EMERGENCY LAWS

CONTINUANCE

1953 No. 1768

The Emergency Laws (Continuance) Order, 1953

Made - - - - 4th December, 1953

At the Court of Saint James, the 4th day of December, 1953

Present,

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother.
Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret.

Lord Chancellor — **Mr. Thomas**
Mr. Sandys — **Sir David Eccles**

Whereas Her Majesty, in pursuance of the Regency Acts, 1937 to 1953, was pleased, by Letters Patent dated the twentieth day of November, 1953, to delegate to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother, Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester, Her Royal Highness The Princess Royal and the Earl of Harewood, or any two or more of them, as Counsellors of State, full power and authority during the period of Her Majesty's absence from the United Kingdom to summon and hold on Her Majesty's behalf Her Privy Council and to signify thereat Her Majesty's approval of anything for which Her Majesty's approval in Council is required:

And Whereas by section seven of the Emergency Laws (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1947(a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1947") it is provided that if an Address is presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament praying that any Defence Regulations specified in Part II or Part III of the First Schedule to that Act or any enactments contained in Part I of the Emergency Laws (Transitional Provisions) Act, 1946(b) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1946") should be continued in force for a further period not exceeding one year from the time at which they would otherwise expire, Her Majesty may by Order in Council direct that the Regulations and enactments to which the Address relates shall continue in force for that further period:

And Whereas an Address has been presented to Her Majesty by each House of Parliament praying that such of the said enactments and Regulations as are specified in the Schedule to this Order, which would otherwise expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three, should be continued in force for a further period of one year until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four:

And Whereas by subsection (2) of section eight of the Act of 1947 it is provided that where an Order in Council is made under section seven of that Act continuing any Defence Regulations for any period falling after the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty, that Order in Council

(a) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 10. (b) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 26.

may make provision for enabling any Defence Regulations continued in force in colonies and other territories by virtue of section eighteen of the Act of 1946 to be continued in force for that period:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret, being authorized thereto by the said Letters Patent, and in pursuance of the Act of 1947 and of all other powers enabling Her Majesty in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, on Her Majesty's behalf order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. The enactments specified in Part I of the Schedule to this Order, which would otherwise expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three, shall continue in force for a further period of one year until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four, unless previously revoked.

2. The Defence Regulations specified in Part II of the Schedule to this Order, which would otherwise expire on the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three, shall continue in force for a further period of one year until the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four, unless previously revoked.

3. The powers exercisable under section eighteen of the Act of 1946 shall be exercisable, in relation to any Defence Regulations remaining in force by virtue of that section and Article 3 of the Emergency Laws (Continuance) Order, 1952(a), when this Order is made, as if, in paragraph (*a*) of subsection (1) of that section as amended by subsection (1) of section eight of the Act of 1947, for the reference to the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty, there were substituted a reference to the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-four.

4. This Order may be cited as the Emergency Laws (Continuance) Order, 1953.

W. G. Agnew.

SCHEDULE

PART I

Enactments

Subsection (1) of section three of the Act of 1946 (which, as amended by section four of the Act of 1947, extends certain provisions of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous War Provisions) Act, 1940, relating to wheat and land drainage).

Section six of the Act of 1946 (which extends the Sugar Industry Act, 1942).

PART II

Defence Regulations

The following Regulations of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, namely,—

Regulation fifty-two (Use of land for purposes of Her Majesty's forces);

Regulations eighty-two, eighty-three, eighty-four, and eighty-five (False documents and false statements, obstruction, restrictions on disclosing information and entry upon, and inspection of, land);

Regulations ninety-one to ninety-three, ninety-seven to one hundred and two, and one hundred and five (General, administrative, legal and supplementary provisions).

Parts I, II, III and IX and Schedules I and II of the Defence (Agriculture and Fisheries) Regulations, 1939.

(a) S.I. 1952/2095; 1952 I, p. 945.

Parts I and II and Schedule I of the Defence (Agriculture and Fisheries) (Northern Ireland) Regulations, 1940.

Regulations one and six of the Defence (Armed Forces) Regulations, 1939.

Regulation one and paragraphs (4) to (10) of Regulation five of the Defence (Burial, Inquests and Registration of Deaths) Regulations, 1942.

Regulations one and two and paragraphs (3), (4) and (5) of Regulation three of the Defence (Patents, Trade Marks, etc.) Regulations, 1941.

The whole of the Defence (Sale of Food) Regulations, 1943.

1953 No. 1770

The Emergency Laws (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Colonies, etc.) Order in Council, 1953

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And Whereas section eighteen of the Emergency Laws (Transitional Provisions) Act, 1946(a) (hereinafter called " the Act of 1946 "), as amended by section eight of the Emergency Laws (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1947 (hereinafter called " the Act of 1947 ")(b), enabled provision to be made by Order in Council for the continuation in force until the tenth day of December, 1950, of Defence Regulations having effect in colonies and other territories, and provision was so made by the Emergency Laws (Transitional Provisions) (Colonies, etc.) Order in Council, 1946 (hereinafter called " the Order of 1946 ")(c), and the Emergency Laws (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Colonies, etc.) Order in Council, 1947(d):

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 26.
(b) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 10.
(c) S.R. & O. 1946/255; 1946 II, p. 36.
(d) S.R. & O. 1947/2862; 1947 II, p. 20.