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At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 21st day of December 1907.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by "The Weights and Measures Act, 1878," it is (among other things) provided that it shall be lawful for His Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, to define the amount of error to be tolerated in local Standards, when verified or re-verified by the Board of Trade, or when re-verified by such a local comparison as is authorized by Section 41 of the said Act; and to revoke and vary any Order made for the purposes of the Act :

And whereas it is by the same Act provided, that the provisions of the said Act with respect to defining the amount of error to be tolerated in local Standards when verified or re-verified, shall apply to defining the amount of error to be tolerated in any copies of the models of casholders verified and deposited in the Standards Department of the Board of Trade, as are provided by any Justices, Council, Commissioners, or other local authority in pursuance of the Act 22d and 23rd Victoria, chapter 66, intituled "An Act for regulating Measures used in the Sales of Gas," and of the Acts amending the same :

And whereas by an Order in Council dated the 29th day of June 1882, there were defined the amounts of error to be then tolerated in the local Standards, when verified or re-verified by the Board of Trade, referred to in the Schedule annexed to the said Order :

And whereas it is by Section 15 of "The Weights and Measures Act, 1889," provided that the provisions of that Act and of "The Weights and Measures Act, 1878," as to the verification and re-verification of local and working Standards shall apply to the Standards used by any local authority in testing meters under the Act 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Chapter 66 :

And whereas also by an Order in Council dated the 15th day of March 1893, there were defined the amounts of error to be then tolerated in local Standards when re-verified by a local comparison in the presence of a Justice of the Peace, as referred to in the Schedule annexed to the said Order :

And whereas it has been now made to appear that further amounts of errors should be thereafter tolerated on such Standards, and that there should be also defined the amount of errors to be hereafter tolerated on certain other denominations of local Standards :

And whereas it is expedient that the said Orders so made should be revoked :