STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1969 No. 1072

CIVIL DEFENCE

The Civil Defence (Designation of the Minister of Posts and Telecommunications) Order 1969

Made - - - 31*st July* 1969

Coming into Operation 1*st October* 1969

At the Court at Arundel Park, the 31st day of July 1969

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas by section 9(2) of the Civil Defence Act 1948(a) it is enacted that the expression "the designated Minister" in that Act means such Minister as may be designated by Order in Council and that different Ministers may be designated for different purposes or different provisions of the Act:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty 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 Civil Defence (Designation of the Minister of Posts and Telecommunications) Order 1969 and shall come into operation on 1st October 1969.

2. The Minister of Posts and Telecommunications is designated Minister in relation to the matters set out in the Schedule hereto for the following provisions of the Civil Defence Act 1948, that is to say, section 1 (which relates to civil defence functions of Ministers) and section 6 (which confers power to revive and amend existing Acts relating to civil defence).

W. G. Agnew.

SCHEDULE

The provision of postal services (including cash on delivery services) and telecommunication services.

Expressions used in this Schedule have the same meaning as in Part III of the Post Office Act 1969(b).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order designates the Minister of Posts and Telecommunications as the designated Minister in relation to the provision of postal and telecommunication services for the purposes of sections 1 and 6 of the Civil Defence Act 1948.

(a) 12, 13 & 14 Geo. 6. c. 5. (b) 1969 c. 48.