NOTICE TO IMPORTERS. GOODS IMPORTED FROM HONG KONG.

Admittance to Preferential Duty.

Importers of merchandise from Hong Kong are hereby notified that under section 199 of the Customs Management Law, 1954, in order that goods consigned from and grown, produced or manufactured in Hong Kong may be admitted to preference on import into Cyprus, Collectors of Customs and Excise will in future require that, in addition to the ordinary combined form of invoice and certificate of origin, such goods are satisfactorily attested by the following documents :--

- (a) For all goods for which a rate higher than 25% is stipulated as the necessary proportion of their total value resulting from labour within a Commonwealth country—a Public Accountant's certificate of Imperial Preference in the form of Appendix I hereunder.
- (b) For all goods for which it is stipulated that at least 25% of their total value must be the result of labour within a Commonwealth country
 - either (i) A Public Accountant's Certificate as at (a) above; or (ii) A Hong Kong Certificate of Origin in the form of Appendix II hereunder.

2. The notice to importers published in the *Gazette* of the 17th June, 1938, under Notification No. 470 is hereby cancelled.

T. J. HUDSON, Comptroller of Customs and Excise.

Famagusta,

17th March, 1955.

APPENDIX I.

IMPERIAL PREFERENCE.

REPORT ON EXPORT OF HONG KONG MANUFACTURED GOODS. Articles Exported :----

Date of Export..... Name of Ship..... Destination Quantity..... Marks and Numbers.....

are satisfied that during this period the goods manufactured therein of the type in the above shipment contain not less than per cent British Commonwealth content, ascertained in accordance with the Regulations of the country of destination of the goods.

Public Accountants.

CERTIFICATE BY HONG KONG GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL.

I HEREBY CERTIFY :

- (a) that the Accountants whose names appear above are recognised accountants under the arrangements promulgated by the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the 24th day of February, 1938, for checking claims to Preference on Hong Kong Manufactured goods ;
- (b) that the factory in which the goods are manufactured is periodically inspected by inspectors of the Department of Commerce and Industry

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of the Hong Kong Government ; and that the goods shipped under this certificate are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, those to which this certificate relates.

Director of Commerce and Industry, Hong Kong.

Date :

APPENDIX II. ORIGINAL ER GOVERNMENT OF HONG KONG.

CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN.

I hereby certify that evidence has been produced to satisfy me that the goods specified hereunder have been manufactured, processed or produced in Hong Kong by

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Address

Description of Goods	Trade marks (if any)	Quantity	Type of packing and number	Shipping Marks
to be shipped per S.S.				
from Hong Kong to	·····	on		195

Date :

(M.P. 1313/54.)

Director, Department of Commerce and Industry.

No. 173.

THE SHOP ASSISTANTS LAW.

CAP. 159.

NOTICE BY THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOUR.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 6 of the Shop Assistants Law, read in conjunction with item 12 of the Second Schedule thereto, it is hereby declared that any shop within the Municipal limits of Nicosia, Kyrenia and Larnaca may be kept open on Sunday, April 3rd, 1955, from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. on the occasion of the visit to Larnaca of the group of passengers on board m/v Nieuw Amsterdam.

Given this 11th day of March, 1955.

(M.P. 1354/50/2.)

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C. A. ASHIOTIS, Acting Commissioner of Labour.