And Whereas it has been made to appear to the Board of Trade that a new denomination of standard of one hundredweight being equivalent to the imperial weight of one hundredweight and new denominations of standards of four hundredweights, five hundredweights and ten hundredweights being multiples of the said imperial weight of one hundredweight are required and they have caused the same to be made and duly verified:

Now, therefore, His Majesty pursuant to Section 8 of the Weights and Measures Act, 1878, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to approve one hundredweight, four hundredweights, five hundredweights, and ten hundredweights as new denominations of standards and they are hereby so approved.

This Order may be cited as the Weights and Measures (Board of Trade Standard 1 hundredweight, 4 hundredweights, 5 hundredweights and 10 hundredweights) Order, 1949, and shall come into operation on the 24th day of December, 1949.

E. C. E. Leadbitter.

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(2) 0.25 METRIC CARAT

The Weights and Measures (Board of Trade Standard 0.25 Metric Carat) Order, 1949

1949 No. 591

Made - - - -	*29th March*, 1949
Laid before Parliament	*30th March*, 1949
Coming into Operation	*2nd April*, 1949

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 29th day of March, 1949

Present,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by Section 8 of the Weights and Measures Act, 1878(**a**), it is provided that the Board of Trade shall, from time to time, cause such new denominations of standards, being either equivalent to or multiples or aliquot parts of the imperial weights and measures ascertained by the said Act, as appear to them to be required, in addition to those mentioned in the Second Schedule to the said Act, to be made and duly verified and that those new denominations of standards, when approved by His Majesty in Council, shall be Board of Trade standards in like manner as if they were mentioned in the said Schedule:

And Whereas by the Weights and Measures (Metric System) Act, 1897(**b**), it is among other things enacted that the Board of Trade Standards which may be made under Section 8 of the Weights and Measures Act, 1878, shall include metric standards derived from the iridio-platinum standard kilogramme numbered 18:

And Whereas it has been made to appear to the Board of Trade that a new denomination of metric standard of weight of 0.25 metric carat being an aliquot part of the standard kilogramme aforesaid is required and they have caused the same to be made and duly verified:

(a) 41 & 42 Vict. c. 49. (b) 60 & 61 Vict. c. 46.

Now, therefore, His Majesty pursuant to Section 8 of the Weights and Measures Act, 1878, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to approve the weight of 0.25 metric carat as a new denomination of standard and that weight is hereby so approved.

This Order may be cited as the Weights and Measures (Board of Trade Standard 0.25 Metric Carat) Order, 1949, and shall come into operation on the 2nd day of April, 1949.

E. C. E. Leadbitter.

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2. ELECTRICAL STANDARDS

The Weights and Measures (Electrical Standards) Order, 1949

1949 No. 1431

Made - - - -	*28th July*, 1949
Laid before Parliament	*29th July*, 1949
Coming into Operation	*1st October*, 1949

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of July, 1949

Present,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas it appears to the Minister of Fuel and Power that new denominations of standards for the measurement of electricity agreeing with the fundamental electrical units specified in Part I of the schedule to this Order are required for use for trade:

And Whereas the said Minister has caused the denominations set out in Part II of the said schedule to be made and duly verified, and the coils and instruments referred to in the said Part II are deposited at the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington in the county of Middlesex:

And Whereas by the verification aforesaid it is established that the denominations aforesaid agree with the fundamental units aforesaid within the limits of accuracy attainable in the use of the said denominations, being the limits specified in Part III of the said schedule:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Him by section six of the Weights and Measures Act, 1889(**a**), and of all others powers Him enabling, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The several denominations of standards set out in Part II of the schedule to this Order are hereby approved as Board of Trade standards for the measurement of electricity for the purposes of the Weights and Measures Acts 1878 to 1936.

2. The Order in Council made the tenth day of January, nineteen hundred and ten(**b**), legalising denominations of standards for the measurement of electricity as Board of Trade standards is hereby revoked.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of October, nineteen hundred and forty-nine, and may be cited as the Weights and Measures (Electrical Standards) Order, 1949.

E. C. E. Leadbitter.

(**a**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 21. (**b**) S.R. & O. 1910 (No. 72) p. 845.