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THE RADIO AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 1945

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 12th day of December, 1945

Present:

THE HON. W. NASH PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

Pursuant to the Post and Telegraph Act, 1928, 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 Radio Amendment Regulations 1945.
- 2. These regulations shall be read together with and form part of the Radio Regulations 1932* (hereinafter called the principal regulations).

3. These regulations shall come into force on the seventh day following notification in the Gazette of the making thereof.

- 4. Regulation 23 of the principal regulations is revoked, and the following substituted:—
- "23. (1) The following classes of certificate may be granted by the Minister upon compliance with the conditions described in Regulations 96-98 and 130 and 159 hereof :-
 - "(a) First-class radio-telegraph operator's certificate:
 - "(b) Second-class radio-telegraph operator's certificate:
 - "(c) Third-class radio-telegraph operator's certificate:
 - " (d) General radio-telephone operator's certificate :
 - "(e) Restricted radio-telephone operator's certificate:
 - "(f) First-class certificate in radio-technology:
 - "(g) Second-class certificate in radio-technology:
 - "(h) Radio-broadcasting operator's certificate:
 - "(j) Amateur operator's certificate.
- "(2) Every radio-telephone operator's certificate and every technical certificate in broadcasting issued under the regulation hereby revoked and in force at the coming into force of these regulations shall, so long as it remains in force, take effect respectively as a general radio-telephone operator's certificate or as a first-class certificate in radio-technology, as the case may be, for the purposes of the principal regulations as hereby amended.

^{*} Gazette, 21st July, 1932, Vol. II, page 1681.

- 5. Regulation 94 of the principal regulations, as substituted by Regulation 26 of the Radio Amendment Regulations 1935,* is amended by deleting in paragraph (c) the words "or (subject to Regulation 104) a radio-telephone operator's certificate", and substituting the words "or (subject to Regulation 104) a general radio-telephone operator's certificate".
 - 6. The principal regulations are amended by inserting therein, after

Regulation 97, the following additional regulation:

"97A. (1) A candidate for a first-class certificate in radiotechnology shall pass the examinations described in paragraphs (a) and (b) of clause (1) of Regulation 96 hereof (relative to the examination for the first-class radio-telegraph operator's certificate), and in addition an examination which may be partly practical and partly oral in the following:—

"(i) Radio-telephony covering a knowledge of the adjustment and operation of typical radio-telephone apparatus:

"(ii) The operation of direction-finding apparatus:

- "(iii) Oral questions requiring a detailed knowledge of such of the Radio Regulations 1932 as relate to broadcastingstations.
- "(2) A candidate for a second-class certificate in radio-technology shall pass the examination described in paragraph (a) of clause (1) of Regulation 96 hereof (relative to the examination for the second-class radio-telegraph operator's certificate), and in addition the examination described in paragraphs (i) and (ii) of clause (1) of this regulation.

"(3) The fee for the examinations described in the two preceding

clauses shall be—

"(a) For a first-class certificate in radio-technology, £1:

"(b) For a second-class certificate in radio-technology, 15s.:

"Provided, however, that the holder of a second-class certificate in radio-technology desirous of qualifying for a first-class certificate in radio-technology may be examined on payment of a fee of 10s.

"(4) The fee payable in respect of a duplicate of a certificate in radio-technology shall be 5s. Such duplicate shall be issued only on production of satisfactory evidence that the original certificate has been lost or destroyed.

"(5) Candidates for the examinations described in clauses (1) and (2) of this regulation must be the holders of Sixth Standard certificates of education issued by a Government school, or certificates

acceptable to the Minister as of equal or higher value."

7. Regulation 98 of the principal regulations is amended as follows:—

- (a) By deleting in clause (1) the words "radio-telephone operator's certificate", and substituting the words "general radio-telephone operator's certificate":
- (b) By deleting "5s." from clause (2), and substituting "7s. 6d.".
- 8. The principal regulations are amended by inserting therein, after Regulation 98, the following additional regulation:—

"98A. (1) A candidate for a restricted radio-telephone operator's certificate shall be required to pass an examination in the following:—

"(a) Knowledge of the correct operation of the particular radiotelephone installation which the applicant desires to operate or of an installation of similar type being in any case a type the adjustment of the transmission frequency or frequencies of which is effected by means of a simple switching device:

^{*} Gazette. 12th September, 1935, Vol. III, page 2579.

- "(b) Ability to transmit and receive clearly conversation by radiotelephone apparatus:
- "(c) Knowledge of the regulations applying to the exchange of radio-telephone communications.
- "(2) A fee of 7s. 6d. shall be paid by each candidate for examination."
- 9. Clause (1) of Regulation 99 of the principal regulations, as amended by Regulation 29 of the Radio Amendment Regulations 1935,* and clause (2) of Regulation 99 of the principal regulations are revoked.
- 10. Regulation 104 of the principal regulations is revoked, and the following substituted:—
- "104. A mobile station transmitting exclusively by means of radio-telephony and having an initial input power not exceeding 300 watts may be operated by a person holding a general radio-telephone operator's certificate. Where the adjustment of the transmission frequency or frequencies of such installations is effected by means of a simple switching device, the Minister may, at his discretion, authorize the station to be operated by a person holding a restricted radio-telephone operator's certificate."
- 11. Regulation 129 of the principal regulations is amended by deleting the words "(b) a technical certificate in broadcasting", and substituting the words "(b) a first-class certificate in radio-technology".
 - 12. Regulation 132 of the principal regulations is revoked.
- 13. Regulation 133 of the principal regulations is revoked, and the following substituted:—
- "133. Application for examination under the provisions of Regulation 130 hereof shall be made in writing to the nearest Telegraph Engineer."
- 14. Regulation 150 of the principal regulations is amended by deleting the words "(b) using telephony—a radio-telephone operator's certificate", and substituting "(b) using telephony—a general radio telephone operator's certificate or a restricted radio-telephone operator's certificate, as the Minister shall determine".
- 15. Regulation 179 of the principal regulations is amended by deleting the words "or a technical certificate in broadcasting", and substituting "or a first-class certificate in radio-technology".

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* Gazette, 12th September, 1935, Vol. III, page 2579.

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