

L.N. 1 of 1959

## PUBLIC ORDER (LAGOS) ORDINANCE, 1955

(No. 16 of 1955)

## Public Order (Lagos) Order, 1959

Commencement: 1st January, 1959

WHEREAS it has come to the notice of the Minister of Lagos Affairs, Mines and Power (hereinafter referred to as the Minister) that certain persons intend to organise a ceremony purporting to be for the crowning of one Oluye Docemo as King Docemo II of Lagos and to hold public meetings and public processions in Lagos in connection therewith within a period of three months from the commencement of this order:

AND WHEREAS the Minister is of opinion that, by reason of particular circumstances existing in Lagos, the powers conferred upon the Minister by subsection (1) of section 5 of the Public Order (Lagos) Ordinance, 1955 (as adapted by the Lagos (Transfer of Powers and Duties) Order, 1958) will not be sufficient to prevent serious public disorder being occasioned by the holding of the said intended public meetings and public processions in Lagos:

NOW THEREFORE in exercise of the powers conferred by subsection (2) of section 5 of the Public Order (Lagos) Ordinance, 1955 (as adapted by the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1957) the Minister of Lagos Affairs, Mines and Power has made the following order—

1. This order may be cited as the Public Order (Lagos) Order, 1959.

Citation.

2. All public meetings and public processions in connection with any ceremony or intended ceremony purporting to be for the crowning of one Oluye Docemo as King Docemo II of Lagos or which may reasonably be regarded as in connection with such ceremony or intended ceremony are hereby prohibited in Lagos for a period of three months from the coming into operation of this order.

Prohibition of certain public meetings and processions in Lagos.

DATED the 24th December, 1958.

MUHAMMADU RIBADU,  
Minister of Lagos Affairs,  
Mines and Power

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

This order prohibits all public meetings and processions in Lagos in connection with the proposed ceremony purporting to be for the crowning of King Docemo II of Lagos for a period of three months.

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L.N. 2 of 1959

**FUNCTIONS OF RESIDENTS (EASTERN REGION)  
ORDINANCE, 1956  
(No. 33 of 1956)**

**Functions of Residents (Eastern Region) Order, 1959**

*Commencement : 1st January, 1959*

In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Governor-General by section 5 of the Functions of Residents (Eastern Region) Ordinance, 1956, and after consultation with the Council of Ministers except so far as concerns the use and operational control of the police, the following order is hereby made with the consent of the Governor of the Eastern Region—

Citation and  
commence-  
ment.

1. This order may be cited as the Functions of Residents (Eastern Region) Order, 1959, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of January, 1959.

2. In this order, the expression "the Regional Minister of Agriculture, of Commerce, of Health, of Internal Affairs and of Welfare" means in each case the Regional Minister of the Eastern Region charged with responsibility for such respective matters by whatever title he may from time to time be called.

Authority  
conferred.  
Schedule.

3. The officers or authorities of the Eastern Region named in the third column of the Schedule are authorised to discharge in the Eastern Region the functions set out in the first column which are conferred on Residents by the Ordinances and sections thereof named in the second column.

**SCHEDULE**

<i>Functions</i>	<i>Ordinance</i>	<i>Officer or Authority</i>
1. To be agent of the Federal Administrator-General on the death of a European officer, or to appoint a district officer or other person to act as agent in his place.	Administrator-General's Ordinance (Cap. 4) section 49 (5).	Regional Minister of Internal Affairs.
2. (1) To direct the amount of security to be deposited.	Minerals Ordinance (Cap. 134) section 73 (1)	} Regional Minister of Commerce.
(2) To require security to be given.	Section 73 (2)	
(3) To direct a divisional or district officer to negotiate.	Section 75 (1)	
3. To recommend an application for a missionary's permit.	Pharmacy Ordinance (Cap. 169) section 15	Regional Minister of Health.
4. To appoint an administrative officer to have charge of members of the Nigeria Police where no superior police officer is in charge.	Police Ordinance (Cap. 172) section 8 (1)	Governor.
5. To order the removal of a prisoner and to authorise officers so to order.	Prisons Ordinance (Cap. 177) section 16.	Regional Minister of Welfare.

## SCHEDULE—continued

<i>Functions</i>	<i>Ordinance</i>	<i>Officer or Authority</i>
6. To decide whether any land is sacred or whether anything is an object of veneration.	Nigerian Coal Corporation Ordinance, 1950 (No. 29 of 1950) section 17 (2).	Regional Minister of Agriculture.

MADE at Lagos this 29th day of December, 1958.

MAURICE JENKINS,  
*Acting Deputy Secretary to the Council of Ministers*

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

The order provides for the authorities who will carry out in the Eastern Region Federal functions previously carried out by Residents.  
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## L.N. 3 of 1959

## NIGERIA (ELECTORAL PROVISIONS) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1958

## Elections (House of Representatives) (Amendment No. 3)

## Regulations, 1958.

*Commencement*: 27th November, 1958

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Nigeria (Electoral Provisions) Order in Council, 1958, the Governor-General, after consultation with the Council of Ministers, has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Elections (House of Representatives) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations, 1958, and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 27th of November, 1958.

2. The First Schedule to the Elections (House of Representatives) Regulations, 1958, as amended by the Elections (House of Representatives) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations, 1958, is amended by the deletion of rule 1 and rule 1A therein, and by the substitution therefor of the following—

"1. The place of ordinary residence of a person is that place where he usually lives, or which has always or generally been his home, or which is the place to which he intends to return when away therefrom."

MADE at Lagos this 29th day of December, 1958.

MAURICE JENKINS,  
*Acting Deputy Secretary to the Council of Ministers*

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

Examination of the records of the recent Constitutional Conference has revealed that the amendments made on the 27th of November to the rules as to the determination of the ordinary residence of electors contained in the First Schedule to the Electoral Regulations do not accurately reflect the decisions arrived at. This amendment substitutes the corrected version of the amended rule.

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Citation and commencement.

Amendment to First Schedule.  
L.N. Nos. 117 and 195 of 1958.

**L.N. 4 of 1959****FUNCTIONS OF RESIDENTS (EASTERN REGION) ORDINANCE, 1956**

(No. 33 of 1956)

**Appointed Day Notice**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 1 of the Functions of Residents (Eastern Region) Ordinance, 1956, the Governor-General has, after consultation with the Council of Ministers, appointed the 1st day of January, 1959, as the day upon which the said Ordinance shall come into operation.

MAURICE JENKINS,  
*Acting Deputy Secretary to the  
Council of Ministers*

Lagos, 29th December, 1958.

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**L.N. 5 of 1959****FACTORIES ORDINANCE, 1955**

(No. 33 of 1955)

**Docks (Sanitary Accommodation) Regulations, 1958****Appointed Day Notice**

In exercise of the powers conferred by regulation 1 (1) of the above regulations, the Minister of Labour and Welfare of the Federation has appointed the 1st April, 1959, as the day on which the provisions of those regulations shall come into operation.

F. C. NWOKEDI,  
*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Labour and Welfare*

Lagos, 17th December, 1958.

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**L.N. 6 of 1959****FACTORIES ORDINANCE, 1955**

(No. 33 of 1955)

**Factories (Woodworking Machinery) Regulations, 1958****Appointed Day Notice**

In exercise of the powers conferred by regulation 1 (1) of the above regulations, the Minister of Labour and Welfare of the Federation has appointed the 1st April, 1959, as the day on which the provisions of those regulations shall come into operation.

F. C. NWOKEDI,  
*Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Labour and Welfare*

Lagos, 17th December, 1958.

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