

No. 4), relating to General Rules to be observed in small Firework Factories, by substituting a new Rule No. 21 for Rule No. 21 there appearing;

Order No. 5. D. to amend the Order in Council of the 27th November, 1875 (Order No. 6), relating to General Rules to be observed in Stores licensed for Mixed Explosives, by substituting a new Rule No. 10 for Rule No. 10 there appearing.

And notice is hereby further given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, copies of any of the proposed draft Orders in Council can be obtained by any public body, within forty days of the date of this notice, at the Privy Council Office, Whitehall.

Westminster, 31st July, 1923.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to the Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to:—

Bastardy Act, 1923.
Housing, &c., Act, 1923.
Agriculture (Amendment) Act, 1923.
Isle of Man (Customs) Act, 1923.
Railway Fires Act (1905) Amendment Act, 1923.
Intoxicating Liquor (Sale to Persons under Eighteen) Act, 1923.
Public Works Loans Act, 1923.
Railways (Authorisation of Works) Act, 1923.
East India Loans Act, 1923.
Rent and Mortgage Interest Restrictions Act 1923.
Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1923.
Agricultural Credits Act, 1923.
Oyster Fishery (Roach River) Provisional Order Confirmation Act, 1923.
Pier and Harbour Orders Confirmation (No. 2) Act, 1923.
Pier and Harbour Order Confirmation (No. 3) Act, 1923.
Tramways Provisional Orders Act, 1923.
Ministry of Health Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 9) Act, 1923.
Ministry of Health Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 10) Act, 1923.
Church of Scotland Ministers' and Scottish University Professors' Widows' Fund Order Confirmation Act, 1923.
London County Council (Money) Act, 1923.
Essex County Council (Barking Bridge) Act, 1923.
Mitcham Urban District Council Act, 1923.
Greenock Corporation (Electricity) Act, 1923.
Potteries and North Staffordshire Tramways and Light Railways Act, 1923.
Birkenhead Corporation Act, 1923.

Bromborough Dock Act, 1923.
South Staffordshire Mond Gas Act, 1923.
Thornton Urban District Council Act, 1923.
Rugby Urban District Council Act, 1923.
West Gloucestershire Water Act, 1923.
Oldham and Rochdale Corporations Water Act, 1923.
Plymouth Corporation Act, 1923.
Mid Kent Water Act, 1923.
Felixstowe Dock and Railway Act, 1923.
West Bromwich Corporation Act, 1923.
London Midland and Scottish Railway Act, 1923.
Southern Railway Act, 1923.
Seaham Harbour Dock Act, 1923.
Swanage Gas and Electricity Act, 1923.
Lytham Saint Anne's Corporation Act, 1923.
Dover Harbour Act, 1923.
Bournemouth-Swanage Motor Road and Ferry Act, 1923.
Barnsley Corporation Act, 1923.

Westminster, 2nd August, 1923.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to the Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to:—

Appropriation Act, 1923.
Dentists Act, 1923.
Expiring Laws Continuance Act, 1923.
Education (Institution Children) Act, 1923.
Agricultural Rates Act, 1923.
Merchant Shipping Acts (Amendment) Act, 1923.
Town Councils (Scotland) Act, 1923.
Robert Gordon's Colleges and Aberdeen Endowments Trust Order Confirmation Act, 1923.
Broadstairs and St. Peter's Urban District Council Act, 1923.
Chelmsford Corporation Water Act, 1923.
Croydon Corporation Act, 1923.
Wakefield Corporation Act, 1923.
West Somerset Mineral Railway (Abandonment) Act, 1923.
West Hartlepool Corporation Act, 1923.
Shropshire, Worcestershire and Staffordshire Electric Power Act, 1923.
Wimbledon and Sutton Railway Act, 1923.
West Riding of Yorkshire County Council (Drainage) Act, 1923.
Chesterfield Corporation Act, 1923.
Nottingham Corporation Act, 1923.
City and South London Railway Act, 1923.
Torquay Corporation Act, 1923.
London Electric Railway Act, 1923.
Chatham Corporation Act, 1923.
Morley Corporation Act, 1923.
Macclesfield Corporation Act, 1923.
Stoke-on-Trent Corporation Act, 1923.