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THE DOGS REGISTRATION EMERGENCY REGULATIONS 1942

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 25th day of February, 1942.

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. P. FRASER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to the Emergency Regulations Act, 1939, His Excellency the Governor-General, 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 Dogs Registration Emergency Regulations 1942.
- 2. These regulations shall come into force on the date of notification in the Gazette of the making hereof.*
 - 3. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires,—

"The Act" means the Dogs Registration Act, 1908:

- "Local authority" means a local authority as defined by the Act.
- 4. If, after due inquiry, any local authority is unable to obtain dog-collars for the purpose of complying with the provisions of sections 5 and 7 of the Act, such local authority may, in respect of registrations to be in force until the 1st day of January, 1943, in lieu of issuing new collars, issue a certificate in the form prescribed in the Schedule hereto indicating that the registration fee has been paid and authorizing the continued use of the old collar or label.
- 5. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Dogs Registration Act, 1908, until the 1st day of January, 1943,—
 - (a) A dog shall be deemed prima facie to be duly registered if it is wearing a collar having affixed thereto a registration label issued in respect of registration in force (by virtue of the extension effected by the Dogs Registration Emergency Regulations 1941†) until the 1st day of March, 1942; and
 - (b) A dog shall be deemed to be duly registered if it is wearing a collar as in paragraph (a) of this regulation and if in addition a certificate under Regulation 4 has been issued in respect of the registration of such dog.

* See end note. † Statutory Regulations 1941, Serial number 1941/256, page 821.

- 6. Certificates to be issued under Regulation 4 shall be numbered consecutively, and the number of each one issued shall be noted in the register-book provided for in the Act.
- 7. (1) Any local authority proposing to adopt the method of registration prescribed by these regulations shall forthwith upon the coming into force of these regulations publicly notify in a newspaper circulating in the district, and again at one week's interval, its intention to adopt such method of registration.
- (2) Every person who, after the 1st day of April, 1942, has in his following or keep any dog wearing a label permitted by Regulation 5 hereof, which dog has not been registered in accordance with these regulations, is liable to a fine not exceeding £5.

SCHEDULE.

THE DOGS REGISTRATION ACT, 1908.

This is to certify, for the purposes of the Dogs Registration Emergency Regulations 1942, that the fee for the registration in force until the 1st day of January, 1943, of the dog in respect of which collar (label) marked was issued has been paid and that the continued use of the said collar is authorized until the 1st day of January, 1943.

Registrar.

..... (Name of local authority).

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

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act, 1936.

Date of notification in Gazette: 26th day of February, 1942.

These regulations are administered in the Department of Internal Affairs.

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