ORDER IN COUNCIL UNDER SECTION 2 OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE ECONOMY ORDINANCE, 1933, FOR THE PURPOSE OF EFFECTING ECONOMIES IN EXPENDITURE IN RESPECT TO THE REMUNERATION OF PERSONS IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

Whereas by the Public Service Economy Ordinance, 1933, it is enacted that during the period of one month after the commencement of the Ordinance the Governor may in respect of the remuneration (other than by way of pension) of persons in the Public Service of the Colony, make such Orders in Council as appear to him to be expedient for the purposes of effecting economies in the expenditure falling to be defrayed out of moneys provided by the Civil List Ordinance or any other Ordinance or out of moneys provided by the Legislative Council;

And whereas it is also enacted in the said Ordinance that an Order may make provision for the modification or termination of statutory or contractual rights, obligations and restrictions subsisting at the date when the provisions of the Order take effect;

And whereas it is expedient for the purposes aforesaid that the provisions hereinafter contained should have effect:

Now, therefore, the Governor, by virtue of the enactment hereinbefore recited and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order as follows:—

- (1) There shall, as from the date when this Order takes effect, be made from the amount of the salary to be paid in 1934 in respect of any office or employment in the public service of the Colony—
 - (a) In the case of a salary of £600 a year or more an abatement of ten per cent., provided that no such salary shall be reduced below £555:
 - (b) In the case of a salary of £300 a year and not more than £600 a year, an abatement of seven and a half per cent., provided that no such salary shall be reduced below £285;
 - (c) In the case of a salary of £150 a year and not more than £300 a year, an abatement of five per cent., provided that no such salary shall be reduced below £150;
- (2) The abatement so made shall be placed to the credit of general revenue.
- (3) This Order may be cited as the Economy (Salaries) Order, 1934, and shall take effect as from the 1st day of January, 1934.

C. W. H. COLLIER, Clerk of the Council.