3. Compensation shall be paid to the persons having an interest on the land for its use and occupation under this Order.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

All that area of privately-owned property situated in the village of Pano

Platres, that is to say:—

The property known as the PETIT PALAIS HOTEL, PLATRES, being plots Nos. 123 and 510 of the Pano Platres Village Plan and comprising land, buildings and all appurtenances thereto, more particularly defined as the area coloured red on the plan signed by the Assistant Director of Hirings, Cyprus, dated the 5th December, 1955, a copy of which is deposited in the office of the Commissioner, Limassol.

Made this 9th day of December, 1955.

No. 787.

THE VILLAGES (ADMINISTRATION AND IMPROVEMENT) LAWS, 1950 AND 1953.

ORDER MADE UNDER SECTION 22 (a) (i).

Authority to the Improvement Board of Trikomo to contract a loan.

J. W. SYKES,

Administrative Secretary.

In exercise of the powers vested in me by section 22 (a) (i) of the Villages (Administration and Improvement) Laws, 1950 and 1953, I, the Administrative Secretary, do hereby order as follows:—

- 1. The Improvement Board of Trikomo (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") shall be at liberty to borrow from the Loan Commissioners (hereinafter referred to as "the Lenders") a sum not exceeding five hundred pounds (£500) at a rate of interest not exceeding four per centum (4%) per annum, subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—
 - (a) the sum borrowed shall be repayable by the Board to the Lenders in eight equal annual instalments (comprising sinking fund and interest);
 - (b) the sum borrowed shall be utilized by the Board for asphalting the village streets.
- 2. For the purpose of securing the repayment of the sum under loan, the Board shall, subject to any prior mortgage thereon, mortgage to the Lenders all the rates, fees, rents, tolls or charges now payable or hereafter to become payable to the Board.

Made this 9th day of December, 1955.

(M.P. 1155/51.)

No. 788.

THE RURAL CONSTABLES LAW. CAP. 267 AND LAWS 46 OF 1954 AND 59 OF 1955.

REGULATIONS MADE UNDER SECTION 19H.

In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 19H of the Rural Constables Law, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following Regulations:—

r. These Regulations may be cited as the Rural Constables (Leave and Gratuities) Regulations, 1955.

2. In these Regulations:-

Interpreta-

"Calendar year" means the period between the 1st January and the tion. 31st December.

"Law" means the Rural Constables Law.

3.—(1) In each calendar year rural constables shall be eligible for 21 Leave. days vacation leave on full pay but such leave or any part thereof shall in no case accumulate from year to year.

(2) Applications for vacation leave shall be submitted in writing to the Commissioner at least one week in advance of the date on which the leave will commence, through the Mukhtar, who, in forwarding the application to the Commissioner, shall indicate thereon whether or not the Village Commission raises any objection to the grant of the leave applied for.

(3) The Commissioner shall be at liberty to approve or refuse the leave applied for, having regard to the circumstances prevailing at the parti-

cular village at the time.

- (4) The Commissioner may, in exceptional cases, dispense with the requirements of paragraph (2) of this Regulation, and grant leave to a rural constable on the grounds of urgent private affairs, but such leave shall be confirmed in writing as soon as it has been granted.
- 4.—(1) In each calendar year every rural constable shall, on the recommendation of a Medical Officer, be eligible for 14 days sick leave on full pay which leave may be extended for a further period of 21 days on half pay.

(2) A further period of sick leave without pay up to a maximum of two months may be granted on the recommendation of a District Medical Officer or of a Medical Board appointed to report on the rural constable's

health

5.—(1) There shall be opened and kept in each district, under the Constables of the Commissioner, an account to be called "the Rural Constables of Gratuity Account." (hereinafter referred to as "the Account.") into which there shall be paid each year the amount to be annually assessed for the purpose by the Village Commission under section 19E of the Law, as well as the Government contribution under section 19F thereof.

(2) Out of the Account, gratuities shall be paid from time to time to retiring rural constables or to the dependants of any deceased rural constable in accordance with the provisions set out in Part IIA of the Law.

- 6. The Commissioner shall keep a general ledger to be called "the Rural Constables Gratuity Ledger" in which all entries connected with the operation of the Account shall be made, and shall contain such particulars as the Commissioner may think fit.
- 7.—(1) The Commissioner shall take such measures or cause such measures to be taken as to ensure that the amount annually assessed for the purpose by the Village Commission is duly paid into the Account, and that the Government contribution is also recovered.
- (2) The Commissioner shall notify Government, not later than the 31st day of August in each year, of the amount of the Government contribution required to be made to the Account in the following year.

8. All gratuities payable out of the Account shall be subject to the

approval of the Commissioner.

9. These Regulations shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of November, 1954, and shall apply to any rural constable who on that date was eligible for a gratuity under section 198 of the Law.

Made this 6th day of December, 1955.

By Command of His Excellency the Governor,

J. W. Sykes, Administrative Secretary.

(M.P. 1169/55.)