STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1968 No. 355

ROAD TRAFFIC

The Road Vehicles (Index Marks) (Amendment) Regulations 1968

Made - - -	*7th March* 1968
Laid before Parliament	*19th March* 1968
Coming into Operation	*1st April* 1968

The Minister of Transport, in exercise of the powers conferred upon her by section 16 of the Vehicles (Excise) Act 1962(**a**) and of all other powers her enabling in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations shall come into operation on the 1st April 1968, and may be cited as the Road Vehicles (Index Marks) (Amendment) Regulations 1968.

2. The Road Vehicles (Index Marks) Regulations 1964(**b**), as amended (**c**), shall have effect as though in Schedule 2 thereto :—

(*a*) there were substituted for the word "Berks" in the first column the word "Berkshire" ;

(*b*) there were inserted after the reference to the Council of the County Borough of Swansea a reference to the Council of the County Borough of Teesside ;

(*c*) there were specified in relation to the Council of the County Borough of Teesside the index marks specified in relation to the Council of the County Borough of Middlesbrough ;

(*d*) the reference to the Council of the County Borough of Middlesbrough and all the index marks specified in relation thereto were deleted ;

(*e*) there were inserted after the reference to the Council of the County Borough of Teesside a reference to the Council of the County Borough of Torbay ;

(*f*) there were specified in relation to the Council of the County Borough of Torbay the following index marks (each such mark being preceded for the purposes of the said Schedule by a symbol as shown below):—

"†AXF, †BXF, †CXF, †DXF, †EXF, †FXF, †GXF, †HXF, †JXF, †KXF, †LXF, †MXF, †NXF, †OXF, †PXF, †RXF, †SXF, †TXF, †UXF, †VXF, †WXF, †XXF & †YXF".

(**a**) 10 & 11 Eliz. 2. c. 13. (**b**) S.I. 1964/404 (1964 I, p. 635).
(**c**) S.I. 1965/237, 1966/250, 1967/315 (1965 I, p. 593; 1966 I, p. 574; 1967 I, p. 1091).

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Transport the 7th March 1968.

(L.S.)

Barbara Castle,
Minister of Transport.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations further amend the Road Vehicles (Index Marks) Regulations 1964, which allocated to certain Councils index marks to be assigned to vehicles upon their registration under the Vehicles (Excise) Act 1962. The principal changes are:—

(*a*) to allot to the Council of the new County Borough of Teesside the index marks of the dissolved County Borough Council of Middlesbrough; and

(*b*) to allot to the Council of the new County Borough of Torbay specified index marks.