1959 No. 1295

The Foreign Compensation (Roumania) (Registration) (Amendment) Order, 1959

Made --28th July, 1959Laid before Parliament30th July, 1959Coming into Operation31st July, 1959

At the Court of Saint James, the 28th day of July, 1959

Present,

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother

Her Royal Highness The Princess Alexandra of Kent

Lord President Mr. Brooke

Earl of Selkirk Mr. Aubrey Jones

Whereas Her Majesty, in pursuance of the Regency Acts, 1937 to 1953, was pleased, by Letters Patent dated the fifteenth day of June, 1959, to delegate to the following Counsellors of State (subject to the exceptions hereinafter mentioned) or any two or more of them, that is to say, His Royal Highness Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother, Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester, His Royal Highness The Duke of Kent and Her Royal Highness The Princess Alexandra of Kent, full power and authority during the period of Her Majesty's absence from the United Kingdom to summon and hold on Her Majesty's behalf Her Privy Council and to signify thereat Her Majesty's approval for anything for which Her Majesty's approval in Council is required:

And Whereas Her Majesty was further pleased to except from the number of the said Counsellors of State His Royal Highness Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, and His Royal Highness The Duke of Kent and Her Royal Highness The Princess Alexandra of Kent while absent from the United Kingdom:

And Whereas by Section 3 of the Foreign Compensation Act, 1950(a), (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") Her Majesty is authorised, if Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom enter into or contemplate an agreement with the Government of any foreign country providing for the payment of compensation by the latter Government, to make provision by Order in Council for the registration by the Foreign Compensation Commission (hereinafter referred to as "the Commission") of claims to participate in such compensation, and for the making of reports by the Commission with respect to such claims:

And Whereas such provision was made by the Foreign Compensation (Roumania) (Registration) Order, 1954(a), and the Foreign Compensation (Roumania) (Registration) (Amendment) Order, 1955(b):

Now, therefore, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and Her Royal Highness The Princess Alexandra of Kent, being authorised thereto by the said Letters Patent, and in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Act do hereby, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, on Her Majesty's behalf order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

- 1. The Foreign Compensation (Roumania) (Registration) (Amendment) Order, 1955, is hereby revoked.
- 2. From the date on which the present Order comes into operation, any claim which is made in accordance with the provisions of the Foreign Compensation (Roumania) (Registration) Order, 1954, shall be received by the Commission under that Order.
- 3. The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to an Act of Parliament, and as if this Order and the Order hereby revoked were Acts of Parliament.
- 4. This Order shall come into operation on the 31st day of July, 1959, and may be cited as the Foreign Compensation (Roumania) (Registration) (Amendment) Order, 1959.

W. G. Agnew.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The purpose of this Order is to revoke the Foreign Compensation (Roumania) (Registration) (Amendment) Order, 1955, and to enable the Commission again to receive claims under the Foreign Compensation (Roumania) (Registration) Order, 1954.

⁽a) S.I. 1954/221 (1954 I, p. 929). (b) S.I. 1955/428 (1955 I, p. 937). (c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.