

SUPPLEMENT No. 3

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THE CYPRUS GAZETTE No. 3976 OF 6TH SEPTEMBER, 1956. SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION.

No. 847. THE COLONIAL PRISON SERVICE MEDAL.

REGULATIONS.

JOHN HARDING, Governor.

Whereas Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased by Royal Warrant dated the 28th October, 1955, to approve the creation of a medal to be designated "The Colonial Prison Service Medal" to be awarded by the Governor or Officer Administering the Government of the Colony to subordinate members of the Prison Service in the Colony, in accordance with such regulations as to grant, forfeiture, restoration and other matters, as may be issued or approved from time to time by the Governor or Officer Administering the Government with the prior approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue and hereby issues, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies the following Regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Colonial Prison Service Medal Regulations, 1956.

2. The Colonial Prison Service Medal will be granted as a reward for long service and good conduct to all staff in the Prison Service of Cyprus, below the rank of Assistant Superintendent or a comparable rank, who on or after the 28th October, 1955, shall have completed eighteen years' continuous service as hereinafter defined.

A Clasp will also be granted to a recipient of the Medal on his completing twenty-five years' qualifying service, and a further Clasp on completing thirty years' qualifying service. For each Clasp so awarded a small silver rose may be added to the ribbon when worn alone.

3. Qualifying service in the Prison Service of other Colonies or Territories under Her Majesty's Protection or Administration may be allowed to reckon towards the required period of qualifying service, if the total period of such service amounts to not less than eighteen years: Provided, however, that where service has been rendered in more than one such territory as aforesaid an interval not exceeding twelve months between any two periods of service shall not be regarded as breaking the continuity of such service ; provided also that a break in service not exceeding six calendar months in any one such territory shall not be regarded as breaking the continuity of such service.

4. For the purpose of these Regulations service shall only be reckoned as qualifying service if it is certified that the character and conduct of the person recommended for the grant of the Medal or Clasp has been exemplary. By exemplary character is meant—

- (i) the possession of four good conduct badges;
- (ii) a record of six years' uninterrupted good conduct from the day after the award of the fourth good conduct badge; and
- (iii) a record showing not more than four bad entries in the Defaulter Sheet during the whole period of service.

5. Recommendations for the award of the Medal or Clasp shall be submitted by the Director of Prisons to the Governor or the Officer Administering the Government. The medal will be awarded on the authority of the Governor or the Officer Administering the Government and a notification of such award shall be published in the *Cyprus Gazette*.

- 6. (a) A recipient of the Medal or Clasp who is convicted of a criminal offence or is dismissed or removed from the Prison Service for misconduct shall forfeit the Medal and Clasp unless the Governor or the Officer Administering the Government shall otherwise direct.
- (b) A Medal or Clasp so forfeited may be restored to the recipient by the Governor or Officer Administering the Government at his discretion.
- (c) A notice of forfeiture or restoration shall in every case be published in the Cyprus Gazette.

Made at Nicosia, this 31st day of August, 1956.

(M.P. 1649/51.)

No. 848.

THE CRIMINAL CODE.

CAP. 13 AND LAWS 27 OF 1949, 12 OF 1951, 28 OF 1952, 4 OF 1953, 45 OF 1953, 28 OF 1954, 20 OF 1955 AND 13 OF 1956.

ORDER IN COUNCIL No. 2865

MADE UNDER SECTION 60 (d).

Whereas by the Unlawful Association (E.O.K.A.) Order, 1955, which was published in Supplement No. 3 to the *Gazette* of the 15th September, 1955 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Order"), the organization commonly known as "E.O.K.A." ("National Organization of Cypriot Combatants") was declared, under paragraph (d) of section 60 of the Criminal Code, to be used for the promotion of disorder and of the spread of sedition within the Colony and to be proscribed within the Colony :

And whereas it is provided, *inter alia*, under the said paragraph (d) of section 60 of the Criminal Code that any such order made under the said paragraph shall remain in force for a period of twelve months from the date of its publication in the *Gazette* and no longer unless renewed for such further period or periods, not exceeding twelve months at any one time, as the Governor in Council may direct by order published in the *Gazette*:

And whereas it is considered desirable to renew the said Order for a further period of twelve months :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in him by paragraph (d) of section 60 of the Criminal Code, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Unlawful Association (E.O.K.A.) (Continuance) Order, 1956.

2. The Unlawful Association (E.O.K.A.) Order, 1955, is hereby renewed for a further period of twelve months as from the 15th September, 1956.

Ordered this 31st day of August, 1956.

By Command of His Excellency the Governor,

R. G. SHERIDAN, Clerk of the Executive Council.