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**THE ELECTRICITY CONTROL ORDER 1948,  
AMENDMENT NO. 16**

PURSUANT to the Electricity Act 1968 and the Electricity Control Regulations 1949\*, the Secretary of Energy hereby makes the following order.

O R D E R

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) This order may be cited as the Electricity Control Order 1948, Amendment No. 16 and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Electricity Control Order 1948† (hereinafter referred to as the principal order).

(2) This order shall come into force on the 29th day of October 1978.

**2. Restrictions on Public Lighting**—Part IVA of the principal order (as inserted by clause 2 of the Electricity Control Order 1948, Amendment No. 9, and amended by clause 2 of the Electricity Control Order 1948, Amendment No. 10) is hereby suspended.

Dated at Wellington this 16th day of October 1978.

W. M. DUNCAN,  
Secretary of Energy.

\*S.R. 1949/190  
†S.R. 1948/55

Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1954/76  
Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1957/169  
Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1959/98  
Amendment No. 4: *(Revoked by S.R. 1973/228)*  
Amendment No. 5: *(Revoked by S.R. 1973/240)*  
Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1973/240  
Amendment No. 7: *(Revoked by S.R. 1974/209)*  
Amendment No. 8: S.R. 1974/209  
Amendment No. 9: S.R. 1975/38  
Amendment No. 10: S.R. 1975/118  
Amendment No. 11: *(Revoked by S.R. 1975/292)*  
Amendment No. 12: *(Revoked by S.R. 1976/23)*  
Amendment No. 13: *(Revoked by S.R. 1976/292)*  
Amendment No. 14: *(Revoked by S.R. 1976/292)*  
Amendment No. 15: *(Revoked by S.R. 1977/294)*

EXPLANATORY NOTE

*This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.*

This order, which comes into force on 29 October 1978, suspends the operation of Part IVA of the Electricity Control Order 1948. The effect is to remove restrictions on the use of electricity for advertising, floodlighting, decorative lighting, and illuminated signs.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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This order is administered in the Ministry of Energy.