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THE FISHERIES (CONSOLIDATION) ORDINANCE, 1982

(Ordinance 2 of 1982).

REGULATIONS MADE BY THE ADMINISTRATOR
UNDER SECTION 6.

In exercise of the powers vested in him by Section 6 of the Fisheries (Consolidation) Ordinance, 1982 the Administrator hereby makes the following Regulations :

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Fisheries (Consolidation) Regulations, 1982.

2. In these Regulations :—

“bag or cod-end” means the end section of the trawler net in which the catch is collected ;

“Fiscal Officer” includes any officer duly authorised by the Fiscal Officer for the purpose of these Regulations ;

“inland waters” means any river, natural stream, dam, lake or salt lake ;

“I.C.E.S.” means the International Commission for the Exploration of the Sea ;

“mesh” means the openings of any net ;

“sea - lane” means that part of the territorial waters of the Areas contained within a line drawn 180° to the high seas from the fixed Red Light at the entrance to Limassol Lighter Basin and a line drawn 180° to the high seas from the Ruins of Amathus, on Admiralty Chart No. 850 of 4th October, 1940 and the sea boundaries of the Areas with the territorial waters of the Republic.

3. The master or owner of a vessel for which a licence is desired for the purpose of taking fish in the Areas under the provisions of the Ordinance shall make an application in writing to the Fiscal Officer containing a brief description of the vessel for which such licence is required.

4. Every licence issued under the provisions of the Ordinance shall be in the form set out in the First Schedule to these Regulations, and shall contain the particulars therein set out. Such licence shall be carried on the vessel and produced to any police or Customs officer on demand.

5.—(1) Every vessel licensed for the purpose of taking fish in the Areas under the provisions of the Ordinance shall bear such number as may be given to such vessel by the Fiscal Officer plainly painted, in white figures on a black ground, on each side of such vessel, on the swell of the bow thereof and in black figures on each side of the sail or the main sail thereof as the case may be.

Such figures shall be at least ten inches in height and one inch in breadth of stroke and they shall be at least thirteen and a half inches in height and two inches in breadth of stroke, respectively.

(2) Every vessel licensed as aforesaid shall, while out fishing at night, exhibit a white light which must be visible all around the horizon for a distance of at least one mile :

Provided that every vessel licensed as aforesaid propelled by machinery shall, while out trawling at night, exhibit in the place of the white light —

- (a) a tricoloured lantern so constructed and fixed as to show a white light from right ahead to two points on each bow, and a green light and a red light over an arc of the horizon from two points on each bow to two points abaft the beam, on the starboard and port sides, respectively ; and
- (b) not less than six nor more than twelve feet below the tricoloured lantern a white light in a lantern so constructed as to show a clear, uniform and unbroken light all around the horizon.

For the purposes of this paragraph “trawling” means dragging an apparatus along the bottom of the sea.

(3) All vessels licensed as aforesaid fishing with nets or lines or trawls, shall, when under way, in daytime indicate their occupation to an approaching vessel by displaying a basket or other efficient signal where it can best be seen, and when they have their gear out while at anchor, on approach of other vessels, show the same signal on the side on which those vessels can pass.

(4) The master or owner of a vessel licensed as aforesaid shall, on completion of a voyage whether within or outside the territorial waters of the Areas, during which fishing has taken place from the said vessel, unless expressly exempted by the Fiscal Officer from so doing, furnish to the Fiscal Officer, in the form and manner set out in the Second Schedule to these Regulations, and in the English, Greek or Turkish languages, the particulars of the amounts and categories of fish acquired during such voyage and the methods employed in such acquisition.

(5) Every trawler shall at all times be equipped with such depth sounder for registering the depth of water where the vessel trawls as the Fiscal Officer may approve (hereinafter referred to as the “special depth sounder”) in addition to any other depth sounder carried on board for fishing purposes.

(6) The master or owner of a vessel licensed as aforesaid shall indicate the presence of any nets or long lines which he is using for the purpose of taking fish at a depth in excess of twenty-five fathoms within the territorial waters of the Areas with lights showing a white or orange colour :

Provided that such lights shall :

- (a) be visible all around the horizon for a distance of at least one mile, and

(b) be placed at both ends of such nets, lines or trawls.

6.—(1) No person shall, for the purpose of taking fish within the territorial waters of the Areas, employ or use—

(a) Any net of which the minimum mesh size is less than 25 mm. ;

(b) any trawler net the cod-end of which has a mesh size which is less than 34 mm. :

Provided that the opening of the mesh size of such net shall be measured with an I.C.E.S. gauge, so calibrated as to exercise a pressure of four kilograms, when the mesh is longitudinally stretched, by the insertion therein of the gauge, and such measurements shall be taken :

(i) on a wet net ;

(ii) on a net which has already been used ;

(iii) by taking the average of the measurements of any series of twenty consecutive meshes situated on the top side of the cod-end along a line running parallel to its longitudinal axis and starting from the aft end of the cod-end at a distance of at least five meshes ahead of the aft end of the cod-end ; and

(iv) at a distance of not less than five meshes from the selvages.

(2) No person shall use a trawler net, the bag or cod-end of which shall be of a length less than sixteen feet when measured from the point where it is joined with the remainder of the net to the first point where it is tied up at its rear end.

(3) No person shall do anything whereby any net retains fish which because of its size would not normally be retained by the bag or cod-end having meshes as prescribed in paragraph (1) of this Regulation.

(4) No person shall have for any purpose on any vessel, other than those excluded under paragraph (5) of this Regulation, nets or part thereof other than those prescribed in paragraph (1) of this Regulation without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer.

(5) Vessels of a total tonnage of over 15 tons, which are not used for fishing, shall be excluded from the provisions of paragraph (4) of this Regulation.

(6) No person shall take, land or sell fish in the Areas of a size which is not retained by the meshes prescribed in paragraph (1) of this Regulation :

Provided that this paragraph shall not apply to the species known as "atherina" when such fish has been taken by "basket traps".

(7) In this Regulation the expression "mesh" shall include the mesh of the cod-end.

(8) Without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer, no person shall use or attempt to use for trawling any trawler of which the special depth sounder has not been approved by the Fiscal Officer under paragraph (5) of Regulation 5 and which is not in operation during trawling.

(9) No person shall prevent or in any way interfere with the efficient operation of the special depth sounder of any trawler.

7.—(1) No person shall kill, take or pursue any species of fish from any inland waters of the Areas, or possess, or attempt to possess, or sell such fish without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer.

(2) For every licence issued in accordance with paragraph (1) of this Regulation, a fee of £1.000 mils shall be payable.

8. No person shall kill, pursue, take or possess or attempt to kill, pursue, take, possess or sell a turtle of any species or turtle eggs, or any seal or dolphin of any species without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer.

9. No person shall pollute any sea areas or waters retained by dams, or waters in rivers, lakes or other natural or artificial reservoirs, in which any fish exist, with any substances which may have directly or indirectly an injurious effect on the growth or survival of the following fish :

- (a) fresh water fish,
- (b) inshore fish within the territorial waters of the Areas.

For the purpose of this Regulation deliberately or negligently allowing water to enter the sea shall be regarded as having directly or indirectly an injurious effect on the growth or survival of the fish referred to in (a) or (b) above, if —

- (a) the temperature of such water is in excess of 10 degrees (10°C) of the temperature of the sea water into which such water enters ;
- (b) the concentration of organic substances in such water is such that the consumption of oxygen for their oxidation, calculated as being the consumption of oxygen for biological oxidation at 20 degrees (20°C) within five days (Biochemical Oxygen Demand BOD₅) exceeds 30 mg per litre of water ;
- (c) the concentration of any substances in such water is such that the consumption of oxygen for their oxidation (Chemical Oxygen Demand COD₄ hour) exceeds 80 mg per litre of water ;
- (d) the acidity of such water is outside the range of pH6½—pH9 ;
- (e) the total content of solid substance in such water exceeds 80 parts per million (80 ppm);

- (f) the concentration of Zinc (Zn) in such water exceeds 0.1 parts per million (0.1 ppm);
- (g) the concentration of copper (Cu) in such water exceeds 0.1 parts per million (0.1 ppm).

10. No person shall :

- (a) Import into the Areas any live fish eggs or any live fish at any stage of development, without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer ;
- (b) introduce any kind of fish or any eggs of fish in the inland waters of the Areas, without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer.

11.—(1) No person shall within the territorial waters of the Areas without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer :

- (a) fish with the aid of any compressed air diving apparatus ;
- (b) carry any harpoon gun on any vessel on which there is compressed air diving apparatus.

For the purpose of this paragraph, "harpoon gun" means any apparatus which is capable of killing fish by propelling any object or projectile.

(2) No person shall fish within the territorial waters of the Areas from any vessel by the use of nets, long lines or fishing traps unless he has been issued with a licence by the Fiscal Officer in respect of such use :

Provided that in respect of a vessel which is using only one long line, the hooks of which do not exceed one hundred, and in respect of a vessel which is using not more than five fishing traps, no licence shall be required.

12. No person shall fish within the territorial waters of the Areas by means of any kind of lantern or light of any kind without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer :

Provided that no such licence is required for fishing by the method of "pyrofani" light fishing which is operated from the shore.

13. No person shall fish within the territorial waters of the Areas with the use of nets designed to encircle fish, known as the method of "yirovolia", without a licence issued by the Fiscal Officer in respect of such use.

14. No person shall fish within the territorial waters of the Areas by means of sea bed nets between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. inclusive during the year, except during the months of November, December, January, February, March and April.

15. No trawler shall fish within the territorial waters of the Areas during the months of June, July, August, September and October in any year.

16. No trawler shall fish in the territorial waters of the Areas where the depth of water is less than 30 fathoms.

17. Notwithstanding anything contained in these Regulations any trawler may, if issued with a licence by the Fiscal Officer, at any time during the months of June, July, August, September and October in any year proceed through the sea-lane for the purposes of fishing outside the territorial waters of the Areas and of the Republic and return to either the territorial waters of the Areas or of the Republic after such fishing.

18.—(1) Any licence issued by the Fiscal Officer under any of these Regulations may be at his discretion suspended or cancelled at any time.

(2) The Fiscal Officer may at his discretion specify in any such licence such terms or conditions under which such licence may be operated as he thinks fit.

(3) All such licences shall expire on the 31st of December of the year in which they were issued.

19. The Fisheries Regulations, 1971 to 1977, are hereby revoked without prejudice to anything done or left undone thereunder.

P. Is. Nos.
54/71, 3/72
and 22/77.

FIRST SCHEDULE

THE FISHERIES (CONSOLIDATION) ORDINANCE, 1982

(Ordinance 2 of 1982).

Licence under Regulation 4 of
the Fisheries (Consolidation) Regulations, 1982.

(This licence is not transferable).

No. of licence :

Description of vessel :

Registered number of vessel :

Full name of owner or master :

Place of residence of owner or master :

Area(s) within which this licence is valid :

Periods during which this licence is valid :

This licence expires on the 31st day of December, 19.....

Dated this day of 19

(Signature).....

Fiscal Officer,
Sovereign Base Areas

SECOND SCHEDULE

FORM A

THE FISHERIES (CONSOLIDATION) ORDINANCE, 1982

(Ordinance 2 of 1982).

TRAWL FISHING REPORT.Regulation 5 (4).

1. Name of vessel :
2. Fishing area :
3. Depth of sea : From..... to.....fathoms.
4. Number of working days :
5. Place of landing :

Species of fish	Quality of fish				Total of Species
	A okes	B okes	C okes	D okes	
TOTAL					

Date:..... (Signature).....
 Captain of vessel

Date:..... (Signature).....
 Customs Officer,
 Sovereign Base Areas.

FORM B

THE FISHERIES (CONSOLIDATION) ORDINANCE, 1982

(Ordinance 2 of 1982).

INSHORE FISHING REPORT.

Regulation 5 (4).

Name of fisherman :

Fishing area :

Species of fish	Nets : Number : Kind of net :	Lines : No. of hooks : Large/Medium/Small

NOTE :

The fisherman must complete this form daily.

In case no fishing takes place give the reason :—

e.g. bad weather,

vessel broken down or

personal inability.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1982.

By the Administrator's Command,

M. D. TIDY,

Chief Officer,

Sovereign Base Areas.

**THE POWERS AND DUTIES (OFFICERS OF THE
REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS) (CONSOLIDATION)
ORDINANCE, 1976**

(Ordinance 4 of 1976).

**ORDER MADE BY THE ADMINISTRATOR
UNDER SECTION 10.**

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section 10 of the Powers and Duties (Officers of the Republic of Cyprus) (Consolidation) Ordinance, 1976, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Administrator hereby makes the following Order :—

Ordinance 4/76.
P. Is. 7/77, 38/77,
6/78, 30, 54, 69,
87, 90/80
and 62/81.

1. This Order may be cited as the Powers and Duties (Officers of the Republic of Cyprus) (Consolidation) (Amendment of Schedule) Order, 1982 and shall be read as one with the Schedule to the Powers and Duties (Officers of the Republic of Cyprus) (Consolidation) Ordinance, 1976 as amended from time to time.

2. The Schedule to the Powers and Duties (Officers of the Republic of Cyprus) (Consolidation) Ordinance, 1976 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following Ordinance:—

No. of Ordinance and Year	Short title of Ordinance
of 1982	Fisheries (Consolidation)

3. The reference in the Schedule to the following Ordinance is hereby deleted without prejudice to anything done or left undone in consequence of such reference :

135 (28/61, 3/70, 5/72)	Fisheries
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Dated this 5th day of April, 1982.

By the Administrator's Command,
M. D. TIDY,
Chief Officer,
Sovereign Base Areas.

(157/2B)

**THE POWERS AND DUTIES (OFFICERS OF THE
REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS) (CONSOLIDATION)
ORDINANCE, 1976**

(Ordinance 4 of 1976).

**ORDER MADE BY THE ADMINISTRATOR
UNDER SECTION 3.**

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section 3 of the Powers and Duties (Officers of the Republic of Cyprus) (Consolidation) Ordinance, 1976, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Administrator hereby makes the following Order :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Powers and Duties (Officers of the Republic of Cyprus) (Consolidation) (Amendment) Order, 1982 and shall be read as one with the Powers and Duties (Officers of the Republic of Cyprus) (Consolidation) Order, 1976 as amended from time to time (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Order").

P. Is. Nos. 54/76,
96/76, 8, 39 and
65/77, 7/78, 21/79,
31, 55, 70, 88,
91/80 and 63/81.

2. The Schedule to the principal Order is hereby amended by adding at the end of Part II thereof the following new items:—

Column 1			Column 2
Subsidiary Legislation	Volume	Regulations etc.	Persons
Fisheries (Consolidation) Regulations, 1982	Gazette Sup. No. 3 of 6.4.1982.	3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 17 and 18.	Fiscal Officer

3. The following items in Part II of the Schedule are hereby deleted without prejudice to anything done or left undone in consequence of their earlier inclusion :

Fisheries Regulations 1971	Gazette : Sup. No. 3 of 3.9.71.	Regulations 3, 5, 6, 8 and 11.	Fiscal Officer
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Dated this 5th day of April, 1982.

By the Administrator's Command,

M. D. TIDY,
Chief Officer,

**THE RECOGNITION OF REPUBLICAN
LICENCES ORDINANCE, 1969**

(Ordinance 1 of 1969).

NOTICE MADE BY THE ADMINISTRATOR
UNDER SUBSECTION (2) OF SECTION 3.

In exercise of the powers vested in him by subsection (2) of Section 3 of the Recognition of Republican Licences Ordinance, 1969 the Administrator hereby orders that the following additions shall be made to the Schedule under the appropriate columns :--

PART I.

First Column	Second Column	Third Column	Fourth Column
Cap 135 Fisheries, Section 4	Licence to vessel for taking fish	All persons	All purposes

2. Public Instrument No. 55 of 1971 is hereby revoked.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1982.

By the Administrator's Command,
M. D. TIDY,
Chief Officer,
Sovereign Base Areas.

(157/2B)
