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Exercise of Electors' Rights by Seamen at Special Licensing Poll.

**LIVERPOOL, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this eleventh day of March, 1919.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and four of the Licensing Act, 1908, the Governor-General in Council is empowered to make regulations for the guidance of Returning Officers and other persons engaged in the conduct of licensing polls and prescribing whatever he thinks necessary in order to give effect to that Act :

And whereas the licensing poll authorized by the Licensing Amendment Act, 1918, is about to take place on the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen :

And whereas by section four of that Act it is provided that such licensing poll shall be taken in the same manner as if it were taken simultaneously with an electoral poll on a general election of members of Parliament, and that the provisions of the Licensing Act, 1908, shall apply accordingly, with all necessary modifications, so far as may be necessary for the purposes of such licensing poll :

And whereas the Licensing Act, 1908, in its application to such licensing poll is subject to necessary modification in respect of the exercise under section ninety-one thereof of electors' rights issued to seamen :

And whereas it is necessary to make provision accordingly in order to give due effect to the provisions of the Licensing Amendment Act, 1918, with regard to the said licensing poll :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of New Zealand, in the exercise of the authority conferred upon him by section three hundred and four of the Licensing Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes aforesaid.

REGULATIONS.

1. AN elector's right issued to a seaman under section 89 of the Licensing Act, 1908, may, for the purposes of the special licensing poll to be taken under the Licensing Amendment Act, 1918, on the 10th day of April, 1919, be exercised in accordance with section 91 of the Licensing Act, 1908, at

any time after the 20th day of March, 1919, and before the hour of closing the poll on the polling-day.

2. Every reference in section 91 of the Licensing Act, 1908, to the day of the issue of a writ shall be read accordingly as a reference to the 20th day of March, 1919.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amending Order in Council fixing the Maximum Price of Flour.

**LIVERPOOL, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this eleventh day of March, 1919.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Regulation of Trade and Commerce Act, 1914, it is enacted that at any time when His Majesty is at war with any foreign State the Governor-General may, by Order in Council gazetted, fix and determine the maximum price in New Zealand of any class of goods :

And whereas, in pursuance of the authority so conferred on him, the Governor-General did, by Order in Council dated the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, fix and determine, *inter alia*, the maximum price of flour in New Zealand :

And whereas it is now expedient to amend the said Order in Council in the manner hereinafter set forth :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the authority conferred on him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, doth hereby amend the said Order in Council of the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto ; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said authority, doth hereby declare that this Order in Council shall come into operation on the day after the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

CLAUSES 1 and 3 of the First Schedule to the said Order in Council are hereby amended by omitting the words "shall be £15 10s. per ton," and substituting therefor the words "shall be £15 per ton."

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.