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The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby announce that they have made an Order under Section 21 of the Finance Act, 1948, entitled the Purchase Tax (No. 4) Order, 1948, reducing the rate of Purchase Tax on non-utility furniture from 66½ per cent to 33¼ per cent.

The Order, which comes into operation on the 29th November 1948, has been published as Statutory Instruments, 1948, No. 2511, and may be purchased, price 1d. net, from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13A Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2; 2 Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3; 39-41 King Street, Manchester 2; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

*Board of Trade,  
Milbank, London, S.W.1,  
23rd November 1948.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.I.s 1948, price 1d., except where indicated:—

No. 2435.—The Utility Apparel (Maximum Prices and Charges) (No. 25) Order, 1948, dated 9th November 1948.

No. 2457.—The Utility Handkerchiefs (Marking and Manufacturers' Prices) (Amendment) (No. 3) Order, 1948, dated 12th November 1948. (Price 2d.)

No. 2458.—The Raw Materials (Various Controls) (Revocation) Order, 1948, dated 12th November 1948.

No. 2464.—The Unmanufactured Tobacco (Supply) (Amendment) Order, 1948, dated 15th November 1948.

No. 2467.—The General Hollow-ware (Maximum Prices) (Consolidation) (Amendment) Order, 1948, dated 15th November 1948.

No. 2473.—The Export of Goods (Control) (Amendment) (No. 6) Order, 1948, dated 16th November 1948.

No. 2477.—The Footwear (Supply, Marking and Manufacturers' Prices) (Amendment) (No. 3) Order, 1948, dated 16th November 1948.

No. 2478.—The General Footwear (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1948, dated 16th November 1948.

No. 2484.—The Trading with the Enemy (Enemy Territory Cessation) (Siam) Order, 1948, dated 15th November 1948.

No. 2485.—The Trading with the Enemy (Authorisation) (Japan) Order, 1948, dated 16th November 1948.

No. 2486.—The Trading with the Enemy (Custodian) (Amendment) (Japan) Order, 1948, dated 16th November 1948.

These Orders can be purchased through any bookseller, agents, or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13A Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2; 39-41 King Street,

Manchester, 2; 2 Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast.

Civil Service Commission,  
23rd November 1948.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury, viz:—

**SUPPLEMENTARY RECONSTRUCTION REGULATIONS FOR FILLING VACANCIES FOR VETERINARY INSPECTORS, RESEARCH OFFICERS, AND ASSISTANT VETERINARY INVESTIGATION OFFICERS UNDER THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.**

1. Both men and women may compete under these Regulations.

2. In order to be eligible, a candidate must have been born on or after 2nd August 1907, and have attained the age of 23 by the 1st January 1948.

3. Candidates must be British subjects. They must also satisfy one of the following conditions:—

(a) If natural-born British subjects, they must either (i) have at least one parent who is or was at death a British subject; or

(ii) have resided in His Majesty's dominions and/or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of their appointment;

(b) If naturalized British subjects, they must have resided in His Majesty's dominions and/or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of their appointment.

(c) If not qualified under (a) or (b) of this paragraph they must satisfy the Commissioners that they are so closely connected with His Majesty's dominions either by ancestry, upbringing, or residence, or by reason of national service, that an exception may properly be made in their favour.

4. (a) Candidates for appointment as Veterinary Inspector must have graduated as a Member of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons and have had at least one year's practical experience in some recognised branch of the veterinary profession after such graduation.

(b) Candidates for appointment as Research Officer or Assistant Veterinary Investigation Officer should normally be members of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons but in exceptional cases this qualification may be dispensed with in view of the special requirements of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries and the special qualifications of a candidate. Preference will be given to those candidates who have had post-graduate experience in Laboratory research work or in some other recognised branch of the veterinary profession.

5. Candidates must satisfy the Commissioners as to their health and character.