STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1971 No. 716

MINISTERS OF THE CROWN

The Transfer of Functions (Supplementary) Order 1971

Made - - - -	30*th April* 1971
Laid before Parliament	6*th May* 1971
Coming into Operation	14*th May* 1971

At the Court at Windsor Castle, the 30th day of April 1971

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in pursuance of sections 1 and 3 of the Ministers of the Crown (Transfer of Functions) Act 1946(a), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Citation, interpretation and commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Transfer of Functions (Supplementary) Order 1971.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) applies for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(3) This Order shall come into operation on 14th May 1971.

Transfer of functions to Secretary of State

2. The Schedule to this Order shall have effect for the purpose of adapting references to Ministers of the Crown in the Port of Tyne Act 1970(c) and in the Northampton Corporation Act 1970(d) in connection with the transfer of functions to the Secretary of State under the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry Order 1970(e) and the Secretary of State for the Environment Order 1970(f); and accordingly, the references listed in the left-hand column of the Schedule shall be construed as, and those in the right-hand column as including, references to the Secretary of State.

Amendment of Secretary of State for Trade and Industry Order

3. In Article 7(5) of the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry Order 1970 (which requires references to the Minister of Technology and to the Board of Trade in documents and forms for use in connection with transferred functions to be construed as references to the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry)—

(*a*) for the words " to the Board " there shall be substituted the words " or the Minister of Power, to the Board or to the Minister of Power "; and

(*b*) for the words " that Minister or of the Board " there shall be substituted the words " the Minister of Technology, of the Board or of the Minister of Power."

W. G. Agnew.

(a) 1946 c. 31. (b) 1889 c. 63. (c) 1970 c. lxvi. (d) 1970 c. lxiv.
(e) S.I. 1970/1537 (1970 III, p. 5293). (f) S.I. 1970/1681 (1970 III, p. 5551).

SCHEDULE

ADAPTATION OF ENACTMENTS

References to be construed as references to the Secretary of State	*References to be construed as including references to the Secretary of State*
1. In the Port of Tyne Act 1970:—	
the reference to the Minister of Transport in section 6(*d*).	
2. In the Northampton Corporation Act 1970:—	
(1) references to the Minister of Technology in sections 9(1) and (6) and 16(4);	
(2) references to the Minister of Housing and Local Government in sections 20(1), 28(4), 31(1) and 36(1) and the second reference to that Minister in section 21(2) proviso (*b*); and	(1) the first reference to the Minister of Housing and Local Government in section 21(2) proviso (*b*); and
(3) the second reference to the Minister of Public Building and Works in section 21(2) proviso (*a*).	(2) the first reference to the Minister of Public Building and Works in section 21(2) proviso (*a*).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order transfers to the Secretary of State a function assigned to the Minister of Transport by section 6 of the Port of Tyne Act 1970 and functions assigned to the Ministers of Technology, Housing and Local Government and Public Building and Works respectively by various provisions of the Northampton Corporation Act 1970, and makes a minor amendment in the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry Order 1970.