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PART I.—GENERAL.
GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE) ACT, 1939.

DEFENCE Regulation made by the Officer Administering the Government of Ceylon by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 1 of the Emergency Powers (Defence) Act, 1939, of the Imperial Parliament, as adapted, modified and extended to Ceylon by the Emergency Powers (Colonial Defence) Order in Council, 1939.

By His Excellency's command,

E. R. SUDBURY,
Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, November 6, 1939.

REGULATION.

The Defence (Finance No. 2) Regulations, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 8,525 of October 11, 1939, are hereby amended in regulation 2 thereof, by the omission of the two provisos to paragraph (4) of that regulation and by the insertion of the following new proviso at the end of that paragraph:—

“ Provided that the Controller may issue a licence under paragraph (1) in respect of any goods, notwithstanding that payment for such goods is to be made in a currency other than that of the territory to which such goods are to be consigned, if it is proved to his satisfaction—

- (a) that such goods are to be exported in pursuance of a contract entered into before the eleventh day of October, 1939; or
- (b) (i.) that the custom of the trade or the law of the territory to which such goods are to be consigned requires payment therefor to be made in a currency other than that of such territory; and
- (ii.) that insistence on the condition that the payment for such goods must be made in the currency of such territory will cause undue hardship to the exporter or be detrimental to the interests of the trade of Ceylon.”

RESCINDING ORDER.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Order dated September 20, 1939, fixing maximum prices above which sugar and potatoes shall not be sold within the administrative limits of the town of Nuwara Eliya and other areas mentioned in the schedules to that Order and published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 8,513 of September 23, 1939, is hereby rescinded so far as it relates to sugar only by virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3, sub-section 13 (a), of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 43 of 1939.

IAN M. DE SILVA,
for W. HOLMES,

Nuwara Eliya, November 3, 1939.

Deputy Controller of Prices, Nuwara Eliya District.