No. 9. THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE EXPORT REGULATIONS, 1953 TO 1954.

Notice under Regulation 14 (b).

In exercise of the powers vested in me by regulation 14 (b) of the Agricultural Produce Export Regulations, 1953 to 1954, I, the Director of Agriculture, do hereby direct that until further notice musk melons and water melons intended for export to any market outside Cyprus shall be packed in wood wool in cases or trays, the dimensions of which are specified below, made of new clean wood which has been dried to a maximum moisture content of 15 per cent :-

2.—(i) Musk melons, including honeydews, shall be packed in cases of

the following dimensions:-

Internal height of ends 16 to 22 cm.

Internal width 37 cm. External length 61 cm.

(ii) The cases shall be constructed of wood of the following thickness:— Ends 16 mm.

Top, bottom and side staves 7 mm.

(iii) The cases shall be fastened with two wire or strip metal bands to the satisfaction of the Produce Inspector.

3.—(i) Water melons shall be packed in trays of the following dimensions:—

Internal height of ends 18 to 20 cm.

Internal width 40 cm. External length 61 cm.

(ii) The minimum thickness of the timber shall be:-Ends 8 mm.

Bottom and sides 6 mm.

(iii) The trays shall at either side of the bottom have one cleat and in the internal corners of the tray there shall be triangular pieces of timber which shall protrude in such a way so as to fit the space left at the end of the bottom cleat.

(A specimen tray will be kept available for inspection at the Produce

Inspection Offices of Famagusta, Larnaca, Limassol and Paphos).

4. Musk melons including honeydews may be packed in trays as prescribed in paragraph 3 above.

5. The number of the fruits contained in each case or tray shall be clearly marked on the case or tray.

Dated this 5th day of January, 1955.
W. ALLAN,

(M.P. 8043/54.)

Director of Agriculture.

No. 10. THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE EXPORT REGULATIONS,

1953 TO 1954.

Notice under Regulation 14 (b). In exercise of the powers vested in me by regulation 14 (b) of the Agricultural Produce Export Regulations, 1953 to 1954, and further to Notification No. 260 of 20th May, 1953, I, the Director of Agriculture, do hereby direct that until further notice, potatoes graded as "New Potatoes", and packed in wooden cases with moist peat moss as directed in paragraph 1 of the notice dated the 20th May and published under Notification No. 260 in Supplement No. 3 to the Gazette of the 21st May, 1953, shall be packed in cases :-

(1) having the following dimensions:— Internal height 18 cm. Internal width 40 cm. External length 74 cm.

(2) constructed of wood which has been adequately dried to a maximum moisture content of 15 per cent, and shall have the following thicknesses:—

Ends 16 mm.

Top, bottom and side staves 7 mm.

(3) the net content of which shall be 72 lb.

(4) the inside of which shall be lined with paper in such a manner as to protect the contents, to the satisfaction of the Produce Inspector.

Dated this 5th day of January, 1955.

W. ALLAN,

(M.P. 8043/54.)

Director of Agriculture.

No. 11.

THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE EXPORT REGULATIONS, 1953 TO 1954.

Notice under Regulation 14 (b).

In exercise of the powers vested in me by regulation 14 (b) of the Agricultural Produce Export Regulations, 1953 to 1954, I, the Director of Agriculture do hereby direct that until further notice grapes intended for export to any country shall be packed as follows:—

- 1. (a) In trays made of 14 pieces of timber, free from large knots, which shall be dried to a maximum moisture content of 15 per cent.
 - (b) The dimensions of the trays shall be:—

Internal width 34 cm.

Internal height up to the top of ends 8 cm.

External length 50 cm.

(c) The minimum thickness of the timber shall be:—

Ends 9 mm.

Side staves 6 mm.

Bottom staves 5 mm.

- (d) Each side of the tray shall be constructed of one single piece of timber; the bottom of the tray shall be constructed of four pieces of timber. At either side of the bottom of the tray there shall be one cleat. In the internal corners of the tray there shall be triangular pieces of timber which shall protrude in such a way so as to fit the space left at the end of the bottom cleats.
- (A specimen tray will be kept available for inspection at the Produce Inspection Offices of Famagusta, Larnaca, Limassol and Paphos).
- 2. The grapes in the tray shall be properly protected with perforated paper to the approval of the Produce Inspector.
- 3. The grapes together with the paper, shall be tied with cord or other material of such a strength, and in such a manner, as shall be approved by the Produce Inspector, and
- 4. Grapes of the varieties other than sultana may be protected with cork dust and packed in wooden cases the dimensions of which shall be approved by the Produce Inspector.

Dated this 5th day of January, 1955.

W. Allan, Director of Agriculture,

(M.P. 8043/54.)