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**STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS**

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**1981 No. 424****MERCHANT SHIPPING****The Merchant Shipping Act 1979 (Falkland Islands)  
(Amendment) Order 1981**

*Made* - - - - - 18th March 1981  
*Laid before Parliament* 26th March 1981  
*Coming into Operation* 17th April 1981

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 18th day of March 1981

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her by section 47(1) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1979(a) and all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Merchant Shipping Act 1979 (Falkland Islands) (Amendment) Order 1981 and shall come into operation on 17th April 1981.

2. The Merchant Shipping Act 1979 (Falkland Islands) Order 1980(b) is hereby amended by adding between the words "contained in" and "paragraph 4" in section 51(2) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1979, as set out in the Schedule to the said Order, the words "section 5(2A) of the Merchant Shipping (Oil Pollution) Act 1971 (1971 c. 59; S.I. 1975/2167 as amended by S.I. 1981/218) or section 4(13) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1974 (1974 c. 43; S.I. 1975/2167 as amended by S.I. 1981/218) or".

*N. E. Leigh,*  
Clerk of the Privy Council.

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(a) 1979 c. 39.

(b) S.I. 1980/1513.

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

This Order amends the Merchant Shipping Act 1979 (Falkland Islands) Order 1980 so as to enable the Colonial Treasury to charge for certificates given in pursuance of any provision contained in section 5(2A) of the Merchant Shipping (Oil Pollution) Act 1971 or section 4(13) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1974, as extended to the Falkland Islands by the Merchant Shipping (Oil Pollution) (Falkland Islands) Order 1975 as amended by the Merchant Shipping (Oil Pollution) (Falkland Islands (Amendment) Order 1981.

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