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TELEGRAPHS

The Wireless Telegraphy (Isle of Man) Order 1981

Made - - - - - 31st July 1981

Coming into Operation 17th August 1981

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 31st day of July 1981

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in pursuance of sections 13(4) and 15(6) of the Wireless Telegraphy 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 Wireless Telegraphy (Isle of Man) Order 1981 and shall come into operation on 17th August 1981.
2. Sections 7, 9 to 12 and 15 of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1967 shall extend to the Isle of Man with the exceptions, adaptations and modifications specified in the Schedule to this Order.
3. The Wireless Telegraphy (Isle of Man) Order 1967(b), the Wireless Telegraphy (Isle of Man) Order 1968(c) and the Wireless Telegraphy (Isle of Man) Order 1978(d) are hereby revoked.

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

SCHEDULE

EXCEPTIONS, ADAPTATIONS AND MODIFICATIONS IN THE EXTENSION OF SECTIONS 7,
9 TO 12 AND 15 OF THE WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY ACT 1967 TO THE ISLE OF MAN

1. In section 7:—
 - (a) for any reference to the Postmaster General there shall be substituted a reference to the Governor in Council;
 - (b) in subsection (2), paragraph (b) and the words “or importation” shall be omitted;

(a) 1967 c. 72.
(c) S.I. 1968/118.

(b) S.I. 1967/1280.
(d) S.I. 1978/1055.

- (c) in subsection (3), for the words “the London Gazette”, where they first occur, there shall be substituted the words “a newspaper published and circulating in the Isle of Man”; and the words “or import” and the words from “and any such notice” to the end of the subsection shall be omitted;
- (d) in subsection (4), for the words “unless the Board of Trade are” there shall be substituted the words “unless he has consulted the Secretary of State who is” and the words from “and where any statutory instrument” to the end of the subsection shall be omitted;
- (e) for subsection (5), there shall be substituted the following provision:—
 “(5) An order under subsection (1) above shall not have effect until it has been approved by Tynwald”; and
- (f) in subsection (6), the words “or import” and “without prejudice to any liability to a penalty which he may have incurred under the said Act of 1952” shall be omitted.
2. In section 9:—
- (a) in subsection (1), the first two references to the United Kingdom shall include references to the Isle of Man;
- (b) in subsection (3)(a)(i) for the first reference to the United Kingdom, there shall be substituted a reference to the Isle of Man; and
- (c) subsection (5) shall be omitted.
3. In section 11(a):—
- (a) in subsection (1), paragraph (ii) shall be omitted, and
- (b) in subsection (4), the words after “as he thinks fit” shall be omitted.
4. In section 12:—
- (a) in subsection (1), for the words “United Kingdom”, in both places where they occur, there shall be substituted the words “Isle of Man”, and
- (b) subsections (2) and (3) shall be omitted.
5. In section 15:—
- (a) in subsection (3), after the words “In this Act,” there shall be inserted the words “‘Governor in Council’ means the Governor acting on the advice and with the concurrence of the Executive Council of the Isle of Man,” and the words “apparatus for wireless telegraphy” shall be omitted; and
- (b) subsections (5) and (6) shall be omitted.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order replaces the Orders revoked by Article 3 by which sections 9 to 12 and 15 of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1967 were extended to the Isle of Man. This Order extends to the Isle of Man section 7 of that Act in addition to the sections mentioned above, with the exceptions, adaptations and modifications specified in the Schedule to the Order.

(a) Section 11(1), which amends the provisions relating to penalties in section 14 of the Wireless Telegraphy Act 1949 (c. 54), was amended by section 31(1) of, and Schedule 6 to, the Criminal Law Act 1977 (c. 45) so that the old maximum fine of £50 for a first offence and £100 for a second or subsequent offence was increased to a new maximum fine of £200.

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