STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1963 No. 1242

SEA FISHERIES

WHITE FISH AND HERRING INDUSTRIES

The White Fish and Herring Subsidies (Aggregate Amount of Grants) Order 1963

Made - - - -	1*st July* 1963
Coming into Operation	16*th July* 1963

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State for Scotland (being the Secretary of State concerned with the sea fishing industry in Scotland) in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 4 of the White Fish and Herring Industries Act 1957(a) and section 1(6) of the Sea Fish Industry Act 1962(b) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, with the approval of the Treasury, hereby make the following Order :—

Citation, Commencement and Interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the White Fish and Herring Subsidies (Aggregate Amount of Grants) Order 1963 and shall come into operation on the date on which it is approved by a resolution of the Commons House of Parliament.

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

Extension of Limit of Aggregate Amount of Grants

2. The aggregate amount of the grants which may be made in pursuance of schemes under section 5 of the White Fish and Herring Industries Act 1953(d) (being schemes providing for grants in respect of white fish) and of schemes under section 3 of the White Fish and Herring Industries Act 1957 (being schemes providing for grants in respect of herring) is hereby increased to £35,000,000.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 27th June 1963.

(L.S.)

Christopher Soames,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

(a) 5 & 6 Eliz. 2. c. 22.
(b) 10 & 11 Eliz. 2. c. 31.
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(d) 1 & 2 Eliz. 2. c. 17.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland on 27th June 1963.

(L.S.)

Michael Noble,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

Approved.
1st July 1963.

Francis F. Pearson,
G. T. C. Campbell,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The White Fish and Herring Industries Act 1953 provides that with a view to promoting the landing in the United Kingdom of a continuous and plentiful supply of white fish, schemes may be made for the payment of grants to the owners or charterers of fishing vessels engaged in catching such fish. The White Fish and Herring Industries Act 1957 makes similar provision for the payment of grants in respect of herring. The last named Act, as amended by the Sea Fish Industry Act 1962, enables the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State for Scotland to make orders from time to time increasing the aggregate amount of grants which may be made in pursuance of the aforesaid schemes provided that no one such increase is to exceed £5,000,000.

By this Order the aggregate amount of grants which may be so made, which by virtue of Orders already made is £30,250,000, is increased to £35,000,000.

As required by section 5 of the White Fish and Herring Industries Act 1957 this Order was approved by a resolution of the House of Commons on 16th July 1963.