

## THE ELECTRICITY ACT, 1947.

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that in exercise of the power conferred on him by section three of the Electricity Act, 1947, he has made Regulations entitled *The Electricity (Central Authority and Area Boards) Regulations, 1947.*

These Regulations have been published as S.R. & O. 1947, No. 1750 and copies may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office, York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13A Castle Street, Edinburgh; 39-41 King Street, Manchester; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast; 1 St. Andrews Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; or through any bookseller. Ministry of Fuel and Power,

7, Millbank, London, S.W.1.  
16th August, 1947.

*The War Office, 19th August, 1947.*

## ARMY ACT.

It is proposed to issue amendments to the "Rules of Procedure, 1926" made under Section 70 of the Army Act.

Copies of the amendments may be obtained in accordance with the Rules Publication Act, 1893, from the Under Secretary of State, The War Office, Whitehall, S.W.1.

*Civil Service Commission,*

19th August, 1947.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz:—

## TEMPORARY (RECONSTRUCTION) REGULATIONS FOR FILLING VACANCIES FOR ASSISTANT INSPECTORS OF ANCIENT MONUMENTS IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS.

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

2. Every candidate must have been born on or after 2nd August, 1910, and on or before 1st January, 1924.

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. Candidates should have knowledge and practical experience of archaeology, especially of the medieval period; preference will be given to candidates with a University degree.

5. (1) Every candidate must satisfy the Commissioners as to health and character.

(2) The Commissioners reserve the right to give such preference to disabled persons or to particular classes of disabled persons as may be necessary in order to give effect to any general policy regarding the employment of such persons which may be adopted by His Majesty's Government, provided that the disability is not of a nature to interfere with the discharge of the duties.

6. No person who is undergoing a course of study with the aid of a grant from public funds shall be eligible to compete before the completion of the course, unless he or she has previously obtained permission to do so from the authority which administers the grant.

7. Every candidate must apply on the appropriate form within the time and in the manner of which notice is given by the Commissioners.

8. The Commissioners may summon to appear before a Selection Board all who are found to be prima facie eligible, or may, if they see fit, summon only those whose qualifications and experience are

considered to be specially suitable. The Board will take into consideration the candidates' record of experience and education, with due regard to loss of opportunity of knowledge of those who served in the Forces, any recommendation from persons named by the candidates as having direct knowledge of their work in the past, and the personal qualities of the candidates as shown at the interview; and on their estimation of all the above facts they will frame their recommendations. The decision of the Commissioners shall be final.

9. Persons upon whose training for the occupation of teacher public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate central education authority (e.g., the Ministry of Education, the Scottish Education Department, the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland) has been notified to the Commissioners.

10. Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential persons, except as referees to be named by them in their Application Forms, will disqualify them for appointment. The interviewing Board will disregard spontaneous recommendations, from persons who are not personally acquainted with the candidate's work, whether at school, at the University, in the Forces, or otherwise.

11. Every successful candidate shall pay a fee of £1 before the issue of a certificate of qualification for appointment.

## MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

## LAND DRAINAGE ACT, 1930.

*Preston Drainage Board.*

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has made an Order under Part III of the Land Drainage Act, 1930, making provision for the extension of the period of office of the first members of the Preston Drainage Board until the first day of November, 1947, and that the Order will become final and have effect as an Act of Parliament, unless within thirty-one days from the date of this Notice a Memorial praying that the Order shall not become law without confirmation by Parliament, is presented to the Minister by some person or body affected by the Order and having an interest sufficient for the presentation of a Memorial.

A copy of the sealed Order has been deposited at the Office of the Town Clerk, the Town Hall, Hedon, Hull for public inspection for a period of thirty-one days from the date of this notice, and may be inspected during the ordinary hours of business.

*A. Hodgson.*

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
23-25, Soho Square, London, W.1.  
18th August, 1947.

## MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

## LAND DRAINAGE ACT, 1930.

*Caernarvonshire Rivers (including the River Conway) Catchment Board.*

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him under Section 4 (3) of the Land Drainage Act, 1930, proposes to make an Order confirming a scheme submitted to him by the Caernarvonshire Rivers (including the River Conway) Catchment Board under Section 4 (1) (a) of the Act, for the transfer to the Catchment Board of all such rights, powers, duties, obligations and liabilities (including liabilities incurred in connection with works) of the Pwllheli Allottees and the Surveyor howsoever arising over or in connection with such parts of the Afon Erch and its tributary the Afon Ddu in the County of Caernarvon as are shown as main river on the map prepared by the Minister under Section 5 of the Land Drainage Act, 1930.

A copy of the draft Order, together with a copy of the Scheme, has been deposited at the Office of the Engineer of the Catchment Board, Regent House, High Street, Caernarvon for public inspection for a period of thirty-one days from the date of this notice and may be inspected during the ordinary hours of business.

Copies of the draft Order may be obtained from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, at the address mentioned below.