

No. 445.

THE CUSTOMS LAWS, 1936 TO 1940.

ORDER IN COUNCIL No. 1978

MADE UNDER SECTION 59 (b).

W. D. BATTERSHILL,
Governor.

I, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 59 (b) of the Customs Laws, 1936 to 1940, do hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Customs (Exportation of Meat Products) (Restriction) Order, 1940.

2. In this Order—

“Chief Veterinary Officer” means the Chief Veterinary Officer to the Government of Cyprus.

“inspected” means inspected by a veterinary surgeon or by a person holding the Sanitary Inspector’s Certificate of the Royal Sanitary Institute.

“meat products” means—

- (a) meat packed in air-tight containers.
- (b) cooked or dried meat.
- (c) intestines or other parts prepared in the form of sausage casings.
- (d) rendered animal fats except in margarine.
- (e) pies, sausages and other prepared or manufactured articles of food containing any meat or cooked or dried meat other than fat.

3. The exportation to the United Kingdom of any meat product, other than a meat product bearing a certificate from the Chief Veterinary Officer in the form shewn in the Schedule hereto, is prohibited.

4. No certificate shall be issued in respect of any meat product unless in the opinion of the Chief Veterinary Officer—

- (a) the meat product has been derived from animals inspected before and after slaughter and passed in accordance with the instructions of the Chief Veterinary Officer, and
- (b) all necessary precautions for the prevention of danger to public health were taken in the preparing and packing of the meat products.

SCHEDULE.

A label bearing the following design and particulars duly completed and signed:—

Obverse:



Cyprus
Inspected

No.

Reverse:

Nature of Package..... *No.*.....

Contents.....

Gross Weight.....

Shipping Marks.....

Date.....

Chief Veterinary Officer.

Ordered in Council, this 5th day of December, 1940.

(M.P. 808/39.)

N. D. WATSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.