STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1971 No. 627

SEA FISHERIES

BOATS AND METHODS OF FISHING

The Salmon and Migratory Trout (Enforcement) Order 1971

Made - - -	*7th April* 1971
Laid before Parliament	19*th April* 1971
Coming into Operation	20*th April* 1971

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, and the Secretary of State for Scotland and the Secretary of State for the Home Department, being the Secretaries of State concerned with the sea fishing industry in Scotland and Northern Ireland respectively, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 15 of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967(**a**) as amended by section 22(1) of, and sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 38 of Part II of Schedule 1 to, the Sea Fisheries Act 1968(**b**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order :—

Citation and Commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Salmon and Migratory Trout (Enforcement) Order 1971 and shall come into operation on 20th April 1971.

Interpretation

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(**c**) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Powers of British Sea-Fishery Officers

3. For the purpose of the enforcement of (i) section 4 of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967 in conjunction with the Salmon and Migratory Trout (Sea Fishing) Licensing Order 1971(**d**), (ii) the Salmon (Northwest Atlantic) Order 1971(**e**), (iii) the Salmon and Migratory Trout (Prohibition of Fishing) Order 1971(**f**), and (iv) the Salmon and Migratory Trout (Restrictions on Landing) Order 1971(**g**), there are hereby conferred on every British sea-fishery officer the powers of a British sea-fishery officer under section 8(2) to (4) of the Sea Fisheries Act 1968.

(**a**) 1967 c. 84.
(**b**) 1968 c. 77.
(**c**) 1889 c. 63.
(**d**) S.I. 1971/181 (1971 I, p. 544).
(**e**) S.I. 1971/171 (1971 I, p. 524).
(**f**) S.I. 1971/242 (1971 I, p. 839).
(**g**) S.I. 1971/172 (1971 I, p. 526).

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 30th March 1971.

(L.S.)

J. M. L. Prior,
The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland on 1st April 1971.

(L.S.)

Gordon Campbell,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

Given under the hand of the Secretary of State for the Home Department on 7th April 1971.

R. Maudling,
Secretary of State for the Home Department.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order confers upon British sea-fishery officers specified powers necessary for the enforcement of section 4 of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967 in conjunction with the Salmon and Migratory Trout (Sea Fishing) Licensing Order 1971, the Salmon (Northwest Atlantic) Order 1971, the Salmon and Migratory Trout (Prohibition of Fishing) Order 1971, and the Salmon and Migratory Trout (Restrictions on Landing) Order 1971.