Pilot Officer Philip Kay STEAD is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 19th Oct. 1938. Squadron Leader Geoffrey Hill AMBLER relinquishes his commission and the command of the Squadron. 30th Oct. 1938.

No. 609 (West Riding) (Bomber) Squadron. Geoffrey Hill AMBLER is granted a commission as Squadron Leader and appointed to the command of the Squadron. 1st Nov. 1938.

Pilot Officer George Edward MOBERLY is transferred to No. 616 (South Yorkshire) (Fighter) Squadron. 1st Nov. 1938.

No. 611 (West Lancashire) (Bomber) Squadron.

Flying Officer Douglas REDINGTON relinquishes his commission on appointment to a short service commission in the Royal Air Force. 22nd Oct. 1938.

No. 612 (County of Aberdeen) (Army Cooperation) Squadron.

George FRAIN is granted a commission as Acting Pilot Officer. 10th Oct. 1938.

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AUXILIARY AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Geoffrey Hill AMBLER is granted a commission as Squadron Leader in class A with effect from 30th Oct. 1938 and relinquishes with effect from 1st Nov. 1938.

RULES PUBLICATION ACT, 1893.

ROAD TRAFFIC ACT, 1930.

The Minister of Transport hereby gives notice under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that he proposes after the expiry of at least forty days from this date in pursuance of the power conferred upon him by the Road Traffic Act, 1930, to make Regulations amending Regulations 11, 58, 60, 65, 68 and 82 of the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations, 1937, and Regulations 12, 44 and 54 of the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Track Laying Vehicles) Provisional Regulations, 1937.

And notice is hereby further given that on account of urgency the said Minister has under Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, made the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment No. 2) Provisional Regulations, 1938, to come into force forthwith as Provisional Regulations and to continue in force until Statutory Rules have been made in accordance with the provisions of Section I of that Act.

Copies of the Provisional Regulations which constitute the draft of the proposed Regulations can be obtained from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1, 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; and 120, George Street, Edinburgh.

Dated this third day of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

C. A. Birtchnell,

An Assistant Secretary.

Metropole Buildings, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C.2.

ELECTRICITY COMMISSION.

ELECTRICITY (SUPPLY) ACTS, 1882 TO 1936. LONDON AND HOME COUNTIES ELECTRICITY DISTRICT.

Whereas in pursuance of the provisions of Section 7 of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1919, the Electricity Commissioners made an Order entitled the London and Home Counties Electricity District Order, 1925 (hereinafter called "the Principal Order") constituting the London and Home Counties Electricity District and establishing and incorporating the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority (hereinafter called the "Joint Authority ") which Order was confirmed by the Minister of Transport and approved by a resolution passed by each House of Parliament:

And whereas it is provided in sub-section (3) of Section 7 of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1919 that any Order made under that Section may be altered by a subsequent Order made, confirmed and approved in like manner as the original Order:

And whereas the Electricity Commissioners have published a draft Order altering the Principal Order by providing, inter alia, for the transfer to the Joint Authority of the purchase rights of Local Authorities having jurisdiction in the area of supply under the Uxbridge and District Electricity Supply Orders 1900 to 1906 as amended by the North Metropolitan Electric Power Supply Act, 1937, and for the representation of the said Local Authorities upon the Joint Authority:

Now therefore the Electricity Commissioners hereby give notice that they intend to hold a Local Inquiry at their Offices at Savoy Court, Strand, W.C.2, on Monday, the 12th day of December, 1938, at 10.30 a.m. and following days (if necessary) with reference to the said draft Order.

Any body or person interested may attend the Inquiry either personally or by Counsel, Solicitor or Agent.

Copies of the said Draft Order may be obtained on application from the Secretary, Electricity Commission, Savoy Court, Strand, W.C.2, and any representations or objections with regard to the provisions thereof should be submitted in writing to the Secretary, Electricity Commission, not later than Monday, 5th December, 1938.

> A. E. Marson, For Secretary to the Electricity Commissioners.

Electricity Commission, Savoy Court, Strand, W.C.2. 4th November, 1938.