

Health Act, 1875, and every other power enabling Us in this behalf, make the following regulations, and declare that they shall be enforced and executed by the Port Sanitary Authority for the Port of London :—

Definitions.

ART. 1.—In this Order—

The term "Ship" includes vessel or boat :

The term "Officer of Customs" includes any person acting under the authority of the Commissioners of Customs :

The term "Master" includes the officer or person for the time being in charge or command of a ship :

The term "Sanitary Authority" means the Port Sanitary Authority of the Port of London :

The term "Medical Officer of Health" includes any duly qualified Medical Practitioner appointed by the Sanitary Authority to act in the execution of this Order.

ART. 2.—If any Officer of Customs, on the arrival of any ship in the Port of London, shall ascertain from the Master of such ship or otherwise that there are on board such ship Rags exported from Egypt which it is intended should be landed within the jurisdiction of the Sanitary Authority, such Officer of Customs shall forthwith give notice thereof to the Sanitary Authority.

ART. 3.—The Master of a ship shall not allow any such Rags to be landed therefrom until he has been furnished by the consignee of the Rags, or some person duly authorized by him, and acting on his behalf, with a certificate signed by the Medical Officer of Health to the effect that such such consignee or other person has given notice to the Sanitary Authority that he is prepared immediately on the Rags being landed to cause them to be conveyed, with such precautions as the Medical Officer of Health may deem necessary, to some place approved by the Medical Officer of Health, such place being specified in the said notice.

ART. 4.—The consignee or other person giving the notice aforesaid shall, immediately that the Rags are landed, cause them to be conveyed with such precautions as the Medical Officer of Health may deem necessary, to the place specified in the notice ; and the Rags shall not be removed therefrom except with the express authority in writing of the Medical Officer of Health.

ART. 5.—The Medical Officer of Health may give the authority referred to in Article 4 of this Order, either conditionally or unconditionally ; and if such authority is given subject to conditions as to the disinfection or otherwise of the Rags, either before or after their removal, or as to their destruction, the consignee of the Rags shall cause them to be removed and shall comply with such conditions, and it shall be the duty of the Medical Officer of Health to satisfy himself that the conditions are fully complied with.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this first day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.



Hugh Owen, Secretary.

Charles W. Dilke,
President.

NOTICE.—The Public Health Act, 1872, provides by Section 52, which is extended to the Metropolis by Section 53 of the Sanitary Law Amendment Act, 1874, that any person wilfully

neglecting, or refusing to obey or carry out, or obstructing the execution of any regulation made under 52 of the Sanitary Act, 1866, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *Fifty Pounds*, and Section 130 of the Public Health Act, 1875, makes similar provision as to regulations under that Section.

ORDER of the Local Government Board.
Cholera Regulations (Egyptian Rags): General.

To all Port Sanitary Authorities, except the Port Sanitary Authority for the Port of London ;—

To all Urban and Rural Sanitary Authorities whose districts include or abut on any part of a customs port, which part is not within the jurisdiction of any Port Sanitary Authority ;—

To all Officers of Customs ;—

To all Medical Officers of Health of the Sanitary Authorities aforesaid ;—

To all Masters of Ships ;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS We, the Local Government Board, by an Order bearing date the 12th day of July, 1883, made certain rules and regulations with a view to the treatment of persons affected with Cholera, and for preventing the spread of the disease ;

And whereas Cholera is now prevalent in Egypt, and it is expedient that further rules and regulations should be made with reference to Ships having on board bales of Rags exported from Egypt and consigned to this country :

Now therefore We, the Local Government Board, do, by this our Order, and in exercise of the power conferred on Us by Section 130 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and every other power enabling Us in this behalf, make the following regulations, and declare that they shall be enforced and executed by the several Authorities hereinafter named :—

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The term "Medical Officer of Health" includes any duly qualified Medical Practitioner appointed by a Sanitary Authority to act in the execution of this Order :

For the purposes of this Order so much of a customs port abutting on an Urban or Rural Sanitary District as is nearer to such District than to any other, and is not included within the jurisdiction of any Port Sanitary Authority, shall be deemed to be within such District.

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