FINANCIAL PROVISIONS

1956 No. 1470

The Public Health (London) (Rate of Interest) Order, 1956

Made - - - - *17th September,* 1956
Coming into Operation *1st October,* 1956

The Minister of Housing and Local Government, in exercise of his powers under paragraph (*a*) of the proviso to subsection (4) of section 8 of the London County Council (General Powers) Act, 1951(**a**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1. This order may be cited as the Public Health (London) (Rate of Interest) Order, 1956, and shall come into operation on the first day of October, 1956.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(**b**), applies to the interpretation of this order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The maximum rate of interest for the purposes of section 8 of the London County Council (General Powers) Act, 1951 (which provides that certain expenses recoverable by a sanitary authority shall be a charge on premises and may be ordered to be paid in instalments, bearing interest in either case) shall, as regards expenses in respect of which the sanitary authority have not, at the commencement of this order, determined a rate of interest, be five and three-quarters per cent. per annum instead of five and a quarter per cent. per annum as fixed by the Public Health (London) (Rate of Interest) Order, 1955(**c**).

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Housing and Local Government this seventeenth day of September, nineteen hundred and fifty-six.

(L.S.)

F. L. Edwards,
Under Secretary,
Ministry of Housing and Local Government.

(**a**) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. xli. (**b**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(**c**) S.I. 1955/1872 (1955 I, p. 1125).