STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1980 No. 527

SEA FISHERIES

WHITE FISH INDUSTRY

The White Fish Authority (General Levy) (Amendment) Regulations 1979 Confirmatory Order 1980

Made - - - -	17*th April* 1980
Laid before Parliament	17*th April* 1980
Coming into Operation	8*th May* 1980

Whereas the White Fish Authority (hereinafter referred to as "the Authority") have made the White Fish Authority (General Levy) (Amendment) Regulations 1979;

And whereas the Authority have transmitted to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, the Secretaries of State respectively concerned with the sea fishing industry in Scotland and Northern Ireland and the Secretary o State for Wales (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministers") the objections to the said regulations which have been duly made to the Authority and have not been withdrawn and the Ministers have considered such objections;

And whereas the Ministers, after consultation with the Authority, have considered it desirable to make such modifications in the regulations as hereinafter appear and have caused notice thereof to be published in such manner as they thought best adapted for informing persons affected;

Now, therefore, the Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6(5) of the Sea Fish Industry Act 1970**(a)** and now vested in them**(b)** and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following order:—

1. This order may be cited as the White Fish Authority (General Levy) (Amendment) Regulations 1979 Confirmatory Order 1980 and shall come into operation on 8th May 1980.

2. The White Fish Authority (General Levy) (Amendment) Regulations 1979, having been modified by substituting in the second column of the Schedule thereto rates of levy other than those which first appeared therein, are hereby confirmed and are set out in the Schedule to this order.

(a) 1970 c. 11.
(b) By the Transfer of Functions (Wales).(No. 1) Order 1978 (S.I. 1978/272).

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 28th March 1980.

(L.S.)

Peter Walker,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

1st April 1980.

George Younger,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

17th April 1980.

Humphrey Atkins,
Secretary of State for Northern Ireland.

3rd April 1980.

Nicholas Edwards,
Secretary of State for Wales.

SCHEDULE

THE WHITE FISH AUTHORITY (GENERAL LEVY) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 1979

Whereas it appears to the White Fish Authority (hereinafter referred to as "the Authority") that it is desirable to bring into force regulations to increase the existing rate of levy;

Now, therefore, the Authority, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Sections 6(3) and 17 of the Sea Fish Industry Act 1970, hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the White Fish Authority (General Levy) (Amendment) Regulations 1979 and shall take effect on the day on which the confirmatory order by the Ministers comes into operation.

Interpretation

2. In these regulations "principal regulations" means the White Fish Authority (General Levy) Regulations 1969 which are set out in the Schedule to the White Fish Authority (General Levy) Regulations Confirmatory Order 1970**(a)**.

Amendment of principal regulations

3. For the Schedule referred to in regulation 1 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the Schedule hereto.

The Common Seal of the
WHITE FISH AUTHORITY
was hereunto affixed in the
presence of:
Member: C. I. Meek
Secretary: R. Alastair Davie

(L.S.)

(a) S.I. 1970/117; amended by S.I. 1974/1032.

SCHEDULE

Column 1	Column 2 Rate per stone
White Fish	
White fish other than white fish sold for fishmeal production	1.2000p
White fish sold for fishmeal production	0.1200p
White Fish Products	
Fresh, frozen and chilled white fish	
Gutted	1.2000p
Headless and gutted	1.6000p
Fillets, skin on	2.4000p
Fillets, skinless	3.0000p
Smoked white fish	
Headless and gutted	2.0000p
Fillets, skin on	3.0000p
Fillets, skinless	3.2000p
Salted and cured white fish	
Wet	2.4000p
Dried	3.6000p
White fish products sold for fishmeal production	0.1200p
White fishmeal	0.6000p
Any white fish product not referred to above	2.4000p

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order confirms, after modification, regulations made by the White Fish Authority further amending the White Fish Authority (General Levy) Regulations 1969 so as to increase the levy payable under those regulations.