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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY FOR SCOTLAND,  
WHITEHALL, January 14, 1889.

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the thirtieth and thirty-first years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled 'An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the Public Health in Scotland'; and by the thirty-first section of the said Act it is enacted that 'Whenever any part of the United Kingdom appears to be threatened with, or is affected by, any formidable epidemic, endemic, or contagious disease, the Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, or any three or more of them (the Lord President of the Council, or one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State being one), may by Order or Orders by them from time to time made direct that the provisions for the prevention of diseases contained in Part III. hereof be put in force in Scotland, or in such parts thereof, or in such places therein, as in such Order or Orders may be expressed, and may from time to time, as to all or any of the parts or places to which any such Order or Orders extend, and in like manner, revoke or renew such Order: and subject to revocation and renewal as aforesaid, every such Order shall be in force for six calendar months, or for such shorter period as in such Order shall be expressed; and every such Order of Her Majesty's Privy Council, or any Members thereof as afore-

said, shall be certified under the hand of the Clerk in Ordinary of Her Majesty's Privy Council, and shall be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and such publication shall be conclusive evidence of such Order.'

And whereas by 'The Secretary for Scotland Act, 1885,' it is provided that all powers and duties vested in or imposed on the Privy Council by Part III. of the said Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867, shall be transferred to, vested in, and imposed on the Secretary for Scotland.

And whereas part of the United Kingdom appears to be threatened with a certain contagious disease, that is to say, the Smallpox; and whereas it is expedient to make provision thereabout:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said recited Acts, the Secretary for Scotland does order, and it is hereby ordered, that the provisions for the prevention of diseases, contained in Part III. of the Act thirty and thirty-first Victoria, chapter one hundred and one, be put in force in Scotland for the space of three calendar months after the publication of this Order in the Edinburgh Gazette.

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R. W. COCHRAN-PATRICK,  
Under-Secretary for Scotland.