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PROFITEERING ACT, 1919.

CENTRAL COMMUTTEE

Under powers vested in him by the Profiteering Act, 1919, HIS EXCELLENGY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has established the following Central Committee for the Isle of Man:—

Mr NATHAN MANNOCK, St. Trinian's, Ramsey (Chairman).

Mr FRANCIS MACKENZIE GREENE, C.P., Oatlands, Santon.

Mr ROBERT FARGHER DOUGLAS, J.P., Brunswick Road, Douglas.

Mr HORACE MELLOR, J.P., Beach House, Castletown.

Mr MATTHEW MATTHIAS BRIDSON, Ballagawne, Ballabeg, Arbory

Secretary to the Committee:

Mr WILLIAM ALBERT CRAINE, Northcliffe, Onchan.

Under Regulations made by the Lieutenant-Governor the Central Committee is empowered

- (a) to investigate prices, costs and profit at all stages, and to require any person to appear before them to give evidence upon oath and to furnish such information and to produce such documents as they may, with the concurrence of the Lieutenant-Governor, require, and to authorise any person to administer an oath for that purpose;
- (b) to receive and investigate and determine complaints and to make all such orders (except orders fixing prices) and do all such things with reference to the matters aforesaid as the Lieutenant-Governor is authorised to make or do in respect of the wholesale sale of any article or class of articles to which the Act is from time to time applied;
- (c) to obtain from all available sources, information as to the nature, extent and development of trusts, companies, firms, combinations, agreements and arrangements connected with mining, manufactures, trade, commerce, finance or transport, having for their purpose or effect the regulation of the prices or output of commodities or services produced or rendered in the Isle of Man or imported into the Isle of Man, or the delimitation of markets in respect thereof, or the regulation of transport rates and services, in so far as they tend to the creation of monopolies or to the restraint of trade.

All communications concerning the Central Committee should be forwarded to the Secretary of the Committee.

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By Order,

B. E. SARGEAUNT,

Government Office,
Isle of Man,
25th January, 1921.

Government Secretary.

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