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And whereas it is expedient further to amend the said Regulations in manner hereinafter appearing:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following amendments be made in the said Regulations:—

1. After Regulation 2E the following regulation shall be inserted:—

“2F. Where in anticipation of the issue of an order or requisition by the Admiralty, or Army Council, or Minister of Munitions under these regulations, the whole or any part of the output of any factory or workshop or any goods have been delivered to or put at the disposal of the Admiralty, or Army Council, or Minister of Munitions, then, if such order or regulation is subsequently made, the output or part thereof or goods shall be deemed to have been delivered or put at the disposal of the Admiralty, or Army Council, or Minister of Munitions in compliance with such order or requisition.”

2. After Regulation 14E there shall be inserted the following regulation:—

“14F. If any British subject, without a special permit issued by or under the authority of a Secretary of State, voluntarily enters any enemy country save in the course of military operations, or fails to comply with any condition subject to which such a special permit has been granted, he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations.

“In this regulation the expression ‘enemy country’ shall include any foreign territory in the military occupation of the enemy, but shall not include any territory in the military occupation of His Majesty or His Allies.”

3. After Regulation 15C, the following regulation shall be inserted:—

“15D. The occupier of every agricultural holding in Great Britain, if so directed by any general or special order of the Army Council, shall supply such information relating to the holding as may be required by the order, giving such particulars in such form, and at such times, and to such authority or person as may be directed by the order, including particulars as to the cultivation of the holding, the live stock thereon, the persons employed or living thereon, and the persons, who having been employed thereon since the commencement of the war, have joined any of His Majesty's forces, and if any person fails to comply with any order made by the Army Council under this regulation or knowingly gives any false information, he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations.

“For the purposes of this regulation ‘agricultural holding’ means any piece of land which is wholly agricultural or wholly pastoral, or part agricultural, and as to the residue pastoral, or in whole or in part cultivated for the purposes of the trade or business of market gardening and ‘occupier’ includes any person for the time being having the management of the holding.”

4. After Regulation 24A the following regulation shall be inserted:—

“24B. On and after the first day of December nineteen hundred and sixteen, no person shall, without a permit issued by or under the authority of the Admiralty or Army Council,

transmit, consign, convey, or export from the United Kingdom to any person in any neutral country in Europe or America, or to any person in any enemy country, any printed or written matter except such as is hereinafter expressly excepted, and the competent naval or military authority, or any person authorised by him, may examine any such matter so transmitted, consigned, conveyed, or exported, or intended to be so transmitted, consigned, conveyed, or exported, and may forward the matter, or any part thereof, to an officer appointed to censor postal correspondence.

“If any person wilfully acts in contravention of this regulation, or if any person fails to comply with any condition, subject to which a permit under this regulation has been granted, he shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations; and if such person is a company, every director and officer of the company shall also be guilty of an offence against these regulations unless he proves that the contravention took place without his knowledge or consent.

“This regulation shall not apply to ship's papers nor to patent specifications sent with the authority of the Board of Trade, nor shall it apply to letters and other postal correspondence, trade circulars and catalogues, bills of lading, invoices and similar trade documents, cheques, bills of exchange and other negotiable or valuable securities, dispatched in accordance with any Post Office regulations for the time being in force.

“For the purposes of this regulation the expression ‘enemy country’ shall include any territory in the military occupation of the enemy, but shall not include any territory in the military occupation of His Majesty or His Allies, and the expression ‘printed and written matter’ shall include photographs and other pictorial representations.

“This regulation shall be in addition to and not in derogation of the provisions of any enactment, order, proclamation or regulation, respecting the export of merchandise or trading with the enemy, and shall not prejudice or affect the powers of censoring postal correspondence.”

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 6th day of *November*, 1916.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Aliens Restriction (Consolidation) Order, 1916 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Order), His Majesty, in the exercise of the powers conferred by the Aliens Restriction Act, 1914, has been pleased to impose restrictions on aliens, and to make various regulations for carrying these restrictions into effect.

And whereas the principal Order has been extended and amended by subsequent Orders in Council, and it is expedient further to extend and amend the provisions of the principal Order in manner hereinafter appearing:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. In Article 12 of the principal Order after the word “thereafter” there shall be inserted the words “or so long as the order remains in