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The Under Secretary of State,  
and the following number quoted :—



HOME OFFICE,  
(Fire Brigades Division),  
CLELAND HOUSE,  
PAGE STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

F.B.Gen.176/1

3rd September, 1940.

Sir,

Liability for Military Service,  
of Part-time Auxiliary Fire Service Personnel.  
F.B. Circular 120/1940.

I am directed by the Minister of Home Security to refer to F.B. Circulars 83 and 83a/1940, which dealt with the arrangements for securing deferment of calling up of part-time auxiliary firemen in cases where such a course was deemed necessary for the maintenance of the efficiency of the local emergency fire brigade organisation.

Deferments granted under these arrangements are not valid after the 1st October, 1940, and it is thus urgently necessary to review the situation in order to determine whether the present situation is such as to justify any further special action.

I am accordingly to request that the particulars on the accompanying form may

The Clerk of the London County Council,  
The Town Clerk,  
The Clerk to the District Council.

be furnished to this Department (Room 513) without delay, and in any case not later than 16th September, 1940.

Copies of this circular (without enclosure) are being sent to Chief Officers of Fire Brigades.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

*F. M. Smith*

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Issued to the Clerk of the London County Council and to all Fire Authorities in England and Wales.

Copies sent for information to:-

Chief Officers of Fire Brigades and  
Chief Constables in England and Wales.