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THE CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS EMERGENCY REGULATIONS 1946

MICHAEL MYERS, Administrator of the Government

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 12th day of June, 1946

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL

Pursuant to the Emergency Regulations Act, 1939, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

- 1. These regulations may be cited as the Cinematograph Films Emergency Regulations 1946.
 - 2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires,— "Discharged servicemen" has the same meaning as in Part I of the Rehabilitation Act, 1941:
 - "License" means an exhibitor's license under the Cinematograph Films Act, 1928, and includes a license to an itinerant exhibitor:
 - "Licensing officer" means the officer appointed to receive applications for and to issue licenses.
- 3. The licensing officer, in considering applications for licenses or transfers of licenses, shall have regard to the desirability in the public interest of re-establishing discharged servicemen in civil life.
- 4. In any case where the licensing officer is of opinion that the re-establishment of discharged servicemen in civil life will be facilitated thereby, he may refuse to grant a new license to a person other than a discharged serviceman.
- 5. The licensing officer may refuse to grant a transfer of a license to any person who is not a discharged serviceman if he is satisfied that there is a suitable discharged serviceman ready and willing to purchase as a going concern the business in respect of which the license is in force.

- 6. The Director of Rehabilitation, or an officer in the service of the Crown authorized by the Director in that behalf, shall be entitled to make representations and to produce evidence to the licensing officer, or on any investigation deemed necessary by the licensing officer, with respect to the subject-matter of any application made to the licensing officer.
- 7. Any discharged serviceman desirous of obtaining a license may make representations and produce evidence to the licensing officer, or on any investigation deemed necessary by the licensing officer, with respect to any application made to the licensing officer for the transfer of any license.

W. O. HARVEY, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Industries and Commerce.