No. 251.

THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) (CYPRUS) ORDER, 1946.

ORDER MADE BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY UNDER DEFENCE REGULATION 61.

In exercise of the powers vested in me by virtue of my appointment by the Governor as Competent Authority for the purposes of Defence Regulation 61, as set out in the First Schedule to the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) (Cyprus) Order, 1946 (which continues in force in consequence of the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1954), I hereby order as follows:—

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- 1. This Order may be cited as the Supplies and Services (Opening of Shops) Order, 1955.
 - 2. In this Order—
 - "shop" means any premises or place within the municipal limits of the towns of Nicosia, Larnaca, Limassol, Famagusta, Paphos and Kyrenia, and all the rural municipalities, where any foodstuffs are sold, whether by wholesale or by retail, or where any such foodstuffs are made or prepared for sale, and includes any municipal market.
- 3. Subject to the provisions of the public instruments set out in the Schedule hereto from and after the 15th day of April, 1955, all shops shall open and remain open from eight o'clock in the forenoon to six o'clock in the afternoon on every day, except Sundays:

Provided that in the case of any municipal market, the Municipal Council concerned may permit, by public notification, such market to close at any time during the afternoon earlier than six o'clock.

- 4. Any shop-keeper or any other person, whether having the control, management or charge of a shop or not who acts in contravention of, or fails to comply with, any of the provisions of this Order, shall be liable to the penalties prescribed in the Defence Regulations as set out in the First Schedule to the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) (Cyprus) Order, 1946.
- 5. The Supplies and Services (Opening of Shops) Order, 1954, is hereby cancelled.

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SCHEDULE.

- 1. The Shop Assistants (Afternoon Weekday) Closing Order.
- 2. The Shop Assistants (Closing Hours) Variation Order, 1952.
- 3. The Summer Afternoon Recess Orders, 1954.

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Made this 12th day of April, 1955.

J. FLETCHER-COOKE, Colonial Secretary, Competent Authority.

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