

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) LAW.

CAP. 65.

ORDER MADE BY THE GOVERNOR UNDER SECTION 4.

R. P. ARMITAGE,

Governor.

In exercise of the powers vested in me by section 4 of the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Law, I, the Governor, do hereby order as follows :—

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1. This Order may be cited as the Dogs (Importation) (Amendment) Order, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Dogs (Importation) Order, 1951 (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Order") and the principal Order and this Order may together be cited as the Dogs (Importation) Orders, 1951 and 1954.

2. Paragraph 4 of the principal Order is hereby amended as follows :—

(a) by the deletion therefrom of sub-paragraph (1) and the substitution therefor of the following :—

"(1) A dog landing in Cyprus in pursuance of a permit as in paragraph 3 hereof provided shall be detained and isolated at the expense of the owner or importer for a period of six months from the date of its landing, in premises under the control of the Director of Agriculture (hereinafter called a 'place of detention') :

Provided that the Director of Agriculture may in his discretion and subject to such conditions as to him may seem fit to impose authorize the detention and isolation of a dog in a place other than a place of detention if satisfied that such dog—

- (i) is imported direct from the United Kingdom by sea without transshipment ; or
- (ii) is a bona fide performing dog." ;

(b) by the addition thereto of the following sub-paragraph :—

"(2) The provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to a dog which—

- (i) is imported from the United Kingdom on a vessel or aircraft which has not called at any port or place during the journey from the United Kingdom to Cyprus ; or
- (ii) is imported from the United Kingdom by aircraft in a journey not exceeding twenty-four hours and in a kennel sealed in the United Kingdom by an approved veterinary surgeon and with an approved seal attached to a continuous piece of wire around the kennel so as to prevent the removal of the dog from the kennel without breaking the wire :

Provided that in either case such dog shall be accompanied by a certificate issued by a Veterinary Inspector of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries to the effect that it has not been imported into the United Kingdom during the six months preceding the date of exportation to Cyprus." ;

(c) by the re-numbering of sub-paragraph (2) thereof as sub-paragraph (3).

Made at Nicosia, this 27th day of March, 1954.

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