C. *General*		
13. Travelling and Subsistence Expenses of Members and Officers of the Committee		200
14. Administrative Charges:—		
(*a*) Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries	450	
(*b*) Department of Agriculture for Scotland	50	
		500
15. Subscription to Institut International de Recherches Betteravieres		170
16. Contingencies:—		
(*a*) General	1,455	
(*b*) Purchase of Machinery	500	
		1,955
		68,500

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of this Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.*)

This Order provides for the assessment and collection of contributions in 1954 from the British Sugar Corporation Ltd. and growers of home grown beet towards the programme of research and education set out in the schedule to the Order.

SUPPLIES AND SERVICES

1. CONTINUANCE

1954 No. 1559

The Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1954

Made - - - -	*24th November*, 1954
Laid before Parliament	*1st December*, 1954
Coming into Operation	*7th December*, 1954

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 24th day of November, 1954

Present

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by section eight of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(a), the said Act was limited to expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty, five years after the passing thereof, unless continued in force under that section:

And Whereas by Orders in Council(b) made under that section the said Act was continued in force until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four:

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10.
(b) S.I. 1950/1769, 1951/2116, 1952/2094, 1953/1767 (1950 III, p. 51; 1951 III, p. 27; 1952 III, p. 3006; 1953 II, p. 1970).

And Whereas it is provided by that section that if an Address is presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament praying that the said Act should be continued in force for a further period of one year from the time at which it would otherwise expire, Her Majesty may by Order in Council direct that it shall continue in force for that further period:

And Whereas such an Address has been presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the said section eight and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, which would otherwise expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four, shall continue in force for a further period of one year until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

2. This Order may be cited as the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1954, and shall come into operation on the seventh day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four.

W. G. Agnew.

2. DEFENCE REGULATIONS (MODIFICATION)

1954 No. 750

The Defence Regulations (No. 2) Order, 1954

Made - - - -	3*rd June*, 1954
Laid before Parliament	9*th June*, 1954
Coming into Operation	30*th June*, 1954

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 3rd day of June, 1954

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in pursuance of section three of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(**a**), as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(**b**), and the Supplies and Services (Defence Purposes) Act, 1951(**c**), and continued in force by the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1953(**d**), and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The powers conferred by paragraph (1) of Regulation fifty-nine of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939,—

(*a*) on the Minister of Labour and National Service to grant exemptions from the Factories Act, 1937(**e**); and

(*b*) on the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland to grant exemptions from the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1938(**f**);

(**a**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10. (**b**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55. (**c**) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 25.
(**d**) S.I. 1953/1767 (1953 II, p. 1970). (**e**) 1 Edw. 8 & 1 Geo. 6. c. 67.
(**f**) 2 Geo. 6. c. 23 (N.I).