STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1961 No. 2065

EMERGENCY POWERS

The Welfare Foods (Great Britain) Amendment (No. 2) Order, 1961

Made - - - -	*25th October*, 1961
Laid before Parliament	*27th October*, 1961
Coming into Operation	*28th October*, 1961

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, the Secretary of State and the Minister of Health in pursuance of their powers under Regulations 55, 55AB and 98 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, as continued in force by section 2 of the Emergency Laws (Repeal) Act, 1959(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby order as follows:—

Citation, Commencement and Expiry

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Welfare Foods (Great Britain) Amendment (No. 2) Order, 1961.

(2) This order shall come into operation on the twenty-eighth day of October, 1961, and shall cease to have effect on the twenty-eighth day of January, 1962.

Amendment of the Welfare Foods (Great Britain) Order, 1954

2.—(1) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Welfare Foods (Great Britain) Order, 1954(b), as amended(c), supplies of National Dried Milk, or of any other form of processed milk issued in substitution therefor, may be obtained for any child under one year of age in such quantities and in such manner as the Minister of Health and the Secretary of State may direct:

Provided that, if processed milk other than National Dried Milk is supplied, the cost to the beneficiary shall not be greater than if National Dried Milk had been supplied.

(2) A direction given under the last foregoing paragraph may contain provisions as to the validity of tokens for welfare milk or National Dried Milk.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this twenty-fifth day of October, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

(L.S.)

Christopher Soames,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

(a) 7 & 8 Eliz. 2. c. 19. (b) S.I. 1954/1401 (1954 II, p. 2119). (c) S.I. 1955/1369, 1796, 1956/1130, 1957/411, 1759, 1961/352 (1955 II, pp. 2511, 2512; 1956 II, p. 2266; 1957 II, pp. 2343, 2344; 1961 I, p. 561).

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this twenty-fifth day of October, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

(L.S.) *John S. Maclay,*
Secretary of State for Scotland.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Health this twenty-fifth day of October, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

(L.S.) *J. Enoch Powell,*
Minister of Health.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order enables the Minister of Health and the Secretary of State as a temporary measure to provide under the Welfare Foods scheme for infants under one year old additional supplies of National Dried Milk or supplies of any other form of processed milk.