STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1961 No. 2039

# TELEVISION

## The Television Act, 1954 (Channel Islands) Order, 1961

*Made - - - - 24th October*, 1961

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 24th day of October, 1961

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by subsection (3) of section twenty of the Television Act, 1954(a), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The provisions of the Television Act, 1954, shall extend to the Channel Islands subject to the adaptations and modifications specified in the Schedule to this Order.

2. In this Order the expression "Channel Islands" means Jersey and Guernsey and the expressions "Jersey" and "Guernsey" mean the Bailiwicks of Jersey and Guernsey, respectively, and the territorial waters adjacent thereto.

3. The Interpretation Act, 1889(b), shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

4. This Order may be cited as the Television Act, 1954 (Channel Islands) Order, 1961.

*W. G. Agnew.*

### SCHEDULE

1. Any reference to the Television Act, 1954, shall be construed as a reference to that Act as extended to the Channel Islands by this Order and any reference to the Wireless Telegraphy Act, 1949(c), shall be construed as a reference to that Act as extended to the Channel Islands by the Wireless Telegraphy (Channel Islands) Order, 1952(d).

2. In subsection (6) of section two, the reference to the Telegraph Act, 1869(e), shall be construed as a reference to that Act as extended to the Channel Islands by the Telegraph Act, 1870(f).

3. After subsection (7) of section four there shall be added the following subsection:—

"(8) Any regulations made by the Postmaster-General under this section shall not have effect in Jersey or Guernsey until registered by the Royal Court of Jersey or the Royal Court of Guernsey, as the case may be.".

(a) 2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 55.
(b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(c) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 54.
(d) S.I. 1952/1900 (1952 III, p. 3414).
(e) 32 & 33 Vict. c. 73.
(f) 33 & 34 Vict. c. 88.

4. After subsection (3) of section seven there shall be added the following subsection :—

"(4) Any regulations made by the Postmaster-General under this section shall not have effect in Jersey or Guernsey until registered by the Royal Court of Jersey or the Royal Court of Guernsey, as the case may be.".

5. For subsection (7) of section nine there shall be substituted the following subsection :—

"(7) In relation to any television broadcasting station in the Channel Islands, the reference in subsection (1) of this section to a Minister of the Crown shall be deemed to include references to the Lieutenant-Governors of Jersey and Guernsey and the Bailiffs of Jersey and Guernsey.".

6. For subsection (3) of section sixteen there shall be substituted the following subsection :—

"(3) The reference in subsection (2) of this section to the Minister of Labour shall be construed, in relation to any agreement affecting employment—

(*a*) in Jersey, as including a reference to the Industrial Disputes Officer appointed under the Industrial Disputes (Jersey) Law, 1956, as amended from time to time; and

(*b*) in Guernsey, as including a reference to the Labour and Welfare Committee of the States of Guernsey.".

7. For subsection (3) of section seventeen there shall be substituted the following subsection :—

"(3) The references in this section to the House of Commons, Government departments, the Minister of Labour and the industrial court shall be construed—

(*a*) in relation to employment in Jersey, as references to the States of Jersey, Committees of the States of Jersey, the Industrial Disputes Officer appointed under the Industrial Disputes (Jersey) Law, 1956, as amended from time to time, and the Industrial Disputes Tribunal constituted under that Law; and

(*b*) in relation to employment in Guernsey, as references to the States of Guernsey, Committees of the States of Guernsey, the Industrial Disputes Officer appointed under the Industrial Disputes and Conditions of Employment Law (1947), as amended from time to time, and the Industrial Disputes Tribunal constituted under that Law.".

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order extends, with the necessary modifications, to the Channel Islands the provisions of the Television Act, 1954.