

Enactment.	Subject-matter of Enactment.	Authority under Enactment.
The Reserve Forces Act, 1882 :		
s. 12 (2) . . . . .	Power and duty in relation to calling out the reserve forces.	The Secretary of State.
s. 20, so far as the powers conferred thereby relate to recruiting, enlistment, the calling up of the reserve forces, exempting from service, or otherwise to the provision of men for the army.	Powers in relation to regulations as to reserve forces.	The Secretary of State.
s. 24 (4) . . . . .	Power to require constables, &c. to conform with orders and regulations.	The Secretary of State.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 18th day of December 1918.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by the Aliens Restriction Order His Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Him by the Aliens Restriction Act, 1914, has been pleased to impose restrictions on aliens and to make various regulations for the carrying of those regulations into effect :

And whereas it is expedient further to amend the said Order in manner hereinafter appearing :

And whereas by an Order in Council, dated the twenty-fifth day of November, nineteen hundred and eighteen, it was provided that an Article should be substituted for Article 25c of the Aliens Restriction Order, and it is expedient that the said Order of the twenty-fifth day of November, nineteen hundred and eighteen, should be revoked, and another provision substituted therefor :

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

1. Article 22c of, and the Fifth and Sixth Schedules to, the Aliens Restriction Order are hereby revoked, and shall be omitted therefrom.

2. The above recited Order of the twenty-fifth day of November, nineteen hundred and eighteen, is hereby revoked, and shall be deemed never to have taken effect.

3. The following provision shall be inserted at the beginning of Article 25c :—

“(1) As from such date as the Secretary of State may fix, and subject to the directions of the Secretary of State in any particular case, an alien enemy who, being a married woman or a widow, was before her marriage a natural-born British subject, shall be liable to comply only with such provisions of this Part of this Order as apply to alien friends.

“(2) ”

4. This Order (except Article 1, which shall take effect as from the date hereof) shall have effect as from the twenty-fifth day of November, nineteen hundred and eighteen.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon Us by Section 29 of the Representation of the People Act, 1918, We, being two of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, hereby make the following regulation as to the time, when and manner and form in which accounts are to be rendered to the Treasury by Returning Officers for the purpose of the payment of their charges in respect of their services and disbursements at Parliamentary Elections in the United Kingdom.

(1) Accounts should be submitted within a period of eight weeks from the date of the day of nomination, and should be addressed in the case of England and Wales and Scotland to the Secretary to the Treasury, Whitehall, London, S.W. 1, and in the case of Ireland to the Treasury Remembrancer, Dublin Castle.

(2) The Accounts should be accompanied by a Declaration by the Returning Officer in the following terms :—

“I declare that the accounts herewith submitted by me in respect of my services and disbursements are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) “RETURNING OFFICER.”

(3) Vouchers and Receipts are to be submitted with the accounts in the case of disbursements which have been already settled by the Returning Officer. In cases where charges have not been settled the relevant bills or accounts should be sent.

(4) The accounts of Returning Officers should be submitted in such form as to show what are the items of expenditure, and their total under each of the various headings specified in the scale of maximum charges of Returning Officers at Parliamentary Elections which has been or may hereafter be prescribed by the Treasury.

(5) In submitting the accounts due regard must be paid to any directions issued by the authority of the Treasury to Returning Officers prescribing what particulars and information are to be furnished in support of claims for payment from the Exchequer.

(Signed) JAMES PRATT.

(Signed) J. TOWYN JONES.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,  
17th December 1918.