

reason of the imminence of active service it is necessary for the public service that Her Majesty's Forces in the Colony subject to the Army Act should be temporarily subject to the said Army Act as if they were on active service for a period of three months from the 26th day of May, 1956.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Nicosia,
this 23rd day of May, 1956.

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No. 432.

THE AIR FORCE ACT.
(7 & 8 Geo. 5.)

PROCLAMATION UNDER SECTION 189.

JOHN HARDING,
Governor.

Whereas by sub-section (2) of section 189 of the Air Force Act of the United Kingdom, as continued in force by Act of Parliament for the time being, it is provided, *inter alia*, that where the Governor of a Colony in which any part of Her Majesty's air force is serving declares at any time that, by reason of the imminence of active service, it is necessary for the public service that the force in the Colony should be temporarily subject to the Air Force Act, as if it was on active service :

And whereas by a Proclamation dated the 3rd day of December, 1955, and published in the *Gazette* of that date, it was declared that by reason of the imminence of active service it was necessary for the public service that Her Majesty's air force in the Colony subject to the Air Force Act should be temporarily subject to the said Air Force Act as if it was on active service for a period of three months from the date of the said declaration (hereinafter referred to as "the said declaration") :

And whereas by sub-section (3) of the said section 189 of the Air Force Act it is provided that if at any time during the aforesaid period the Governor is of opinion that the necessity continues he may from time to time renew the said declaration for another period not exceeding three months :

And whereas by a Proclamation dated the 23rd day of February, 1956, and published in the *Gazette* of that date, the said declaration was renewed for another period of three months from the 3rd day of March, 1956 :

And whereas the last-mentioned period expires on the 2nd day of June, 1956 :

And whereas I am satisfied that, by reason of the imminence of active service, it is necessary for the public service that the air force in the Colony should be temporarily subject to the Air Force Act, as if it was on active service :

And whereas Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies has given his consent to the making of a declaration as aforesaid :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in me by the said section 189 of the Air Force Act, and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, the Governor, do hereby declare and proclaim that by reason of the imminence of active service it is necessary for the public service that Her Majesty's Air Force in the Colony subject to the Air Force Act should be temporarily subject to the said Air Force Act as if it was on active service for a period of three months from the 3rd day of June, 1956.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony at Nicosia,
this 23rd day of May, 1956.

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