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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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1978 No. 881

**WATER, ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The Cambridge Water Order 1978**

*Made* - - - - - 19th June 1978

*Coming into Operation* 26th June 1978

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 32 and 50 of the Water Act 1945(a) and now vested in him(b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Cambridge Water Order 1978 and shall come into operation on 26th June 1978. Citation and commencement.

(2) The Cambridge Water Acts and Orders 1853 to 1977 and this order may be cited together as the Cambridge Water Acts and Orders 1853 to 1978.

2. In this order—  
“the undertaking” means the undertaking of the Cambridge Water Company as for the time being authorised by any enactment. Interpretation.

3. Section 55 (making and dates for payment of water rates) of the Third Schedule to the Water Act 1945 as applied to the undertaking by section 4 of the Cambridge Waterworks Order 1959(c) shall have effect as if there were inserted at the end of subsection (1) thereof the following proviso—  
Power to make single rate for nine months.

“Provided that notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this subsection the undertakers may make a water rate by fixing a rate poundage in respect of one period of nine months commencing on 1st July and, subject to the provisions of this section, such rate shall be payable in advance as to two-thirds of such rate by an instalment on such 1st July and as to one-third of such rate by an instalment on the next succeeding 1st January.”.

4. For the purposes of this order, section 94 of the Third Schedule to the Water Act 1945 (which requires undertakers to keep a copy of the special Act at their principal office and to deposit copies with certain officers) shall apply to the undertaking and is hereby incorporated with this order. Application of section 94 of Third Schedule to Water Act 1945.

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(a) 1945 c. 42.

(b) S.I. 1951/142, 1900, 1970/1681.

(c) S.I. 1959/1131.

Costs of  
order.

5. The costs, charges and expenses of and incidental to the application for, and the preparation and making of, this order may in whole or in part be defrayed out of revenue.

Signed by authority of  
the Secretary of State

*A. G. Semple,*  
An Under Secretary in the  
Department of the Environment.

19th June 1978.