

No. 293.

THE OLIVES AND OTHER CROPS (PROTECTION) LAW, 1938.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 3 (2).

In exercise of the powers vested in him by sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Olives and Other Crops (Protection) Law, 1938, His Excellency the Governor, upon the recommendation of the District Council (Mejlis Idaré) in the District of Paphos, has been pleased to suspend during the year 1943 the operation of paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the said Law in respect of all the villages and groups of villages situate within the District of Paphos.

Dated the 14th day of August, 1943.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. G. RICHARDS,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

(M.P. 1490/37.)

No. 294. THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1940 TO (No. 1) 1943. ✓

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. 1) 1943, I hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Defence (Licensing of Certain Goods) Order, 1943.

2.—(1) From and after the date of the publication of this Order in the *Gazette* no person shall deal, sell or have in his possession or control any of the goods described in the First Schedule hereto without a licence from the Commissioner of the District:

Provided that nothing in this clause shall apply to any goods in the possession or under the control of any person if such goods—

(a) are the produce of Cyprus and have been grown by such person;

(b) being foodstuffs—

(i) are held by such person for his reasonable domestic requirements for one month or for such other period as may be provided under any other order with regard to such foodstuffs in force for the time being;

(ii) are held in premises occupied by keepers of restaurants or coffee shops for consumption on such premises by the public.

(2) A licence may be issued or refused at the discretion of the Commissioner of the District.

3. Any person desiring to obtain a licence under this Order shall apply to the Commissioner of the District in the form set out in the Second Schedule hereto giving the particulars therein set out.

4. A licence issued under this Order may contain such terms, limitations and conditions as the Commissioner of the District may think fit to impose.

5.—(1) Every licence issued under this Order shall expire on the 31st day of December next following the date of issue but may be cancelled before that date by the Commissioner of the District if the holder thereof is convicted by a Court for any contravention of this Order or of any term, limitation or condition contained in any licence issued to the holder under this Order, or of any other order made by a Competent Authority—

(a) for controlling the prices at which any articles may be sold; or

(b) for regulating or prohibiting the treatment, keeping, storage, movement, transport, sale, purchase, distribution or use of any articles; or

(c) for regulating or prohibiting the slaughter of animals.

(2)—(a) Upon the expiration of a licence issued under the provisions of this Order, the same may be renewed or not at the discretion of the Commissioner of the District.

(b) The renewal of any such licence may be granted upon presentation of such licence to the Commissioner of the District without any application in that behalf under clause 3 of this Order and may be effected by a note to that effect made thereon, subject to such terms, limitations and conditions as the Commissioner of the District may think fit to impose upon such renewal.

(c) The provisions of this Order shall apply to a licence renewed as in this sub-clause provided as they apply to the original licence issued under the provisions of clause 2 of this Order.

6. When the Commissioner of the District refuses to renew any licence upon its expiration, the following provisions shall have effect, that is to say:—

(a) for the purpose of enabling the holder of the expired licence to dispose of such of the goods, described in the licence, as may be in his possession or