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**2021 No. 523**

**BRITISH NATIONALITY**

**The British Nationality (Maldives) Order 2021**

*Made* - - - - - *28th April 2021*

*Laid before Parliament* *5th May 2021*

*Coming into force* - - *2nd June 2021*

At the Court at Windsor Castle, the 28th day of April 2021

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the power conferred upon Her by section 37(2) of the British Nationality Act 1981(a), by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, orders as follows.

**Citation and commencement**

**1.** This Order may be cited as the British Nationality (Maldives) Order 2021 and comes into force on 2nd June 2021.

**Amendment of Schedule 3 to the British Nationality Act 1981**

**2.** In Schedule 3 to the British Nationality Act 1981(b) (countries whose citizens are Commonwealth citizens) after "Malaysia" insert "Maldives".

**Revocation of the British Nationality (Maldives) Order 2017**

**3.** The British Nationality (Maldives) Order 2017(c) is revoked.

*Richard Tilbrook*  
Clerk of the Privy Council

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(a) 1981 c. 61.

(b) Schedule 3 has been amended by S.I. 1983/882, 1983/1699, 1989/1331, 1990/1502, 1994/1634, 1998/3161, 2010/246, 2015/1771, 2017/568 and 2018/620.

(c) S.I. 2017/568.