

Registrar without the direction in writing of the Board, and all entries shall be made in the order in which the directions to make the same are received by the Registrar.

(7) The Registrar shall also keep an alphabetical index of the names of the persons entered in the register, and such index shall be deemed to be part of the register.

(8) The direction in writing of the Board referred to in subclause (6) of this clause shall be sufficient if signed by the Chairman and given pursuant to a resolution of the Board.

15. (1) A copy certified by the Registrar of any entry in the register shall be *prima facie* evidence of such entry and of the facts appearing therein, and a certificate under the hand of the Registrar of the absence of an entry in the register shall be *prima facie* evidence of the facts stated in such certificate.

(2) Any person may inspect the register on payment of the fee hereinafter prescribed.

(3) Any person may, on payment of the fee hereinafter prescribed, obtain a copy certified under the hand of the Registrar of the particulars entered in the register in respect of any person.

QUALIFICATIONS OF APPLICANTS FOR REGISTRATION.

16. Save as otherwise expressly provided in these regulations, every person shall on application and payment of the fee hereinafter prescribed, be entitled to be registered as a dairy factory manager who—

(a) On the coming into force of these regulations is employed as manager of a creamery or a cheese-factory or both; or

(b) Though not so employed as provided in paragraph (a) hereof, is, by virtue of qualifications and experience, in the opinion of the Board competent to perform the duties of manager of a creamery or a cheese-factory or both;

and who, in either case,—

(c) Is in the opinion of the Board of good character and reputation.

17. Upon resolving that a person is entitled to be registered the Board shall determine whether he is to be registered as entitled to a creamery manager's certificate, a cheese-factory manager's certificate, or a creamery and cheese-factory manager's certificate, according to the provisions of the next succeeding clause hereof.

18. (1) If it is decided that a person is entitled to be registered solely because he is employed on the coming into force of these regulations as manager of both a creamery and a cheese-factory he shall be registered as entitled to a creamery and cheese-factory manager's certificate.

(2) If it is so decided solely because he is employed on the date aforesaid as manager of a creamery he shall be registered as entitled to a creamery manager's certificate.

(3) If it is so decided solely because he is employed on the date aforesaid as manager of a cheese-factory he shall be registered as entitled to a cheese-factory manager's certificate.

(4) If in the opinion of the Board a person is competent to perform the duties of manager of both a creamery and a cheese-factory he shall be registered as entitled to a creamery and cheese-factory manager's certificate.

(5) If in the opinion of the Board a person is competent to perform the duties of manager of a creamery but not of a cheese-factory, or of a cheese-factory but not of a creamery, he shall be registered as entitled in the first case to a creamery manager's certificate and in the second case to a cheese-factory manager's certificate.

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION.

19. (1) Every application for registration under these regulations shall be in writing in the form numbered 2 in the Schedule hereto, addressed to the Board, and shall be accompanied by the prescribed fee, and shall state an address at which notices may be served and to which other communications and documents may be forwarded pursuant to these regulations.

(2) Every applicant for registration and every holder of a certificate of registration shall notify the Board from time to time of any change of the address aforesaid.

(3) Any notification required by these regulations to be served on any applicant for registration (whether before or after registration) shall be sufficient if signed by the Registrar and posted by registered post addressed to the applicant at the address stated by him in his application or any fresh address notified by him as hereinbefore provided.

(4) The Board may require evidence to be furnished to it by written statement, declaration of identity, statutory declaration, or otherwise of the age, the good character and reputation, the competency, the employment or training as a dairy-factory manager, or in the manufacture of dairy-produce of an applicant for registration or any other matters as to which the Board is required to be satisfied as regards any applicant for registration.

CERTIFICATES OF REGISTRATION.

20. (1) Every person registered under these regulations shall upon registration and without express application or further fee be entitled to receive an appropriate certificate of registration.

(2) Every person registered under these regulations shall after the expiration of the certificate issued under subclause (1) of this clause be entitled from time to time thereafter on application made in writing in the form numbered 4 in the Schedule hereto and accompanied by the prescribed fee to receive an appropriate certificate of registration.

(3) Every certificate of registration shall be issued under the hand of the Registrar, and shall remain the property of the Board, and shall be surrendered on demand in writing made by the authority of the Board.

(4) Every certificate of registration shall be in accordance with the form numbered 3 in the Schedule hereto.

(5) When any certificate has been damaged, lost, or destroyed, a duplicate certificate (endorsed as such) shall be issued on payment of the prescribed fee, provided that the previous certificate has been returned to the Board or that it is proved to the satisfaction of the Board that such previous certificate has been lost or destroyed.

21. (1) Every certificate of registration issued on or after the 1st day of May in any year and prior to the 1st day of August next following shall take effect on such 1st day of August and (unless previously revoked) continue in force until and including the 31st day of July in the next succeeding year:

Provided that upon the registration of any person on or after the 1st day of May in any year and prior to the 1st day of August next following there may also be issued to such person, if he so desires, a certificate that shall take effect upon the issue thereof and (unless previously revoked) continue in force until and including the 31st day of July in the same year.

(2) Every certificate of registration issued on or after the 1st day of August in any year or prior to the 1st day of May in any year shall take effect upon the issue thereof and (unless previously revoked) continue in force until and including the 31st day of July next following the issue thereof.

REMOVAL OF NAMES FROM REGISTER.

22. (1) The Board may cause to be removed from the register the name of every person who—

(a) Is proved to the satisfaction of the Board to have died; or

(b) Has been registered under these regulations in error; or

(c) Fails to apply for a new certificate of registration within three months of the date when the last issued certificate expired; or

(d) Has in the opinion of the Board contravened the provisions of the Dairy-produce General Regulations, 1933; or

(e) Is punished by imprisonment for any offence which in the opinion of the Board renders him unfit to be registered under these regulations; or

(f) Being the manager of any manufacturing dairy registered as a creamery or a cheese-factory, in the opinion of the Board makes or causes to be made any butter or cheese in that dairy of a quality inferior to the quality that could be attained having regard to all relevant circumstances; or

(g) Has been guilty of such improper conduct as renders him in the opinion of the Board unfit to be registered under these regulations.

(2) The powers conferred by paragraphs (d) to (g) inclusive of subclause (1) of this clause shall be exercisable in respect of the matters therein respectively referred to whether such matters shall have taken place before or after the date of registration.

23. (1) The Board may direct the amendment of any entry in the register indicating the class of certificate to which any person is entitled if in its opinion such entry has been made in error, and in such case the provisions of clauses 24 and 25 hereof shall apply with all necessary modifications.

(2) The Board may direct the cancellation of any entry indicating that a person is entitled to a creamery manager's or a cheese-factory manager's certificate, and direct an entry to be made in lieu thereof indicating that such person is entitled to a creamery manager's and cheese-factory manager's certificate if in the opinion of the Board the person concerned is competent to perform the duties both of manager of a creamery and manager of a cheese-factory:

Provided always that the person desiring such alteration shall apply to the Board and furnish evidence of his competency, and the provisions of these regulations relating to registration and applications for registration shall apply with all necessary modifications.