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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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1978 No. 1819

LAND DRAINAGE

**The Anglian Water Authority (Alteration of Boundaries  
of the Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1978**

Made - - - - 27th September 1978

Coming into Operation 5th December 1978

Whereas the Anglian Water Authority prepared and submitted to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (hereinafter called "the Minister") for confirmation a Scheme (hereinafter called "the Scheme") under section 11(1) of the Land Drainage Act 1976(a), in relation to the Black Sluice Internal Drainage District;

And whereas the Minister has decided to confirm the Scheme, a copy of which is annexed hereto;

Now, therefore, the Minister, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 11(4) and 109(6) of the Land Drainage Act 1976, and of every other power enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1. This Order, which may be cited as the Anglian Water Authority (Alteration of Boundaries of the Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1978, shall, unless subject to special parliamentary procedure, come into operation on the date of its confirmation by the Minister.

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.

3. The Scheme is hereby confirmed.

4. The expenses of the Minister in connection with the making and confirmation of this Order shall be borne by the Anglian Water Authority and shall be part of the administrative expenses of that Authority.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 27th September 1978.

(L.S.)

(Sgd.) *A. F. Longworth*,  
Assistant Secretary.

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(a) 1976 c 70.

(b) 1889 c. 63.

## LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1976

### ANGLIAN WATER AUTHORITY

#### BLACK SLUICE INTERNAL DRAINAGE DISTRICT

The Anglian Water Authority (hereinafter called "the Water Authority") hereby submits to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (hereinafter called "the Minister") in pursuance of section 11(1) of the Land Drainage Act 1976 (hereinafter called "the said Act") for confirmation under section 11(4) of the said Act the following Scheme for:—

1. The alteration of the boundaries of the Black Sluice Internal Drainage District (hereinafter called "the Internal Drainage District");
2. Matters supplemental thereto or consequential thereon.

#### SCHEME

(1) This Scheme (which includes the Schedule hereto) may be cited as the Anglian Water Authority (Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Scheme 1978 and shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Minister (hereinafter called "the appointed day").

(2) The boundaries of the Internal Drainage District as constituted and amended by the various Schemes and confirming Orders referred to in the said Schedule shall be altered so as to include in the Internal Drainage District all those lands (hereinafter called "the said lands") lying in the Parishes of Billingham, Horbling, Pointon and Sempringham, Dowsby and Aslackby and Laughton all in the District of South Kesteven in the County of Lincoln which are shown coloured red on the two maps marked "A" and "B" respectively and sealed by the Water Authority in relation to this Scheme and to exclude from the Internal Drainage District all those lands lying in the said Parish of Billingham in the said District of South Kesteven in the said County of Lincoln which are shown coloured blue and edged with a red line on the said map marked "A".

(3) The provisions of the Schemes and confirming Orders referred to in the said Schedule shall where applicable apply to the said lands to be included in the Internal Drainage District as if such lands had formed part of the Internal Drainage District immediately before the appointed day.

#### SCHEDULE

The Scheme confirmed by the Witham and Steeping Rivers Catchment Board (Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1935(a).

The Scheme confirmed by the Lincolnshire River Board (Black Sluice Internal Drainage District and Witham First District Internal Drainage District) Order 1953(b).

The Scheme confirmed by the Lincolnshire River Board (Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) (Alteration of Boundaries and Electoral Districts) Order 1961(c).

The Scheme confirmed by the Lincolnshire River Authority (Alteration of Boundaries of the Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1965(d).

The Scheme confirmed by the Lincolnshire River Authority (Alteration of Boundaries of the Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1967(e).

The Scheme confirmed by the Lincolnshire River Authority (Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1969(f).

The Scheme confirmed by the Lincolnshire River Authority (Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1973(g).

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(a) S.R. & O. 1935/300.

(d) S.I. 1966/107.

(g) S.I. 1973/1902.

(b) S.I. 1953/900.

(e) S.I. 1968/57.

(c) S.I. 1961/376.

(f) S.I. 1969/1260.

IN WITNESS whereof the Water Authority has caused its Common Seal to be hereunto affixed this Twenty Fourth day of May 1978.

The COMMON SEAL of the ANGLIAN WATER AUTHORITY was hereunto affixed in the presence of: }

(L.S.)

(Sgd.) G. L. Sturgess, Director of Administration.

Whereas the foregoing Order has been published by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in accordance with the procedure prescribed by the Land Drainage Act 1976;

And whereas no memorial against the Order has been presented to the Minister;

Now, therefore, the Minister, in pursuance of the powers in the said Order recited, hereby confirms the said Order.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 5th December 1978.

(L.S.)

(Sgd.) A. F. Longworth, Assistant Secretary.

Whereas the Scheme confirmed by the Anglian Water Authority (Alteration of Boundaries of the Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1978 provides that the appointed day therein mentioned shall be a day to be appointed by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food;

Now, therefore, the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food hereby appoints the 1st April 1979 to be the said appointed day.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 5th December 1978.

(L.S.)

(Sgd.) A. F. Longworth, Assistant Secretary.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order, made by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, confirms a Scheme submitted to him by the Anglian Water Authority for the alteration of the boundaries of the Black Sluice Internal Drainage District, which District was constituted by the Scheme confirmed by the Witham and Steeping Rivers Catchment Board (Black Sluice Internal Drainage District) Order 1935 (as amended).

The two maps (marked "A" and "B" respectively) mentioned in the Scheme are available for inspection during office hours at the offices of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Great Westminster House, Horseferry Road, London SW1P 2AE, and a certified copy thereof may be inspected during office hours at the offices of the Anglian Water Authority, 50 Wide Bargate, Boston, Lincs PE21 6SA, and at the offices of the Black Sluice Internal Drainage Board, 72 Carlton Road, Boston, Lincs PE21 8PB.