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### HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE No. 56 OF 1920.

Notice is hereby given that His Excellency the High Commissioner, acting under the powers conferred on him by section one of Proclamation No. 26 of 1917, has been pleased to make the following regulations in regard to the sale of sugar in Basutoland:—

1. No wholesale merchant or agent of any wholesale merchant in Basutoland shall on or after the date of this notice sell any sugars the produce of the Union of South Africa at prices exceeding the following maximum prices, viz.—

No. 1 grade sugars	43s. per 100 lb.
No. 2 grade sugars	39s. per 100 lb.
No. 3 grade sugars	35s. per 100 lb.

plus in each case the actual transport expenses and cost of insurance incurred in respect of the particular transaction.

2. No person shall sell by retail on and after this date, but, subject to the provisions of paragraphs 8 and 10 of these regulations, any sugars, the produce of the Union, at prices exceeding the following maximum prices, viz:—

No. 1 grade sugars	6½d. per lb.
No. 2 grade sugars	6d. per lb.
No. 3 grade sugars	5½d. per lb.

3. In the case of traders at a distance from the railway, when the maximum retail price does not allow of profit being made, the Resident Commissioner may on application grant such addition to such retail price as will allow of a profit being made, such profit to be calculated to the nearest halfpenny per lb. gross.

4. The above-mentioned prices shall not be taken as applying to cube, castor, or icing sugars.

5. Any sale of sugars by one dealer to another or to a manufacturer shall be deemed to be a wholesale transaction, and every other sale of sugar to any person shall be deemed to be a retail transaction.

6. For the purposes of these regulations, sugars, whether or not produced in the Union, shall be classified under three grades, namely—

- (1) No. 1 grade, which shall comprise first quality white sugars only;
- (2) No. 2 grade, which shall comprise—
  - (a) second quality white sugar; and
  - (b) yellow sugars;
- (3) No. 3 grade, which shall comprise all sugars not classed either as No. 1 or No. 2 grade sugars.

7. No person shall, on and after the date of this notice, offer any sugars, the produce of the Union of South Africa, for sale to any person or firm in Basutoland unless such sugars

- (a) have been graded by the Union Board of Sugar Graders appointed under the terms of Union Government Notice No. 838 of 17th May; and
- (b) are contained in pockets or other containers that are indelibly and conspicuously marked "No. 1 grade," "No. 2 grade," or "No. 3 grade," as the case may be, in the manner or form required by the Union Board.

8. No person shall, on and after the date of this notice, sell either wholesale or retail any sugars other than the produce of the Union at a price exceeding a maximum price, which is hereby fixed at fourpence and one halfpenny per pound; provided, however, that if any such sugars are submitted to the Union Board of Graders for classification they may be sold wholesale or retail, as the case may be, at the maximum prices fixed for like grades of sugars produced in the Union, and the seller shall, when such sugars are graded, comply with all the conditions imposed under paragraphs 1, 2, 7, and 9 of these regulations on the sellers of Union-produced sugars in respect of the sale and delivery thereof.

9. Subject to the provisions of paragraph No. 10 of these regulations, in every transaction in sugar, whether by a wholesale merchant or a retail trader, the invoice shall not only disclose the price paid or to be paid for such sugar, but shall describe

the sugar sold and referred to therein according to the grade thereof as set forth in paragraph No. 6 of these regulations; and every bill of lading, railway or other consignment note, relating to any transaction aforesaid, shall likewise describe the grade or grades of the sugars referred to therein.

10. The provisions of these regulations relating to the grading and invoicing of sugars shall not apply to stocks in the possession of wholesale merchants and retail dealers until on and after the 1st day of August 1920.

11. Any person who is in possession of reliable information that the above-mentioned orders are being evaded by any person or firms is required to give information thereof without delay to the nearest Assistant Commissioner or to the Resident Commissioner.

Notice No. 101 of 1919 is hereby cancelled.

By Command of His Excellency the  
High Commissioner.

H. J. STANLEY,  
Imperial Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,  
Capetown, 15th June, 1920.

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#### SWAZILAND ADMINISTRATION.

Tenders are hereby invited for the lease of a Store Site of twelve acres on the Horo Outspan, Native Area No. 2, District Peak, Swaziland, for a period of five years from the date of acceptance of tender, with right of renewal for a further period of five years.

Tenders to be addressed to the Government Secretary, Mbabane, and marked on the cover "Tender for Store Site on Horo Outspan," must be in the hands of the Government Secretary at his Office, at Mbabane, not later than 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, the 30th July, 1920.

The Administration does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

All information as to conditions of lease, etc., may be obtained at the Offices of the Government Secretary, Mbabane, and the Assistant Commissioner, Peak.

B. NICHOLSON,  
Government Secretary.

Government Offices, Mbabane, Swaziland,  
22nd June, 1920.

### EDICT.

The Next-of-kin and Creditors of the late PETER CLARK McNEILL, of Tuli Block, Bechuanaland Protectorate, are required to take notice that he having died intestate, a Meeting of the Next-of-kin and Creditors of the deceased and all others whom these presents may concern, will be held before the Master of the Court of the Resident Commissioner of the Bechuanaland Protectorate at Mafeking, on Wednesday, the 28th day of July, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, and all such persons as aforesaid are required to attend at the time and place aforesaid for the purpose of proposing some person or persons to be by such Master appointed as Executor or Executors Dative.

VERNON EASON,  
Master of the Court.

Office of the Master,  
Court of the Resident Commissioner of the  
Bechuanaland Protectorate, at Mafeking,  
19th June, 1920.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND DEBTORS.

In the Testate Estate of the late MAY FRANCIS HARRIETT PALMER (born GURR), married out of community of property to EDGAR CHARLES PALMER, of Joelsdrift, District Leribe, Basutoland.

Creditors and Debtors in the above Estate are hereby requested to file their claims and pay their debts at the Office of the undersigned within six weeks from date of publication hereof.

J. H. MEIRING,

Attorneys for Executor Testamentary.

Fouriesburg, this 17th June, 1920.

## SWAZILAND.

## EDICT (E. No. 287).

The Next-of-kin and Creditors of ALEXANDER FORDYCE ROSS, late of Swaziland, who died at Middelburg, Transvaal, on the 10th day of April, 1920, are required to take notice that a Meeting of the Next-of-kin and Creditors, and all others whom these presents may concern, will be held before the Master of the Special Court of Swaziland, at Mbabane, on Tuesday, the 31st day of August, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, precisely; and all such persons as aforesaid are hereby required to attend at the place and time aforesaid then and there to see such person or persons as shall be selected by him the said Master as fit and proper person or persons to be by him, the said Master appointed Executor or Executors Dative to the Estate of the above-named deceased person.

W. W. USHER,

Master of the Special Court of Swaziland.

Master's Office, Mbabane, Swaziland,  
21st June, 1920.

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