

No. 337.

THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1940 TO (No. 7) 1942.

ORDER MADE BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY UNDER REGULATION 61.

In exercise of the powers vested in me by virtue of my appointment by the Governor as the Competent Authority for the purposes of regulation 61 of the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 7) 1942, I hereby order as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Defence (Control of Electrical Equipment) Order, 1942.

2. Within seven days of the date of the publication of this Order in the *Gazette* every person who has in his possession or under his control any of the articles described in the first Schedule hereto not already incorporated in any structure or manufactured article shall complete and deliver to the Electrical and Mechanical Engineer of the Public Works Department in duplicate a return in the form set forth in the Second Schedule hereto in respect of all stocks of such articles in his possession or under his control, expressed in the unit set out against the name of such article.

3. Every person selling, whether by wholesale or retail any of the articles described in the First Schedule hereto shall keep on his premises such books or records as may be necessary to enable him to submit within two days after the end of each month to the Electrical and Mechanical Engineer a monthly return in the form of the Third Schedule hereto, and shall submit such return monthly.

4. From and after the date of publication of this Order in the *Gazette* no person shall sell or otherwise dispose of any of the articles described in the First Schedule hereto except under and in virtue of a permit issued under the hand of the Electrical and Mechanical Engineer and delivered either to the seller or to the prospective purchaser: Provided that no permit shall be required for the sale in any one day or in any single transaction of any quantity of any article described in the First Schedule hereto, not exceeding the quantity given in such Schedule.

5. Every person shall permit such person as I or the Commissioner of the District or the Electrical and Mechanical Engineer may authorize in writing in that behalf to enter upon his premises for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Order have been or are being complied with or for the purpose of checking the correctness or accuracy of any entry made in any books or records kept under the provisions of clause 3 of this Order or of any return made under the provisions of clauses 2 or 3 of this Order.

6. Any person who—

- (a) acts in contravention of, or fails to comply with, any of the provisions of this Order ;
- (b) makes in any book or record kept under the provisions of clause 3 of this Order any entry which is false in a material particular ; or
- (c) makes, under any of the provisions of this Order, any return which is false in any material particular,

is liable to the penalties prescribed in regulation 94 of the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 7) 1942.

7. The Defence (Returns of Stocks of Essential Engineering and Building Construction Materials) Orders, 1941 and 1942, in so far as they relate to electric motors, electric generators, electric switches domestic, electric power switch gear exceeding 20 ampere rating, electric wire, V.I.R., or twisted flex, electric cable cable or lead covered, are hereby revoked without prejudice to anything done or left undone thereunder.

11.12.1941

9. 2.1942

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Item.	Article	Unit	Quantity
1.	<i>Electric motors</i> (voltage, size and type)	No.	Nil
2.	<i>Electric generators</i> (voltage, size and type) <i>Lighting Supplies.</i>	No.	Nil
3.	Switches	No.	6
4.	Fuse bases and carriers	No.	3
5.	Cutouts	No.	3
6.	Ceiling roses	No.	3
7.	Sockets	No.	3
8.	Plugs	No.	6
9.	Lampholders (bayonet or screw type)	No.	6
10.	<i>Switch gear and accessories</i> (10 ampere rating and above) <i>Wires and Cables.</i>	No.	Nil
11.	V.I.R. (by size)	Yards	100
12.	Lead sheathed (by size)	"	Nil
13.	Tough rubber sheathed (by size)	"	Nil
14.	Flexible cords (by size)	"	50
15.	<i>Lamps</i> (voltage, wattage and type) <i>Wiring Supplies.</i>	No.	12
16.	Bare copper wires (by size)	Yards	Nil
17.	Insulators (size and type)	No.	Nil
18.	Aerial fuses (size and type)	No.	Nil
19.	Connectors (size and type) <i>Winding Supplies.</i>	No.	Nil
20.	Enamelled and cotton covered wires (by gauge)	Lbs.	Nil
21.	Insulating materials	Yds. or Sq. Ft.	Nil
22.	Insulating Varnishes	Pint	Nil

SECOND SCHEDULE.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item No.	Article	Unit	Quantity	Specification or brief description	Place or places where stored (full address)

THIRD SCHEDULE.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Item No.	Article	Unit	Quantity held at date of last return	Quantity since received into store	Quantity distributed during the month	Quantity in store at end of month

Date..... (Signed).....

B. J. SURRIDGE,
Controller of Supplies,
Competent Authority.