STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1968 No. 1604

MUSEUMS

The British Museum (Authorised Repositories) Order 1968

Made - - - 7th October 1968

Laid before Parliament 17th October 1968

Coming into Operation 21st October 1968

The Secretary of State for Education and Science with the agreement of the Trustees of the British Museum, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 10(2) of the British Museum Act 1963(a), as amended by the Transfer of Functions (Cultural Institutions) Order 1965(b), hereby makes the following Order:—

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the British Museum (Authorised Repositories) Order 1968 and shall come into operation on the 21st October 1968.
- (2) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
- 2. Part I of the Third Schedule to the British Museum Act 1963 as amended (d) (authorised repositories for the collections of the British Museum) shall be amended by the addition of the following paragraph:—
 - "5. So much of the site at 10 Porchester Gardens, London, as was occupied immediately before 21st October 1968 for the purposes of the National Reference Library of Science and Invention".

Given under the Official Seal of the Secretary of State for Education and Science on 7th October 1968.

(L.S.)

Edward Short,

Secretary of State for Education and Science.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order adds to the authorised repositories of the British Museum.

(a) 1963 c. 24.

(b) S.I. 1965/603 (1965 I, p. 1911).

(c) 1889 c. 63.

(d) S.I. 1966/99 (1966 I, p. 222).