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LICENCES AND LICENSING

**The Fees for Cinematograph Licences
(Variation) Order 1978**

Made - - - 22nd September 1978
Laid before Parliament 27th September 1978
Coming into Operation 1st November 1978

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by sections 35(2) and 40(2) of, and Part II of Schedule 3 to, the Local Government Act 1966(a), I hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Fees for Cinematograph Licences (Variation) Order 1978 and shall come into operation on 1st November 1978.

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. Section 2(5) of the Cinematograph Act 1909(c), as amended by the Miscellaneous Fees (Variation) Order 1968(d) and section 10 of the Decimal Currency Act 1969(e), shall have effect as if—

- (a) for the sum “£5”, in both places where it occurs, there were substituted the sum “£15”; and
- (b) for the sum “£1.25”, in both places where it occurs, there were substituted the sum “£3.75”.

4. In the Schedule to the said Order of 1968, the entries relating to section 2(5) of the Cinematograph Act 1909 shall be omitted.

Merlyn Rees,
 One of Her Majesty's Principal
 Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
 22nd September 1978.

(a) 1966 c. 42.
 (c) 1909 c. 30.
 (e) 1969 c. 19.

(b) 1889 c. 63.
 (d) S.I. 1968/170.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order raises the maximum fees payable for the grant, renewal and transfer of licences issued under section 2 of the Cinematograph Act 1909 for the use of premises in England and Wales for the purpose of cinematograph exhibitions.

The maximum fees for the grant or renewal of a licence for a year are raised from £5 to £15, for the grant or renewal of a licence for monthly periods are raised from £1.25 to £3.75 for each month (subject to a maximum in any one year of £15), and for the transfer of a licence are raised from £1.25 to £3.75.

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