STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 110

FUGITIVE CRIMINAL

The Fugitive Offenders (Designated Commonwealth Countries) Order 1974

Made - - - 25th January 1974

Laid before Parliament 31st January 1974

Coming into Operation 18th March 1974

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 25th day of January 1974

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred on Her by section 2(1) of the Fugitive Offenders Act 1967(a), 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 Fugitive Offenders (Designated Commonwealth Countries) Order 1974 and shall come into operation on 18th March 1974.
- 2. The Commonwealth of the Bahamas is hereby designated for the purposes of section 1 of the Fugitive Offenders Act 1967.

N. E. Leigh.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

Section 2(1) of the Fugitive Offenders Act 1967 enables any country within the Commonwealth to be designated by Order in Council for the purposes of section 1 of the Act (so that the provisions of the Act relating to the return of offenders to the independent Commonwealth countries and not those relating to United Kingdom dependencies will apply). This Order designates the Bahamas for those purposes.

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