NOW, THEREFORE, the Ministry, after such consultation as is required by the said Section 6, and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by the said sections of the Act and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations, that is to say :

(**1**)—Sales of pigs by a producer to a curer shall be exempt from the provisions of Section 5 of the Act.

(**2**)—These regulations may be cited as the Bacon Industry (Exempt Sales) (No. 3) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1939, and shall come into operation on the first day of December, Nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this 30th day of November, Nineteen hundred and Thirty-nine, in the presence of

(L.S.) *D. A. E. Harkness,*
Assistant Secretary.

Registered Agreements.

ORDER, DATED 5TH DAY OF JULY, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER SECTION 5 (7) OF THE BACON INDUSTRY ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1939.

1939. No. 101.

Whereas by sub-section (2) of Section 5 of the Bacon Industry Act (Northern Ireland), 1939 (hereinafter referred to as " the Act "), it is provided, *inter alia*, that for the purposes of the Act a registered agreement shall be deemed to exist in any case where—

(*a*) a producer has registered with the Ministry of Agriculture (hereinafter referred to as " the Ministry ") agreements to supply in any year not more than thirty pigs to curers subject to the following provisions of that sub-section, and

(*b*) each such curer has notified the Ministry that he will accept from the said producer during the year such number of pigs, not exceeding thirty, as may have been agreed upon between the curer and producer :

And Whereas by sub-section (7) of Section 5 of the Act it is provided that for the purposes of sub-section (2) of that section the period beginning on the date of the commencement of that section and ending on the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, shall be treated as a year, and references in the said sub-section to thirty pigs shall, as respects that period, be construed as referring to such number of pigs, less than thirty, as may be prescribed :

And Whereas by Section 23 of the Act it is provided, *inter alia*, that the Ministry may make regulations prescribing anything which is to be prescribed ;

Now, therefore, the Ministry, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by the said Section 23 and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order, that is to say :—

1.—References in sub-section (2) of Section 5 of the Act to thirty pigs shall, as respects the period beginning on the first day of September, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, and ending on the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, be construed as referring to ten pigs.

2.—This Order may be cited as the Bacon Industry (Registered Agreements) Order, 1939, and shall come into operation on the date hereof.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland this fifth day of July, nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, in the presence of

(L.S.) *D. A. E. Harkness,*
Assistant Secretary.

CIVIL AUTHORITIES (SPECIAL POWERS).

Explosive Ingredients.

1939. No. 88.

WHEREAS certain Regulations for Peace and Order in Northern Ireland are contained in the Schedule to the Civil Authorities (Special Powers) Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, and it is provided by sub-section (3) of section 1 of the said Act that the Minister of Home Affairs shall have power to make Regulations (*a*) for making further provision for the preservation of the Peace and Maintenance of Order, and (*b*) for varying or revoking any provision of the Regulations, whether contained in the said Schedule, or made as aforesaid, and that any Regulations made as aforesaid shall, subject to the provisions of the said Act, have effect and be enforced in like manner as Regulations contained in the said Schedule :

NOW, THEREFORE, I, The Right Honourable Sir Richard Dawson Bates, Bart., D.L., M.P., Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, do make the following Regulation for making further provision for the preservation of the Peace and Maintenance of Order, and the said Regulation shall be enforced and have effect in like manner as Regulations contained in the said Schedule, and the said Regulation now made, and the Regulations contained in the said Schedule shall have effect and be construed as if the said Regulation now made formed part of said Regulations in said Schedule, that is to say :—

3B. (1) It shall be unlawful for any person (other than a person selling by retail) to be in possession of, purchase, sell, transfer, or otherwise dispose of potassium chlorate or aluminium powder in excess of 4 lbs. avoirdupois without