

1961 No. 2336

## SEA FISHERIES

## The Whaling Industry (Ship) (Amendment) Regulations, 1961

Made - - - - - 6th December, 1961

Coming into Operation 12th December, 1961

The Minister of Transport in exercise of his powers under Sections 3, 5, 6, 8 and 18 of the Whaling Industry (Regulation) Act, 1934(a), as amended by Part III of the Sea Fish Industry Act, 1938(b), and under the Whaling Industry (Sperm Whales) Order, 1937(c), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf and after consultation with the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and the Secretary of State for Scotland, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations shall come into operation on the twelfth day of December, 1961, and may be cited as the Whaling Industry (Ship) (Amendment) Regulations, 1961.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(d), shall apply for the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The Whaling Industry (Ship) Regulations, 1955(e) as amended by the Whaling Industry (Ship) (Amendment) Regulations, 1959(f), shall be further amended as follows:—

In paragraph 1 (b) of Part I of the Second Schedule and paragraph 1 (b) of Part II of the Second Schedule for the words “the 28th December” there shall be substituted the words “the 12th December”.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Transport this sixth day of December, 1961.

(L.S.)

Reep Lintern,  
An Under Secretary of the  
Ministry of Transport.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)*

These Regulations amend the Whaling Industry (Ship) Regulations, 1955, to give effect, in relation to United Kingdom and Colonial ships, to a resolution of the International Whaling Commission.

The period during which baleen whales (excluding minke whales) may be taken and treated in Antarctic waters, is to commence on the 12th December and to last until the 7th April next following; the amendment does not apply to the period prescribed for the taking and treatment of blue whales or humpback whales.

(a) 24 &amp; 25 Geo. 5. c. 49.

(b) 1 &amp; 2 Geo. 6. c. 30.

(c) S.R. &amp; O. 1937/628 (Rev. VII, p. 932; 1937, p. 747).

(d) 52 &amp; 53 Vict. c. 63.

(e) S.L. 1955/1973 (1955 II, p. 2416).

(f) S.I. 1959/2054 (1959 II, p. 2495).