

1971 No. 1525

OPTICIANS

**The General Optical Council (Companies Committee Rules)
(Amendment) Order of Council 1971**

Made - - - - 16th September 1971

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 16th day of September 1971

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council

Whereas in pursuance of section 18(2) of the Opticians Act 1958(a) the General Optical Council have made rules entitled "The Companies Committee (Amendment) Rules 1971":

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said rules into consideration, are hereby pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Them by section 18(4) of the said Act and of all other powers Them enabling, to approve the same as set out in the Schedule to this Order.

This Order may be cited as the General Optical Council (Companies Committee Rules) (Amendment) Order of Council 1971.

W. G. Agnew.

SCHEDULE

THE COMPANIES COMMITTEE (AMENDMENT) RULES 1971

The General Optical Council, after consulting in accordance with section 18(3) of the Opticians Act 1958, do, in exercise of their powers under section 18(2) of the said Act, hereby make the following rules:—

1. These rules may be cited as the Companies Committee (Amendment) Rules 1971.

2. Rule 6 of the Companies Committee Rules 1959 (scheduled to the General Optical Council (Companies Committee Rules) Order of Council 1959(b)) is hereby revoked and replaced by the following rule:—

"6. Appointments to the Committee shall be for a period of one year expiring on the 31st day of December. Provided that where a member appointed under paragraph 4 of these rules ceases to be a member of the Council he shall cease to be a member of the Committee."

3. These rules shall come into effect on 1st January 1972.

Sealed on the
24th day of June 1971

(L.S.)

Attested by:
G. A. WHEATCROFT,
Member of Council.
H. B. MARTON,
Member of Council.
J. DANIEL DEVLIN,
Registrar.

(a) 1958 c. 32.

(b) S.I. 1959/955 (1959 II, p. 1981).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

The rules approved by this Order alter the annual date of expiry of appointments to the Companies Committee of the General Optical Council.