OIL FUEL EMERGENCY REGULATIONS 1939, AMENDMENT NO. 1.

GALWAY, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 20th day of September, 1939.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 Oil Fuel Emergency Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 1.

2. These regulations shall be read together with and form part of the Oil Fuel Emergency Regulations 1939* (hereinafter called the principal regulations).

3. These regulations shall come into force on the day following their publication in the "Gazette.

4. Regulation 2 of the principal regulations is amended by revoking the definition of "lighting kerosene" and substituting therefor the following definition:

"Lighting kerosene" means any refined petroleum distillate that distills completely at a temperature below approximately 320°C, has a closed test flash-point above 73°F, and is suitable for use as an illuminant.

5. The principal regulations are amended by adding thereto the following heading and additional regulations:

"Sale and Purchase under Coupon System.

"34. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in Regulations 10 to 26 inclusive hereof, a person may purchase oil fuel for his own consumption, and oil fuel may be sold to such person, if the person is the holder of a coupon issued under these regulations authorizing such purchase and sale.

"35. A coupon may be issued to any person who is for the time being the owner within the meaning of the Motor-vehicles Act, 1924, of a motor-vehicle which is of such a type or kind as the Controller may from time to time direct.

"36. The number of coupons to be issued to any person at any one time shall be such as the Controller may from time to time direct.

"37. Each coupon shall be marked with a distinctive number, and a coupon marked with any number shall authorize a purchase and sale of oil fuel at a date not earlier than the Controller may from time to time notify in respect of coupons bearing that number.

"38. The Controller may direct that any coupon shall be deemed to relate to a specified quantity of oil fuel or to oil fuel of a particular kind, and thereupon such coupon shall be available for the purchase and sale only of the quantity of oil fuel so specified and for the purchase and sale only of oil fuel of the kind to which it relates (if so specified).

"39. On the purchase and sale of any oil fuel the coupon authorizing the purchase and sale shall be surrendered to the vendor and shall be dealt with by the vendor in the same way as the documents referred to in Regulations 26 and 28 hereof."

C. A. Jeffery,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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