

No. 201. THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE (EXPORT) LAW, 1933.

REGULATIONS MADE UNDER SECTION 8.

C. C. WOOLLEY,  
Governor.

I, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 8 of the Agricultural Produce (Export) Law, 1933, do hereby make the following regulations :—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Agricultural Produce (Sage leaves) Export Regulations, 1943, and shall come into force on the 11th June, 1943.

2. In these regulations :—

“ sage ” means the plants *Salvia cypria* Kotschy, *Salvia triloba* L and *Salvia grandiflora* Etling ;

“ Law ” means the Agricultural Produce (Export) Law, 1933 ;

“ inspector ” means the produce inspector for the place of inspection at which the sage leaves intended for export are submitted for examination.

3. No sage leaves shall be exported unless they have been inspected and passed by the inspector as fit for export and no sage leaves shall be passed as fit for export if such sage leaves—

(a) are not considered by the inspector likely to arrive at the destination to which they are consigned in marketable condition ; and

(b) are mouldy or contain loose stalks or any extraneous matter or contain moisture in excess of 12½ per centum.

4.—(1) Any person who intends to export any sage leaves shall give notice to the inspector at the place of exportation, stating the quantity of sage leaves to be shipped and the destination of the consignment and shall present the same for examination. Such notice shall be given and the consignment shall be presented for examination sufficiently in advance of the date on which it is proposed to ship the sage leaves to permit the examination to be carried out during normal working hours and in daylight.

(2) The sage leaves shall be—

(a) properly marked for export ;

(b) packed in clean sound hessian sacking or similar material in well-pressed bales ;

(c) stacked at a place of inspection approved by the Director of Agriculture and in such manner as the inspector may direct for the purpose of facilitating and expediting the inspection and grading.

5. The consignor shall pay to the Collector of Customs at the port of export a fee of 4½p. for every 100 okes or part thereof of sage leaves submitted for examination.

6. Not less than ten per centum of every consignment intended for export shall be inspected.

7. On presentation of the Customs export specification, the inspector shall enter thereon, in respect of any sage leaves which have been passed for export, the amount of fees payable for inspection and shall issue to the shipper a grading slip giving full particulars of the consignment which has been passed for export. The Customs Authorities shall not permit the shipment of any sage leaves unless the relative grading slip has been produced to them and such slip shall be retained by such authorities.

8. The inspector shall issue to the shipper in respect of any sage leaves which have been passed for export a certificate in the form set out hereto.

9. Each place of inspection shall in all respects be under the control of the inspector in charge of it and, with the exception of any shipper whose consignments are undergoing inspection, no member of the public shall have access to it without the express permission of the inspector.

10. Nothing in these regulations shall apply to trade samples not exceeding one-half oke in weight exported through the post.

SCHEDULE.

(Regulation 8.)

COLONY OF CYPRUS.

INSPECTION CERTIFICATE.

I certify that I have examined .....bales of sage leaves, consigned by..... of ..... to..... and that I have passed the consignment as fit for export in accordance with the Agricultural Produce Sage Leaves (Export) Regulations, 1943.

Produce Inspector,  
Department of Agriculture, Cyprus.

Date.....

Made in Council this 10th day of June, 1943.

(M.P. 880/29/3.)

T. S. BELL,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.