## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order confirms with modifications a Scheme ("the present Scheme") submitted by the National Rivers Authority for the reconstitution of the Lower Medway Internal Drainage Board. That Board was formerly constituted by the Scheme confirmed by the River Medway Catchment Board (Upper and Lower Medway Internal Drainage Districts) Order 1934 (S. R. & O. 1934/725).

The principal change made by the present Scheme as modified is a reduction in the number of elected members of the Board from 19 to 9.