

SUPPLEMENT No. 3

THE CYPRUS GAZETTE No. 3951 OF 7TH JUNE, 1956. SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION.

No. 465. THE EMERGENCY POWERS ORDERS IN COUNCIL, 1939 AND 1952.

REGULATIONS MADE BY THE GOVERNOR UNDER SECTION 6.

JOHN HARDING,

Governor.

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 6 of the Emergency Powers Orders in Council, 1939 and 1952, I, the Governor, do hereby make

the following Regulations:-

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Emergency Powers (Public Short title. Safety and Order) (Amendment No. 8) Regulations, 1956, and shall be read as one with the Emergency Powers (Public Safety and Order) Regulations, 1955 to (No. 7) 1956 (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Regulations"), and the principal Regulations and these Regulations may together be cited as the Emergency Powers (Public Safety and Order) Regulations, 1955 to 14.12.1955 (No. 8) 1956.

Gazettes : Supplement No. 3: 26.11.1955 8.12.1955 16.12.1955 12. 1.1956 14. 1.1956 28. 1.1956 1. 5.1956.

2. The principal Regulations are hereby amended by the insertion Insertion of therein, immediately after Regulation 38, of the following new Regulation:— 38A.—(1) The Governor, if he considers it necessary or ex-"Danger pedient in the public interest so to do, may, by Order to be principal areas. published in the Gazette, declare any area within the Colony Regulations. to be a danger area.

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(2) The limits and extent of every danger area shall be demarcated at the site by such means as will, in the opinion of the Governor, make apparent to persons in or about the area concerned that such area has been declared a danger area.

(3) No person shall enter or remain in a danger area, and any person who fails to comply with the provisions of this paragraph shall be guilty of an offence against these Regulations:

Provided that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to members of Her Majesty's Forces and of the Cyprus Police Force in the performance of their duty or to any person accompanied by such member:

Provided further that the Commissioner of the District in which a danger area is situated may suspend, at his absolute discretion, the operation of this paragraph in respect of the danger area or any part thereof for such period or periods as he may deem fit, and he may likewise terminate such suspension and declare this paragraph to be in operation.

(4) Any member of Her Majesty's Forces or of the Cyprus Police Force may within a danger area take such measures, including means dangerous or fatal to human life, as he considers necessary to ensure that no person prohibited from entering or remaining in a danger area shall enter or remain in such area.

(5) No claim of any kind shall accrue to, or in respect of any injury sustained by, any person as a result of his having entered or remained in a danger area in contravention of the provisions

of paragraph (3) of this Regulation:

Provided that the provisions of this paragraph shall not preclude the Governor from awarding compensation if, in the particular circumstances under which a person sustaining injury entered or remained in a danger area, the Governor considers it equitable to award such compensation.

(6) The provisions of Regulation 46 of these Regulations, relating to the payment of compensation for the taking of possession of land under Regulation 44 of these Regulations, shall apply, *mutatis mutandis*, in respect of any land within a danger area as they apply to land possession of which has been taken under Regulation 44 of these Regulations."

Insertion of new Regulation 63A in the principal Regulations.

signals.

3. The principal Regulations are hereby amended by the insertion therein, immediately after Regulation 63, of the following new Regulation:—
"Sound 63A.—(1) The Commissioner of the District may by Order.

63A.—(1) The Commissioner of the District may, by Order, prohibit, within such area as may be specified in the Order, the sounding of sirens, hooters or any form of sound signal.

(2) Any Order made under paragraph (1) of this Regulation

shall not apply—

- (a) to sirens, hooters or any form of sound signal used by the Cyprus Police Force or members of Her Majesty's Forces or the use of which is otherwise authorized by the Commissioner of the District; or
- (b) to hooters used on vehicles.
- (3) The Commissioner of the District may, by an Order made under paragraph (1) of this Regulation, or by a subsequent Order, direct that an 'alarm signal' and an 'all-clear signal' shall be in force in such area as may be specified in the Order. Unless the Commissioner of the District otherwise specifies in the Order, the 'alarm signal' shall be in a wailing note on the siren and the 'all-clear signal' shall be a continuous single note on the siren.
- (4) The Commissioner may, by any Order referred to in paragraph (3) of this Regulation, direct the steps which shall be taken by members of the public upon the sounding of the 'alarm signal' and until the sounding of the 'all-clear signal' and, without prejudice to the generality of the power aforesaid, any such Order may in particular provide—

(a) that upon the sounding of the 'alarm signal' all vehicles shall be drawn to the side of the road and shall remain stationary until the sounding of the 'all-clear signal';

(b) that upon the sounding of the 'alarm signal' all pedestrians shall stand clear of the streets and pavements as far as is reasonably possible for them to do so and shall not walk about until the sounding of the 'all-clear signal'.".