STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1976 No. 1562

LAND DRAINAGE

The Anglian Water Authority (Alteration of Boundaries of the River Ouzel Internal Drainage District) Order 1976

Made - - - -	1*st July* 1976
Coming into Operation	16*th September* 1976

Whereas the Anglian Water Authority prepared and submitted to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (hereinafter called "the Minister") for confirmation a Scheme (hereinafter called "the Scheme") under section 4(1)(*b*) of the Land Drainage Act 1930(a), as amended and applied by the Water Act 1973(b), in relation to the River Ouzel Internal Drainage District:

And whereas the Minister has decided to confirm the Scheme, subject to the modification set out in Article 3 of this Order:

And whereas a copy of the Scheme with the said modification incorporated therein is annexed hereto:

Now, therefore, the Minister, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 4(3) and 14 of the Land Drainage Act 1930, as applied by the Water Act 1973, and of every other power enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1. This Order, which may be cited as the Anglian Water Authority (Alteration of Boundaries of the River Ouzel Internal Drainage District) Order 1976, shall, unless subject to special parliamentary procedure, come into operation on the date of its confirmation by the Minister.

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The Scheme is hereby confirmed subject to the following modification:—

In paragraph 1(1) of the Scheme, immediately after the words "to this Scheme" there shall be inserted the words "except the part thereof shown hatched purple on the said map".

4. The expenses of the Minister in connection with the making and confirmation of this Order shall be borne by the Anglian Water Authority and shall be part of the administrative expenses of that Authority.

(a) 1930 c. 44. (b) 1973 c. 37. (c) 1889 c. 63.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 1st July 1976.

(L.S.)

(Sgd.) *A. F. Longworth,*
Assistant Secretary.

LAND DRAINAGE ACT 1930

WATER ACT 1973

ANGLIAN WATER AUTHORITY

River Ouzel Internal Drainage District

The Anglian Water Authority (hereinafter called "the Water Authority") in pursuance of section 4(1)(*b*) of the Land Drainage Act 1930, as amended and applied by the Water Act 1973, have prepared the following Scheme making provision for the alteration of the boundaries of the River Ouzel Internal Drainage District (hereinafter called "the Internal Drainage District") and for a certain matter supplemental thereto;

AND the Water Authority submit the Scheme to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (hereinafter called "the Minister") for confirmation under section 4(3) of the said Act of 1930.

SCHEME

1. On a day (hereinafter called "the appointed day") to be appointed by the Minister the following provisions shall have effect:—

(1) The boundaries of the Internal Drainage District as constituted by the Scheme confirmed by the Great Ouse River Board (River Ouzel Internal Drainage District) Order 1952(a) (hereinafter called "the 1952 Order") shall be altered so that it shall henceforth consist of the land shown coloured pink on the map sealed by the Water Authority in relation to this Scheme except the part thereof shown hatched purple on the said map;

(2) Such of the provisions of paragraph 1(2) of the Scheme confirmed by the 1952 Order as relate to the division of the Internal Drainage District into six electoral districts are hereby revoked.

2. Nothing in this Scheme shall be deemed to transfer to the River Ouzel Internal Drainage Board any liability for the maintenance of any culverts under the Grand Union Canal in so far as such liability was vested in the British Waterways Board immediately prior to the appointed day.

DATED this Twenty-eighth day of October 1975.

THE COMMON SEAL of the ANGLIAN WATER AUTHORITY was hereunto affixed in the presence of:— (L.S.)

(Sgd.) *G. L. Sturgess,*
Director of Administration.

(a) S.I. 1952/1244, 1245.

Whereas the foregoing Order has been published by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in accordance with the procedure prescribed by the Land Drainage Act 1930:

And whereas no memorial against the Order has been presented to the Minister:

Now, therefore, the Minister, in pursuance of the powers in the said Order recited, hereby confirms the said Order.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 16th September 1976.

(L.S.)

(Sgd.) *A. F. Longworth,*
Assistant Secretary.

Whereas the Scheme confirmed by the Anglian Water Authority (Alteration of Boundaries of the River Ouzel Internal Drainage District) Order 1976 provides that the appointed day therein mentioned shall be a day to be appointed by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food:

Now, therefore, the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food hereby appoints the 1st April 1977 to be the said appointed day.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 16th September 1976.

(L.S.)

(Sgd.) *A. F. Longworth,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order, made by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, confirms with a modification a Scheme submitted to him by the Anglian Water Authority for the alteration of the boundaries of the River Ouzel Internal Drainage District, which District was constituted by the Scheme confirmed by the Great Ouse River Board (River Ouzel Internal Drainage District) Order 1952.

The map mentioned in the Scheme confirmed by this Order is available for inspection during office hours at the offices of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Great Westminster House, Horseferry Road, London SW1P 2AE, and a certified copy thereof may be inspected during office hours at the offices of the Anglian Water Authority, Great Ouse House, Clarendon Road, Cambridge CB2 2BL, and at the offices of the River Ouzel Internal Drainage Board, 14 Kimbolton Avenue, Bedford MK40 3AH.