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WATER SUPPLY, ENGLAND AND WALES

**The Metropolitan Water Board (Financial Provisions)
Order 1973**

Made - 19th March 1973

Coming into Operation 23rd March 1973

The Secretary of State for the Environment in exercise of powers conferred by section 33 of the Water Act 1945(a) and now vested in him (b) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1. This order may be cited as the Metropolitan Water Board (Financial Provisions) Order 1973 and shall come into operation on 23rd March 1973. Citation and commencement

2. Section 7(2) of the Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Act 1921(c) (which as amended by the Metropolitan Water Board (Financial Provisions) Order 1972(d) provides, among other things, that the Metropolitan Water Board shall not be required to fix the percentage rate for any financial year at an amount containing any fraction of one per centum other than one-tenth or a multiple of one-tenth) shall be amended by the substitution for the words “one-tenth or a multiple of one-tenth” in the first proviso of the words “one-twentieth or a multiple of one-twentieth”. Amendment of Metropolitan Water Board (Charges) Act 1921.

J. E. Beddoe,

Signed by authority of the
Secretary of State
19th March 1973.

An Under Secretary in the
Department of the Environment.

(a) 1945 c. 42

(b) S.I. 1951/142, 1900, 1970/1681 (1951 I, pp. 1348, 1347; 1970 III, p. 5551).

(c) 1921 c. xciv.

(d) S.I. 1972/370.