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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, the Emergency Powers (Colonial Defence) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1940, and the Emergency Powers (Colonial Defence) (Amendment) Order in Council, 1942, do hereby make the following regulations:—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Defence (Movement of Animals) Regulations, 1943.

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(2) The Interpretation Law, 1935, shall apply to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of a Law.

2. In these regulations—

“animal” means any bull, cow, heifer, ox, steer, calf, sheep, goat, swine, and the young of the same.

3. The Commissioner of the District may by order provide for regulating or prohibiting the movement or transport of any animal or the possession or control of any animal in such areas in the District and during such hours, as may be specified in the order and an order under this regulation may prohibit the movement or transport of any animal except under a permit granted by such authority or person as may be specified in the order and subject to such conditions as may be specified in the permit.

4. When the Commissioner of the District makes an order under regulation 3, copies of such order in Greek and Turkish shall be posted up in two conspicuous places in every village lying within the area affected by the order and thereupon the order shall be of full force and effect and shall be in operation within such area.

5. A copy of an order made under regulation 3, signed by the Commissioner of the District shall be conclusive evidence that such order has been made.

6. A notice by the Commissioner of the District, published in the *Gazette*, that copies of an order made under regulation 3 have been posted up as provided by regulation 4, shall be conclusive evidence of the posting up of such copies.

7.—(1) Any person who—

(a) contravenes or fails to comply with any order made under these regulations;

(b) contravenes or fails to comply with any condition contained in any permit issued under the provisions of regulation 3;

shall be guilty of an offence and shall be tried by any member of the District Court and on conviction shall be liable to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months or to a fine not exceeding twenty-five pounds or to both such imprisonment and fine and any animal the property of the accused in respect of which the offence has been committed shall be forfeited.

(2) For the purposes of any offence against these regulations the provisions of regulation 92 of the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 1) 1943, shall apply to these regulations as they apply to the said Regulations.

8. Any member of the Police Force may without warrant arrest any person found committing an offence under these regulations and may seize any animal in his possession.

9. Nothing in these regulations contained shall affect or prevent any proceedings against any person in respect of any other offence which he may have committed, in respect of any animal, within any area affected by an order made under these regulations.

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10. The Compounding of Offences Law, 1936, shall apply to any offence against these regulations as it applies to the offences set out in the Schedule to that Law.

Made at Nicosia, this 16th day of June, 1943.

(M.P. 482/43.)