

REGULATION 8.—TRANSFERS OF PROPERTY.

(1) No person shall, without the previous written permission of the Attorney-General, be in any manner concerned in the transfer of any enemy property from an enemy to any other person, or in the acquisition by any person of any charge or other interest in or over any enemy property, or in the registration or recording of any such transfer or acquisition.

(2) Every conveyance, transfer, assignment, demise, charge, encumbrance, or disposition of enemy property or any estate or interest therein made after the coming into force of these regulations, unless made by the Custodian of Enemy Property or with the previous written permission of the Attorney-General, shall be wholly void, except in so far as the Attorney-General, upon being satisfied that the same was made or taken in good faith and without intent to evade these regulations, shall by a certificate under his hand wholly or partly ratify or approve of the same after the making thereof.

(3) No person shall, without the previous written permission of the Attorney-General, acquire or be concerned in the acquisition of the undertaking or business, or of any part of the undertaking or business, of an enemy, or carry on or profess to carry on business as the successor of an enemy.

(4) No person shall, except with the previous written consent of the Attorney-General, directly or indirectly send or transmit any enemy property out of New Zealand, or deal with enemy property, in any manner whatever with intent to reduce such property or the proceeds of the sale, realization, or disposition thereof, into the possession of an enemy or of any person out of New Zealand on behalf of an enemy, or with intent otherwise to make the same available out of New Zealand by or for the benefit of an enemy.

REGULATION 9.—CONTROL OF ENEMY BUSINESSES.

(1) The Minister of Industries and Commerce may, by Warrant published in the *Gazette*, appoint the Public Trustee as the Controller of the business of any person, firm, or company declared to be an enemy trader under the Enemy Trading Emergency Regulations 1939. Any such appointment may at any time in like manner be revoked.

(2) Subject to the provisions of clause (9) of this regulation, the Controller when so appointed shall have the following powers in respect of the business of the person, firm, or company so declared to be an enemy :—

- (a) To take and retain possession of all property whatever then or thereafter belonging to that person, firm, or company in respect of the business so controlled :
- (b) To collect, receive, and retain all moneys payable to that person, firm, or company in respect of the business so controlled :
- (c) Out of any moneys received by him as Controller to pay and discharge any debts or liabilities of that person, firm, or company on such evidence as seems to the Controller sufficient :