that no person who has attained the age of 40 shall be so appointed unless the Probation Committee furnishes a certificate to the Secretary of State that the candidate proposed to be appointed possesses some exceptional qualification or experience which specially fits him for the post;

Provided that the limits of age hereby imposed shall not be applicable in the case of any person who at the time of his appointment as aforesaid is either (a) a full-time salaried probation officer appointed under the enactments for the time being in force in Scotland relating to the appointment of probation officers or (b) a full-time probation officer appointed under the enactments for the time being in force in England and Wales relating to the appointment of probation officers."

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The purpose of these Rules is to retain the existing age limits of appointment to the full-time probation service in Scotland and to provide that the upper age limit of under 45 years shall not apply where a full-time probation officer transfers from the service of a probation committee in Scotland or in England and Wales to the service of another probation committee in Scotland.

PROFITS TAX

The Double Taxation Relief (Profits Tax) (Republic of Ireland) Order, 1949

1949 No. 1434

Made - - - - *28th July,* 1949

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of July, 1949

Present,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas it is provided by subsection (1) of section fifty-one of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1945(a), that if His Majesty by Order in Council declares that arrangements specified in the Order have been made with the Government of any territory outside the United Kingdom with a view to affording relief from double taxation in relation to profits tax and any taxes of a similar character imposed by the laws of that territory, and that it is expedient that those arrangements should have effect, the arrangements shall have effect to the extent specified in that subsection:

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 13.