

1969 No. 1883

EXCHANGE CONTROL

**The Exchange Control (Import and Export)
(Amendment) Order 1969**

Made - - - - 29th December 1969

Laid before Parliament 1st January 1970

Coming into Operation 2nd January 1970

The Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 31 and 36(5) of the Exchange Control Act 1947(a), hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Exchange Control (Import and Export) (Amendment) Order 1969, and shall come into operation on 2nd January 1970.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The Exchange Control (Import and Export) Order 1966(c) shall be amended as follows:—

(a) in article 5(1)(i) by substituting “ £25 ” for “ £15 ”; and

(b) in article 5(1)(ii) by substituting “ £300 ” for “ £50 ”.

3. This Order shall extend to the Channel Islands, and any reference in this Order to the Exchange Control Act 1947 includes a reference to that Act as extended by the Exchange Control (Channel Islands) Order 1947(d).

Joseph Harper,

E. G. Perry,

Two of the Lords Commissioners of
Her Majesty's Treasury.

29th December 1969.

(a) 1947 c. 14. (b) 1889 c. 63. (c) S.I. 1966/1351 (1966 III, p. 3681).
(d) S.R. & O. 1947/2034 (Rev. VI, p. 1001: 1947 I, p. 660).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Exchange Control (Import and Export) Order 1966. Travellers to destinations outside the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands and the Republic of Ireland may now take with them out of the United Kingdom up to £25 worth of sterling notes or currency notes of other scheduled territories, instead of £15 worth. They may also take with them up to £300 worth of foreign currency notes, instead of £50 worth.