

SCHEDULE.

The power to requisition any animal feeding stuffs or any commodities capable of being used for feeding animals, wherever they may be found, and the power connected with such requisitioning conferred by paragraphs (1), (2), (3) and (4) of regulation 66 of the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 5) 1941.

1. Commissioner of each District.
2. Registrar of Co-operative Societies.

Made at Nicosia, this 10th day of December, 1941.

(M.P. 1054/32.)

No. 303.

THE EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE) ACTS, 1939 AND 1940.

REGULATIONS MADE BY THE GOVERNOR.

C. C. WOOLLEY,
Governor.

I, the Governor, in exercise of the powers conferred by the Emergency Powers (Defence) Acts, 1939 and 1940, as extended to the Colony by the Emergency Powers (Colonial Defence) Order in Council, 1939, and the Emergency Powers (Colonial Defence) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1940, do hereby make the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Defence (Amendment No. 6) Regulations, 1941, and shall be read as one with the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 5) 1941, (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Regulations"), and the principal Regulations and these regulations may together be cited as the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 6) 1941.

Gazettes:
Supplement
No. 3:

3. 6.1940
7. 8.1940
23. 8.1940
9.10.1940
11.12.1940
29. 1.1941
30. 5.1941
18. 6.1941
23.10.1941
6.11.1941

Amendment
of regula-
tion 45.

2. Regulation 45 of the principal Regulations is hereby amended by the insertion immediately after paragraph (4) of the following paragraph:—

"(5) The Governor may, by order, if it appears to him expedient so to do, delegate to any person, subject to such limitations and directions as he may in such order provide, any of the powers conferred upon him by the preceding provisions of this regulation."

Insertion
of new
regulations
45A, 45B
and 79C.

3. The following regulations shall be inserted in the principal Regulations immediately after regulation 45:—

"Measures
for safety
of vessels
in port.

45A.—(1) Any person authorized by the Governor to act under this regulation (hereafter in this regulation referred to as "an authorized person") may give directions to the owner or master of any vessel which is for the time being at a port in the Colony requiring him—

(a) to take such steps as may be specified in the directions for the purpose of securing that, while the vessel remains at the port, fires occurring in the vessel as the result of hostile attack will be immediately detected and combated;

(b) to secure that, while the vessel remains at the port, either at all times or during such periods as may be so specified—

(i) in a case where the vessel is equipped with a gun or other instrument or device capable of being used to defend the vessel against hostile attack, that the gun, instrument or device will be manned; and

(ii) in a case where the vessel is a ship propelled by mechanical power, that she is capable of being moved under her own power immediately when ordered to do so;

(c) for the purpose of taking such steps or securing such matters as aforesaid, to secure that such number of persons, or such number of persons of such class or description, as may be so specified, shall be on board the vessel, either at all times while she remains at the port or during such periods while she so remains as may be so specified;

(d) to do or not to do such other things as may appear to the authorized person to be necessary or expedient to do or not to do for the purpose of securing the safety of the vessel or preventing her endangering other vessels or property at the port in the event of hostile attack.

(2) An authorized person may, in relation to any vessel, take such steps and use such force as may appear to that person to be reasonably necessary for securing compliance with any directions under this regulation relating to a vessel, or, where an offence against this regulation has occurred in the case of a vessel for enabling proceedings in respect of the offence to be effectually taken.

(3) The cost of taking any steps under the last foregoing paragraph in relation to a vessel for securing compliance with directions under this regulation shall be a debt due from the owner of the vessel to the Crown, and without prejudice to any other remedy may be recovered as a civil debt.

(4) In this regulation the expression 'owner', in relation to a vessel, includes the person having the management of the vessel.

Control
over
visitors to
ships.

45B.—(1) Any person authorized by the Governor to act under this regulation may, by directions given to the master of any ship which is for the time being at any port in the Colony, prohibit any person going on board the ship without the consent in writing of the person so authorized so long as the ship remains at the port, or during such periods while she so remains as may be specified in the directions.

(2) Any such directions may be given either generally with respect to all persons, not being officers or members of the crew of the ship or constables or servants of His Majesty acting in the course of their duty as such, or with respect to any particular person or class or description of persons.

(3) If any person goes on board a ship in contravention of directions given under this regulation, the master of the ship shall be guilty of an offence against this regulation.

Obligation
to perform
civil
defence
duties.

79c.—(1) The Governor may by order make provision—

- (a) for requiring that all persons, or all persons of either sex, being British subjects who, at the date of a notice published under the order, reside in any area to which the order applies or in such part thereof as may be prescribed and are of the age prescribed for their sex, shall be registered for the performance in that area of part-time air raid precaution duties ;
- (b) for the application of the order to such areas as the Governor may direct, being areas in which it appears to him that the number of persons voluntarily enrolled for air raid precaution duties is insufficient ;
- (c) for the appointment of a person to control and be in charge of the air raid precaution services as commandant of such services ;
- (d) for requiring persons registered in any area to be compulsorily enrolled for the performance in that area, or the part thereof prescribed as aforesaid, of part-time air raid precaution duties of such nature as may be directed by the commandant of air raid precaution services.

(2) No person shall be required to register under any such order who has not attained the age of eighteen years or has attained the age of sixty, and different ages may be prescribed for different sexes and different areas.

(3) It shall be the duty of every person enrolled under any such order for the performance of air raid precaution duties to comply with any direction given to him in accordance with the directions of the commandant of air raid precaution services [defining the nature of the duties to be performed by such person and the time, place and manner of their performance :

Provided that no person shall be required by any such directions to perform more than part-time duties.

(4) No person shall be entitled to any remuneration for performing the duties which he is required to perform by virtue of an order under this regulation.

(5) Any such order—

- (a) shall provide for enabling any person to obtain, on medical grounds or grounds of exceptional hardship, exemption from enrolment or release from duties under the order ; and

(b) may provide for the exemption from registration or enrolment, or for the release from duties, of such classes of persons as may be prescribed.

(6) The Governor may by order make provision with respect to tribunals for hearing such applications and appeals, with respect to duties imposed by this regulation, as may be specified in an order made under this regulation, and with respect to the procedure on such applications and appeals.

(7) The employer of any person required to perform any air raid precaution duties shall afford to such person every facility to enable him to perform such duties and shall not make any deduction from any wages or salary which would, but for such duties, be due or payable to such person, or otherwise seek to indemnify himself for any loss of the services of such person whilst performing any air raid precaution duties.

(8) In this regulation—

- (a) 'part-time duties' means duties which do not occupy in the aggregate more than forty-eight hours in each month ;
- (b) 'prescribed' means prescribed by an order made under this regulation or directions given under any such order."

Made at Nicosia, this 13th day of December, 1941.

(M.P. 69/40/2.)