

No. 103.

## THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1940 TO (No. 1) 1941.

## ORDER MADE BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY UNDER REGULATION 61.

In exercise of the powers vested in me by virtue of my appointment by the Governor as the Competent Authority for the purposes of regulation 61 of the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 1) 1941, I hereby order as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Defence (Barley Control) Order, 1941.

2. In this Order—

“ Mukhtar ” means the mukhtar of the village or quarter within the area of which a threshing-floor is situated.

“ producer ” means any person who, since 1st September, 1939, has cultivated and produced any barley either by his own labour or through his agents or servants.

“ threshing-floor ” means any place at which barley is threshed by any process whatsoever.

3. Within one week of the date of the publication of this Order in the *Gazette* every producer who has in his possession or under his control any quantity of barley in excess of 200 okes shall complete and deliver to the mukhtar a return, in the form set forth in the First Schedule hereto, in respect of the total quantity of barley in his possession or under his control.

4. No person shall remove, or permit to be removed from a threshing-floor any barley, save under a permit issued by the Mukhtar, or by any other person authorized by the Commissioner of the District in that behalf.

5. Within one week of the date of the publication of this Order in the *Gazette* every person, other than a producer, who has in his possession or under his control any quantity of barley in excess of 800 okes shall complete and deliver to the Commissioner of the District a return, in the form set forth in the First Schedule hereto, in respect of the total quantity of barley in his possession or under his control.

6. No person shall, save under a written permit issued by the Commissioner of the District, purchase, sell, or otherwise dispose of any quantity of barley in excess of 800 okes at any one time or at any single transaction.

7. Every person who holds a stock of barley shall, in respect of sales or disposals thereof made by him or on his behalf, keep a record showing in each case the quantity sold or disposed of and the name and address of the person to whom such sales or deliveries were made, and shall produce such record for inspection when called upon to do so by any person authorized in writing in that behalf by the Commissioner of the District.

8. Within 6 days from the last day of each month commencing with the month of May, 1941, every person who, at any time during the preceding month, has had in his possession or under his control any quantity of barley in excess of 800 okes shall complete and deliver—

(a) in the case of a person residing in or carrying on business in a town to the Commissioner of the District in which such town is situated; or

(b) in the case of a person residing in or carrying on business in a village, to the mukhtar of the village in which he resides,

a return containing the particulars set forth in the Second Schedule hereto in respect of his dealings in barley.

9. Every person shall permit such person as the Commissioner of the District may authorize by writing in that behalf, to enter upon and inspect his premises for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Order have been or are being complied with, or for the purpose of checking the correctness or accuracy of any return made by such person under any of the provisions of this Order.

10. Any person who—

(a) acts in contravention of, or fails to comply with, any of the provisions of this Order; or

(b) makes, under any of the provisions of this Order, a declaration or return which is false in any material particular,

is liable to the penalties prescribed in regulation 94 of the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 1) 1941.

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

(Clauses 3 &amp; 5.)

## FORM OF RETURN.

*The Defence (Barley Control) Order, 1941.*

To the Commissioner/Mukhtar

.....District/Village.

This is my/our return for the stocks of barley in my/our possession (or under my/our control) now stored as herein below :—

(1)	(2)
Quantity of barley (okes)	Place or places where stored (full address)
(a) Threshed	
(b) Unthreshed	

Date .....

Signed .....

Town/Village .....

Note.—Quantities of unthreshed barley should be estimated on the yield of barley already threshed.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

(Clause 8.)

RETURN OF STOCKS OF BARLEY FOR THE MONTH OF.....

To the Commissioner/Mukhtar .....District/Village.

In compliance with clause 8 of the Defence (Barley Control) Order, 1941,

I/we .....

(full name)

of ..... hereby make the following return for my/our

(full address)

dealings in barley :—

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Quantity in stock on the date of last return	Quantity acquired during period between last return and last day of the month	Total of columns (1) & (2)	Quantity disposed of up to the last day of month	Quantity in stock on last day of month

Note : If this return is the first return made, the quantities shown in column (1) shall be the quantities held on the date on which the form of return set forth in the First Schedule was made.

Date .....

Signed .....

R. N. HENRY,

Acting Registrar of Co-operative Societies,

Food Controller,

Competent Authority.