

No. 265.
THE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE (EXPORT) LAW, 1933.

REGULATIONS MADE UNDER SECTION 8.

C. C. WOOLLEY,
Governor.

I, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 8 of the Agricultural Produce (Export) Law, 1933, do hereby make the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Agricultural Produce (Fresh Fruit) Export Regulations, 1946, and shall come into force on the 8th day of August, 1946.

2. In these regulations—

“fresh fruit” means any fruit mentioned in the First Schedule to these regulations.

“Law” means the Agricultural Produce (Export) Law, 1933.

“inspector” means the produce inspector appointed for the place of inspection at which the fresh fruit intended for export is presented for examination.

“Packages” includes any boxes or crates.

3.—(1) Any person who intends to export any fresh fruit shall give notice in writing to the produce inspector at the place of exportation stating the quantity of such fruit to be shipped and the destination. The consignment shall be presented for examination sufficiently in advance of the time of shipment to permit the examination to be carried out in day light.

(2) The consignment shall be stacked at the place of inspection approved by the Director of Agriculture in such manner as the inspector may direct for the purpose of facilitating and expediting the inspection.

4. No fresh fruit shall be exported unless it has been inspected and passed by the inspector as fit for export and no such fruit shall be passed as fit for export if such fresh fruit:

(a) is not considered by the inspector as likely to arrive at the destination to which it is consigned in a marketable condition;

(b) is not free from insect pests and other diseases;

(c) shows signs of bruising or crushing or other skin disfigurements.

5.—(1) All fresh fruit intended for export shall be packed in new clean boxes or crates which are planed inside and outside and are covered inside with grease paper or other suitable paper approved by the inspector:

Provided that the Director of Agriculture, if satisfied that the provisions of sub-paragraph (1) of this regulation cannot be complied with owing to shortage of the materials required therefor, may permit in writing under his hand the use of such other paper as to him may seem fit.

(2) No box or crate of fresh fruit shall have a nett weight exceeding 16 okes if packed with plums or 10 okes if packed with apricots or cherries.

6. The fresh fruit in any package shall be of the same kind and, as far as possible, of uniform size and colour.

7. The inspector shall open and inspect not less than 10 per centum of the packages forming each consignment and shall not refuse an export certificate unless he has opened and examined at least 20 per centum of the consignment.

8. Any consignment of fresh fruit which the inspector has refused to pass shall, at the discretion of the inspector, either be removed from the place of inspection within 24 hours or be re-selected and sorted at the place of inspection.

9. On presentation of the Customs export specification, the inspector shall enter thereon, in respect of any fresh fruit which he may have passed

as fit for export, the amount of the fees payable for inspection and re-inspection, and shall issue to the shipper an inspection certificate, giving full particulars of the consignment which has been passed for export. The Customs Authorities shall not permit the shipment of any fresh fruit unless the relative inspection certificate has been produced to them.

10. The consignor shall pay to the Collector of Customs at the port of export a fee of one half piastre for every package submitted for examination or re-examination.

11. The inspector shall issue to the shipper in respect of any fresh fruit which has been passed for export a certificate in the form set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

12. The place of inspection shall be in all respects under the control of the inspector in charge of it and, with the exception of any shipper whose consignment is undergoing examination, no member of the public shall have access to it without the express permission of the inspector.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

(Regulation 2.)

Cherries.
Apricots.
Plums.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

(Regulation 11.)

COLONY OF CYPRUS. No.....

INSPECTION CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have examined not less than 10 per centum of a consignment of..... marks..... consigned by..... of..... to..... of..... per s/s..... and that I have passed the consignment as fit for export in accordance with the Agricultural Produce (Fresh Fruit) Export Regulations, 1946.

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Produce Inspector,
Department of Agriculture, Cyprus.

Date.....

Made in Council, this 29th day of July, 1946.

(M.P. 615/46.)

C. R. C. DONALD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

No. 266. THE BURIALS LAWS, 1896 AND 1937.

ORDER BY THE GOVERNOR MADE UNDER SECTION 14.

With reference to Notification No. 271 published in *Gazette Supplement* No. 3 of the 5th August, 1943, it is ordered that from and after the 15th August, 1946, no burial shall take place in the old burial-ground of the Christian Orthodox community of the village of Potamitissa in Limassol District in lieu whereof the burial-ground referred to in the said Notification has been provided.

(M.P. 1419/12/2.)