2. Paragraph (g) of subsection one of section six of the said Act, as enacted by section three of chapter thirty-one of the statutes of 1940, is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

Ministerial powers.

"(g) if authorized by the Governor in Council, exercise any of the powers contained in paragraphs (a) to (f) both inclusive of this subsection for or on behalf of His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, or for or on behalf of any other of His Majesty's Governments or 10 for or on behalf of the Government of any allied or associated power."

Repeal.

3. Paragraph (i) of section seven of the said Act, as enacted by section three of chapter thirty-one of the statutes of 1940, is repealed.

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**4.** Paragraphs (c), (d), (e) and (f) of section eight of the said Act, as enacted by section three of chapter thirty-one of the statutes of 1940, are repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

Persons authorized to sign requisitions. "(c) requisitions shall be signed in accordance with the 20 the following provisions:—

(i) if the requisition requires an estimated expenditure not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, it shall be signed by the Minister of the Department concerned, his deputy or such other officer or officers as he may 25 authorize;

(ii) if the requisition requires an estimated expenditure exceeding fifty thousand dollars, it shall be signed by the Minister of the Department concerned;