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**ORDER IN COUNCIL FOR RESTRICTING THE COMMERCE OF
FINLAND, HUNGARY, ROUMANIA, AND BULGARIA**

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 22nd day of January, 1942.

Present :

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS a state of war exists between His Majesty and Finland, Hungary, Roumania, and Bulgaria, who are conducting war against His Majesty as Allies of Germany and Italy :

And whereas Finland, Hungary, Roumania, and Bulgaria, by associating themselves with Germany and Italy in the present war, have made themselves parties to the method of waging war adopted by Germany and Italy, and sharing in any advantages derived therefrom :

And whereas the commerce of Finland, Hungary, Roumania, and Bulgaria is equally with that of Germany and Italy employed to further the common cause of the enemies of His Majesty :

And whereas these facts give to His Majesty an unquestionable right to apply to the commerce of Finland, Hungary, Roumania, and Bulgaria measures similar to those taken against that of Germany and Italy :

And whereas by Orders in Council dated the 27th day of November, 1939,* the 11th day of June, 1940†, and the 17th‡ and 31st days of July, 1940§, His Majesty was pleased to direct certain measures to be taken against German and Italian commerce as an act of retaliation against illegal acts referred to in the said Orders :

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of his Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

Subject to the substitution in the case of Finland, Hungary, and Roumania, of the 6th day of December, 1941, and in the case of Bulgaria, of the 13th day of December, 1941, for the 4th day of December, 1939, in Articles 1 and 2 of the Order in Council dated the 27th day of November, 1939,* the said Order and Orders in Council dated the 17th‡ and 31st days of July, 1940§, shall apply for restricting the commerce of Finland, Hungary, Roumania, and Bulgaria in the same manner as they apply for restricting that of Germany and Italy.

RUPERT B. HOWORTH.

* Statutory Regulations 1940, Serial number 1940/4, page 6.

† Statutory Regulations 1940, Serial number 1940/174, page 573.

‡ Statutory Regulations 1941, Serial number 1941/252, page 816.

§ Statutory Regulations 1940, Serial number 1940/175, page 574.

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