2. Where by an order made under the River Boards Act, 1948(**a**), a river board is established, the provisions of Regulation three of the Diseases of Fish Regulations, 1937(**b**) (which require notice to be given to fishery boards of infected areas for the purposes of the Diseases of Fish Act, 1937), shall apply to the river board and the river board area as they now apply to a fishery board or a fishery district.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this Twenty-third day of January, 1950.

(L.S.) *P. D. H. Dunn,*
Fisheries Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

By virtue of the River Boards Act, 1948, and of orders made thereunder, functions hitherto exercised by fishery boards are to be exercised by river boards.

The Diseases of Fish Regulations, 1937, provide that notice of any order made by the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries under sub-section one of section two of the Diseases of Fish Act, 1937, declaring an area to be an infected area shall be sent to the fishery board, if any, of the district within which the waters declared to be infected are situated.

These regulations provide that where a river board has been established such notices shall be given to the river board.

The Inshore Fishing Industry Act, 1945 (Extension of Period) Order, 1950

1950 No. 1866

Made - - - -	*17th November,* 1950
Laid before Parliament	*22nd November,* 1950
Coming into Operation	*10th December,* 1950

Whereas by section one of the Inshore Fishing Industry Act, 1945(**c**), as amended by section three of the White Fish and Herring Industries Act, 1948(**d**), power is conferred upon the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries and the Secretary of State for Scotland (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministers") to make, with the approval of the Treasury, arrangements for the provision of financial assistance for persons engaged in the inshore fishing industry and persons desiring to engage therein, as in the said Inshore Fishing Industry Act, 1945, more particularly set out:

(a) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 32.
(b) S.R. & O. 1937 (No. 1224) p. 663.
(c) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 11.
(d) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 51.

And Whereas by subsection (3) of the said section one it is provided that (subject to the provisions of the said Inshore Fishing Industry Act, 1945, hereinafter referred to) no grant or loan shall be made under that section after the expiration of the period of five years beginning with the date of the passing of the said Act, that is to say, the 10th day of December, 1945:

And Whereas by subsection (1) of section two of the said Inshore Fishing Industry Act, 1945, it is provided that if it appears to the Ministers that, owing to the circumstances prevailing during the period of five years hereinbefore referred to, it has not been possible for such persons as aforesaid to avail themselves to the extent anticipated of the financial assistance provided under the said section one, they may by order extend that period for a further period not exceeding two years, and thereupon the said section one shall have effect accordingly:

And Whereas it appears to the Ministers as provided in the said subsection (1) of section two and hereinbefore recited in the last foregoing recital:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred upon them by the said subsection (1) of section two of the said Inshore Fishing Industry Act, 1945, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, the Ministers hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Inshore Fishing Industry Act, 1945 (Extension of Period) Order, 1950, and shall come into operation on the 10th day of December, 1950.

2. The period of five years referred to in section one of the said Inshore Fishing Industry Act, 1945, is hereby extended for a further period of two years.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this 17th day of November, nineteen hundred and fifty.

T. Williams,
Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this 17th day of November, nineteen hundred and fifty.

Hector McNeil,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The Order extends until 9th December, 1952, the period during which grants and loans may be made by the Ministers to inshore fishermen and persons entering the industry, towards the provision of boats and equipment.

The present period during which these grants and loans can be made expires on 9th December, 1950.