STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1970 No. 851

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE

The Returning Officers' Expenses (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 1970

Made - - -	28*th May* 1970
Coming into Operation	29*th May* 1970

The Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 20(2) of the Representation of the People Act, 1949(a), hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Returning Officers' Expenses (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 1970, and shall come into operation on 29th May 1970.

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

3. The Returning Officers' Expenses (Scotland) Regulations 1970(c) shall be amended, in head I of Part B of the Schedule thereto, as follows:—

(*a*) in paragraph 5, by substituting for the figures "£4 15s." the figures "£5 10s.";

(*b*) in paragraph 6, by substituting for the figures "£3 10s." the figures "£4", and for the figures "£3" the figures "£3 10s.";

(*c*) in paragraph 7, by substituting for the figures "£3" the figures "£3 10s.".

Neil McBride,
E. G. Perry,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

28th May 1970.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the Returning Officers' Expenses (Scotland) Regulations 1970. The only change is an increase in the maximum charges to which a returning officer at a parliamentary election in Scotland is entitled in respect of certain travelling and overnight subsistence allowances of himself and other officers.

(a) 1949 c. 68. (b) 1889 c. 63. (c) S.I. 1970/300 (1970 I, p. 1119).