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The Cinematograph Films (Registration of Newsreels) (Amendment) Regulations, 1960

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The Board of Trade in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by section 40 of the Cinematograph Films Act, 1938(a), as amended by the Cinematograph Films Act, 1948(b), and the Cinematograph Films Act, 1960(c), hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. The Cinematograph Films (Registration of Newsreels) Regulations, 1960(d), shall have effect subject to the following amendments:—

(1) in Regulation 5 for "the registered length of the newsreel in feet" there shall be substituted "the registered playing time of the newsreel in minutes";

(2) in paragraph (1) of Regulation 10 for "its length in feet" there shall be substituted "its playing time in minutes"; and in paragraph (2) of that Regulation for "registered length" there shall be substituted "registered playing time";

(3) in the Schedule for "length" and "feet" wherever they occur there shall be substituted respectively "playing time" and "minutes".

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(e), shall apply to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. These Regulations may be cited as the Cinematograph Films (Registration of Newsreels) (Amendment) Regulations, 1960, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of October, 1960.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1960.

G. J. MacMahon,
An Under Secretary of the
Board of Trade.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations make the amendments to the Cinematograph Films (Registration of Newsreels) Regulations, 1960, rendered necessary as a result of the provisions in the Cinematograph Films Act, 1960, under which matters which previously fell to be determined by reference to the length of a film are now to be determined by reference to its playing time.

(a) 1 & 2 Geo. 6. c. 17. (b) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 23. (c) 8 & 9 Eliz. 2. c. 14.
(d) S.I. 1960/712 (Pt. I, p. 526, of this vol.). (e) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.