the turn of irrigation and the distribution of such water, due regard being also had to the quantity of water available and to the number of donums of land to be irrigated by each proprietor.

16. The Committee may with the consent of the Commissioner enter into any agreement or arrangement with the Committee of any other Irrigation Division formed under the provisions of the Law with regard to any dams or channels which are shared in common between the Irrigation Division and such other Irrigation Division, the maintenance thereof and the proportion of any contribution for any expenses incurred in connection therewith to be paid by the Irrigation Division.

17.—(1) Upon an application to the Commissioner signed by not less than two-thirds of the proprietors mentioned in the list requesting that the Irrigation Division be dissolved, the Commissioner shall call a meeting of the proprietors for the purpose of determining whether the Irrigation Division should be dissolved.

(2) Every meeting so convened shall be held in the presence of the Commissioner at the time and place appointed and if at such meeting a majority of two-thirds of the proprietors or the authorized proxies thereof who are present decide that the Irrigation Division should be dissolved, the Irrigation Division shall be so dissolved accordingly:

Provided that all rates due and unpaid on the date of dissolution shall be levied and paid as if the Irrigation Division had not been dissolved.

(3) The provisions of sections 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of the Law with respect to public meetings shall apply mutatis mutandis to a meeting convened under the provisions of this rule.

(4) Any money in the hands of the Committee or the treasurer at the time of the dissolution of the Irrigation Division and any money recovered at any time thereafter on account of the rates due and unpaid at the time of such dissolution, shall be paid to the Commissioner and shall be passed in the books of the Commissioner to the credit of the village of Ayios Konstantinos and shall be utilized by the Commissioner for such purpose of public utility in the village of Ayios Konstantinos as may be approved by him.

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THE DEFENCE (BOATS REGULATION LAW) REGULATIONS, 1945.

INCREASE OF RATES.

By virtue of the authority vested in me under the Defence (Boats Regulation Law) Regulations, 1945, published under Notification No. 157 in Supplement 3 to Gazette No. 3183 of the 7th June, 1945, I hereby direct that, as from the 4th day of June, 1945, the rates for the conveyance of Passengers and Luggage within the limits of Ports in the Island, as set out in the First Schedule of the Direction, Orders and Regulations of the 26th July, 1928, published under Notification No. 478 in Gazette No. 1934 of the 27th July, 1928, as amended by Notification No. 1043 in Gazette No. 2024 of the 27th December, 1929, shall be increased by 100 per centum.

Famagusta,
11th June, 1945.

W. H. MACKAY,
Comptroller of Customs.

(M.P. 1463/21/2.)