(5) The Clerk of the Joint Board shall forward to the Ministry so many copies of the abstract of the accounts of the Joint Board when duly audited as the Ministry shall require.

(6) The Joint Board shall be and be deemed to be a public body within the meaning of the Local Government Acts (Northern Ireland), 1898 to 1948.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this nineteenth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

(L.S.) *W. M'Caughey*,
Assistant Secretary.

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ORDER, DATED 4TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1949, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946.

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The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland (in this Order referred to as " the Ministry "), in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Paragraphs 7 and 9 of Part I of the Fourth Schedule to the Public Health and Local Government (Administrative Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland), 1946 (in this Order referred to as " the Act "), hereby orders as follows :—

Short Title and interpretation.

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Public Health and Local Government (Claims Tribunal Expenses) Order (Northern Ireland), 1949.

(2) In this Order the expression " the Tribunal " means the Claims Tribunal constituted in accordance with the provisions of Part I of the Fourth Schedule to the Act.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies for the purpose of the interpretation of this Order in like manner as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

Accounts and Audits.

2.—(1) Accounts of the receipts and payments of the Tribunal shall be kept and made up in such manner and form as may be approved by the Ministry, and to such dates as may be appointed