EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order abates the superannuation allowances payable to staff of trustee savings banks in Northern Ireland, the Isle of Man and Jersey when they become eligible for retirement pensions under legislation passed in those territories for purposes similar to the purposes of the National Insurance Act, 1946. Similar provision for the abatement of the superannuation allowances payable to staff of trustee savings banks in Great Britain has been made in the National Insurance (Modification of Trustee Savings Banks Pensions) Regulations, 1955 (S.I. 1955/1472).

When pensioners reach the age of 65 (60 for a woman) allowances payable under sections 64 to 69 of the Trustee Savings Banks Act, 1954, and the Trustees Savings Banks (Pensions) Order, 1955, will be reduced by specific amounts according to length of service. This Order applies only to staff joining on or after 1st October, 1956. The maximum reduction in any superannuation allowance is £67 15s. 0d. per annum.

1956 No. 907

The Trustee Savings Banks (Special Investments) (Amendment) Order, 1956

Laid before Parliament in draft

Made - - - -	11*th June*, 1956
Coming into Operation	11*th June*, 1956

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 15 of the Trustee Savings Banks Act, 1954(**a**), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:—

1. The Trustee Savings Banks (Special Investments) Order, 1949(**b**), as amended by the Trustee Savings Banks (Special Investments) (Amendment) Order, 1953(**c**), shall be further amended by substituting in paragraphs (*a*) and (*b*) of Article 1 thereof for the figures "£1,000" the figures "£2,000".

2. The Trustee Savings Banks (Special Investments) (Amendment) Order, 1953, is hereby revoked.

3. The Interpretation Act, 1889(**d**), 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 Trustee Savings Banks (Special Investments) (Amendment) Order, 1956.

Dated this eleventh day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-six.

Gerald Wills,
Harwood Harrison,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

(**a**) 2 & 3 Eliz. 2. c. 63.
(**b**) S.I. 1949/942 (1949 I, p. 3954).
(**c**) S.I. 1953/1100 (1953 II, p. 1928).
(**d**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Trustee Savings Banks (Special Investments) Order, 1949, as amended by the Trustee Savings Banks (Special Investments) (Amendment) Order, 1953, imposed, with certain exceptions, a limit of £1,000 as the aggregate amount which could be accepted from any person for special investment by a Trustee Savings Bank. This Order increases the limit to £2,000.

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH

1956 No. 1697 (C. 14)

The Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (Appointed Day) Order, 1956

Made - - - - 31*st October,* 1956

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 31st day of October, 1956

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas it is provided by subsection (2) of section 5 of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research Act, 1956(a), that the said Act shall come into force on such day as Her Majesty may by Order in Council appoint:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by the said subsection (2), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The appointed day for the coming into force of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research Act, 1956, shall be the seventh day of November, 1956.

2. This Order may be cited as the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (Appointed Day) Order, 1956.

W. G. Agnew.

SEA FISHERIES

BOATS AND METHODS OF FISHING

1956 No. 1169

The Herring Industry (Grants for Fishing Vessels and Engines) (Amendment) Scheme, 1956

Made - - - - 5*th July,* 1956
Coming into Operation 7*th August,* 1956

The Secretary of State for Scotland and the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, with the approval of the Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 6 of the White Fish and Herring Industries

(a) 4 & 5 Eliz. 2. c. 58.