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ARABIA

The South Arabia (Commencement of Nationality Law 1967) Order 1967

Made - - - - -	*28th November* 1967
Laid before Parliament	*28th November* 1967
Coming into Operation	*29th November* 1967

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November 1967

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in that behalf by the British Settlements Acts 1887 and 1945(**a**), the Foreign Jurisdiction Act 1890(**b**) or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

Citation and commencement.

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the South Arabia (Commencement of Nationality Law 1967) Order 1967.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on 29th November 1967.

Commencement of Nationality Law 1967.

2. The Nationality Law 1967(**c**) of the Federation of South Arabia shall come into operation immediately before 30th November 1967.

Construction of Nationality Law 1967.

3. References in the Nationality Law 1967 to the Federation of South Arabia shall be construed as including references to any successor state of the Federation.

W. G. Agnew.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

In July 1967 the Federation of South Arabia enacted a law relating to the citizenship of the Federation entitled the Nationality Law 1967. It was envisaged that the Law would be brought into operation by the Government of the Federation before the date on which the Federation became independent but, owing to the subsequent course of events in South Arabia, it became impracticable for a Minister of the Federal Government to bring the Law into operation in accordance with its provisions.

This Order accordingly provides that the Nationality Law will come into operation immediately before 30th November 1967, the day

(**a**) 1887 c. 54; 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 7. (**b**) 1890 c. 37. (**c**) Law No. 10 of 1967.

appointed by Order in Council (S.I. 1967/1761) in relation to Aden for the purposes of section 1 of the Aden, Perim and Kuria Muria Islands Act 1967 (1967 c. 71), and that references in the Law to the Federation are to be construed as including references to any successor state of the Federation. This Order will not prevent the competent legislative authority of any successor state from making other provision for its citizenship after independence if this course commends itself to the Government of that successor state.