
Section 4.—Federal Incorporation of Companies

During the year ended Mar. 31, 1953, 751 Supplementary Letters Patent were granted for variation of corporate powers, changes of name, confirmation of compromises or arrangements with shareholders and for various other purposes. In addition to the companies with share capital, 24 corporations without share capital were granted Letters Patent under Part II of the Companies Act, 1934 (R.S.C. 1952, c. 53). Supplementary Letters Patent were granted to 440 existing companies and to five existing corporations without share capital.

Compilation of the capitalization of the companies incorporated under the Companies Act is no longer available. Figures for 1943-52 are given at p. 1123 of the 1954 Year Book and those for 1900-1942 in previous issues.