

April 1974 to the area of the City of Leicester, and the amount of rates to be charged on all classes of unoccupied property is specified as one half of the amount which would be chargeable if the property were occupied.

J. S. Phipps, Chief Executive.

Town Hall,
Leicester.

(546)

NOTTINGHAM DISTRICT COUNCIL

GENERAL RATE ACT 1967—SECTION 17 AND SCHEDULE 1

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT—SECTION 15

Rating of Unoccupied Property

Notice is hereby given that on the 4th February 1974 the Nottingham District Council resolved:

"That a 100 per cent. rate be levied on all unoccupied properties in the City with effect from the 1st April 1974, pursuant to the powers contained in section 17 and Schedule 1 of the General Rate Act 1967 and section 15 of the Local Government Act 1974, and that no distinction be made between particular classes of properties or specific areas."

Dated 29th March 1974.

(564) *Marcus Wakely*, City Secretary and Solicitor.

SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

Notice is hereby given that the South Staffordshire District Council, at a Meeting held on 26th March 1974, resolved to exercise powers given under section 17 of the General Rate Act 1967 and to adopt a scheme for charging 50 per cent. rates on all empty properties, including new properties after the first three months.

A. Roebuck, Chief Executive Officer and Clerk.

Council Offices,
Penkridge, Stafford.

(751)

SOLIHULL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

Notice is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council, held on 19th March 1974, it was resolved that the provisions of Schedule 1 of the General Rate Act 1967, as amended by the Local Government Act 1974, shall apply to all properties, excluding lock-up garages, as from 1st April 1974, and that rates be levied on empty properties at the following proportions:

(a) Dwelling houses and mixed hereditaments. 50 per cent.

(b) All other properties 100 per cent.

D. W. Chapman, Town Clerk and Chief Executive Officer.

(770)

SWANSEA DISTRICT COUNCIL

SECTION 17, GENERAL RATE ACT 1967, AS AMENDED BY SECTION 15 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1974

Rating of Unoccupied Property

Notice is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Council of the District of Swansea, as the rating authority for the District of Swansea, held on the 26th March 1974, it was resolved in accordance with the provisions of the above-named Act as follows:

"That the provisions of Schedule 1 of the General Rate Act 1967, as amended by section 15 of the Local Government Act 1974, apply to all relevant hereditaments in the rating area with effect from the 1st April 1974, and that specified proportion of the rates payable be the whole amount."

Dated 29th March 1974.

A. N. F. Rees, Chief Executive and Town Clerk.

The Guildhall,
Swansea.

(753)

Legal Notices

MARRIAGE ACTS

A building certified for worship named APOSTOLIC CHURCH, Canterbury Road, Lydden in the registration district of Dover in the County of Kent was on 12th March 1974 registered for solemnising marriages therein pursuant to section 41 of the Marriage Act, 1949 as amended by Section 1 (1) of the Marriage Acts Amendment Act, 1958.—Dated 27th March 1974.

(262) *D. A. P. Cullen*, Superintendent Registrar.

The Registrar General, being satisfied that NEW CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Smallbridge in the registration district of Rochdale in the County Borough of Rochdale is no longer used as a place of worship by the congregation on whose behalf it was on 6th January 1866 registered for marriages in accordance with the Marriage Act, 1836 has cancelled the registration.—Dated 25th March 1974.

J. F. Creagh, Superintendent Registrar.

The Registrar General, being satisfied that METHODIST CHAPEL, Weeton Lane, Dunkeswick in the registration district of Barkston Ash in the County of York West Riding is no longer used as a place of worship by the congregation on whose behalf it was on 13th August 1952 registered for marriages in accordance with the Marriage Acts, 1949 to 1959 has cancelled the registration.—Dated 21st March 1974.

A. L. Firth, Superintendent Registrar.

The Registrar General, being satisfied that METHODIST CHURCH, Harlestone Road in the registration district of Northampton in the County Borough of Northampton is no longer used as a place of worship by the congregation on whose behalf it was on 27th February 1901 registered for marriages in accordance with the Marriage Act, 1836 has cancelled the registration.—Dated 22nd March 1974.

J. P. Kingston, Superintendent Registrar.

The Registrar General, being satisfied that APOSTOLIC CHURCH, Stonehall, Temple Ewell in the registration district of Dover in the County of Kent is no longer used as a place of worship by the congregation on whose behalf it was on 9th August 1933 registered for marriages in accordance with the Marriage Act, 1836 has cancelled the registration.—Dated 27th March 1974.

D. A. P. Cullen, Superintendent Registrar.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1948

PETITIONS FOR COMPULSORY WINDING-UP

In the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division).—
Companies Court. No. 00686 of 1974

In the Matter of D. DOYLE CONTRACTORS (BIRMINGHAM) LIMITED and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1948.

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition for the winding-up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 25th day of March 1974 presented to the said Court by Construction Industry Training Board, whose Principal Office is situate at Radnor House, London Road, Norbury, London S.W.16, Creditors, and that the said Petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London W.C.2, on the 29th day of April 1974, and any Creditor or Contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said Petition may appear at the time of hearing in person or by his Counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the Petition will be furnished by the undersigned to any Creditor or Contributory of the said Company requiring such copy on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Samuel Tonkin & Co., 3 Berners Street, London, W1P 4AD, Solicitors for the Petitioning Creditors.

NOTE. Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said Petition must serve on or send by post to the