

3. Powers of Director of Civil Aviation—(1) Section 3 of the principal Act is hereby amended by adding the following subsection:

“(4) Any regulations under this section may confer on the Director of Civil Aviation power to issue, in such manner as may be prescribed, instructions, orders, or requirements for the purpose of ensuring the safety of aircraft engaged in civil aviation and, where the regulations so provide, any such instruction, order, or requirement shall be complied with by all persons affected thereby.”

(2) This section shall be deemed to have come into force on the twenty-sixth day of August, nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

4. Powers of Minister in respect of aerodromes—(1) The principal Act is hereby amended by inserting, after section 3A (as inserted by section 4 of the Civil Aviation Amendment Act 1955), the following section:

“3B. (1) In the exercise of his powers or functions under this Act and subject to the provisions thereof, the Minister may do all that is necessary or convenient to be done for, or as incidental to the establishment, maintenance, and operation by him of any aerodrome under his complete or partial control or of any services or facilities in connection with the operation of any such aerodrome in all respects as if the operation of the aerodrome or of the services or facilities were a commercial undertaking and in particular may himself carry out any work or undertaking in respect of which he is authorised to enter into an agreement under subsection (3) of this section.

“(2) Any power given to the Minister under this Act in respect of any aerodrome or any facilities in connection with any aerodrome may be exercised by him whether or not the aerodrome or the facilities had been established by him under this Act.

“(3) The Minister and any one or more local authorities, bodies, or persons may from time to time enter into and carry out such agreements for the execution, control, operation, or management of any work or undertaking authorised by this Act as may to them seem most suited to the circumstances.

“(4) Any agreement entered into under subsection (3) of this section may provide:

“(a) For the establishment, maintenance, or operation of any aerodrome or services and facilities in con-