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Dated this 25th day of February, 1941.

Ministry of Health,  
Whitehall, London, S.W.1.

PROVISIONAL RULES AND ORDERS,  
1941.

POOR LAW, ENGLAND.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.

*Provisional Regulations, dated February 20, 1941, made by the Minister of Health under the Poor Law Act, 1930.*

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Whereas by the Public Assistance (Amendment) Order, 1940, and the Public Assistance (Amendment) Order (No. 2), 1940 (S.R. & O. 1940 No. 1764), certain provision is made for the amendment of Article 17 of the Public Assistance Order, 1930 (S.R. & O. 1930 No. 185).

And whereas it is expedient that the said Article as amended as aforesaid should be further amended as hereinafter appearing:

Now therefore the Minister of Health hereby certifies under Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893 (52 & 53 Vict. c 63), that on account of urgency the following regulations should come into immediate operation and in exercise of his powers under the Poor Law Act, 1930, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations to come into operation forthwith as provisional rules:

1. These regulations may be cited as the Public Assistance (Amendment) Order, 1941.

2. These regulations shall continue in operation until such date as His Majesty may by Order in Council declare to be the date on which the emergency that was the occasion of the passing of the Courts (Emergency Powers) Act, 1939 (2 & 3 Geo. 6. c. 67), came to an end.

3. Subject to the provisions of subsection (1) of section 137 of the Poor Law Act, 1930, Article 17 of the Public Assistance Order, 1930, as amended as aforesaid, shall be further amended to the following form:—

“ 17. Subject to any regulations which may be made by the Council or Public Assistance Committee, reasonable expenses may be incurred in conveying at reasonable intervals any person, who is receiving relief from the Council, to and from any institution, hospital or other public or voluntary establishment, whether within or without the area, for the purpose of visiting a husband, wife, child or other near relative who is an inmate thereof, or to and from any place for the purpose of visiting such a relative being for the time being at such place under an evacuation plan.”

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Health this twentieth day of February nineteen hundred and forty-one.

(L.S) R. Stanton,

Assistant Secretary,  
Ministry of Health.

The Minister of Transport on the 21st February, 1941, made the Road Haulage Undertakings (Accounts and Returns) Order, 1941.

The Minister of Transport hereby gives notice that he has revoked the Basingstoke Electricity (Extension) Special Order, 1927, in so far as it relates to that portion of the area of supply which now comprises the whole of the area of supply authorised under the Wessex (North Basingstoke) Electricity Special Order, 1940, as from the date hereof and that the said revocation takes effect from this date.

Dated this nineteenth day of February, 1941.

Sidney J. Page,  
Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Agriculture  
and Fisheries.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,  
1894 TO 1937.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of Section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has made the following Orders:—

Order No. 6068.

(Dated 19th February, 1941.)

Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas)  
Special Order No. 42 of 1941.

Subject.

Contracts the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area around Whitford, Flint, on 24th February, 1941, to an area comprising the districts situate within the Infected Area and lying within approximately 15 miles of Birkenhead.

Order No. 6069.

(Dated 19th February, 1941.)

Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas)  
Special Order No. 43 of 1941.

Subject.

Contracts the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area around Wigan, on 24th February, 1941, and releases the Infected Area from restrictions and revokes Order No. 6054 on 3rd March, 1941.

Order No. 6070.

(Dated 21st February, 1941.)

Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Areas  
Special Order No. 44 of 1941.

Subject.

Contracts the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area around Guisborough, Yorks, N.R., on 26th February, and releases the contracted Infected Area from restrictions and revokes Order No. 6057 on 5th March, 1941.