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BASUTOLAND, BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE, SWAZILAND.

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE
No. 181 of 1942.

REGULATIONS IN CONNECTION WITH MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF CERTAIN MEALIE PRODUCTS.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under and by virtue of the powers vested in him by section one of the Basutoland Emergency Powers (Defence) Proclamation, 1939 (No. 35 of 1939), section one of the Bechuanaland Protectorate Emergency Powers (Defence) Proclamation, 1939 (No. 36 of 1939), and section one of the Swaziland Emergency Powers (Defence) Proclamation, 1939 (No. 37 of 1939), respectively, His Excellency the High Commissioner has been pleased to make the regulations set forth in the Annexure hereto relating to the manufacture and sale of certain mealie products in Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland.

By Command of His Excellency
the High Commissioner.

H. E. PRIESTMAN,
Administrative Secretary

High Commissioner's Office,
Pretoria 28th July, 1942.

ANNEXURE.

1. No person who grinds, crushes, grists or otherwise processes mealies, shall sell--
- (a) any mealie meal other than fine granulated mixed mealie meal, fine granulated yellow mealie meal, unsifted mixed mealie meal (including unsifted granulated mixed mealie meal; or unsifted yellow mealie meal (including unsifted granulated yellow mealie meal); or
 - (b) any samp or mealie rice, other than mixed samp or mixed mealie rice or yellow mealie samp or yellow mealie rice; or
 - (c) any crushed mealies other than crushed mealies derived exclusively from yellow mealies.

2. (1) No person shall, on behalf of any other person, or by means of a mill which is under the control of any other person, convert—

- (a) mealies or any mealie product into mealie meal other than fine granulated mixed mealie meal, fine granulated yellow mealie meal, unsifted mixed mealie meal (including unsifted granulated mixed mealie meal) or unsifted yellow mealie meal (including unsifted granulated yellow mealie meal); or
- (b) mealies or any mealie product into samp or mealie rice, other than mixed samp or mixed mealie rice or yellow mealie samp or yellow mealie rice; or
- (c) mealies, other than yellow mealies, into crushed mealies; or
- (d) yellow mealies into crushed mealies other than sifted or unsifted crushed mealies.

(2) The provisions of sub-regulation (1) shall not apply in respect of the conversion by or on behalf of a bona fide farmer of mealies or any mealie product into mealie meal intended by that farmer for consumption on land owned or occupied by him for farming purposes.

(3) No person by whom or on whose behalf mealies or any mealie product has, by virtue of the provisions of sub-regulation (2), been converted into mealie meal not mentioned in paragraph (a) of sub-regulation (1), shall sell that mealie meal except for consumption on land owned or occupied by him for farming purposes.

3. In these regulations—

“fine granulated mixed mealie meal” means granulated mealie meal containing not less than ~~35~~³⁰ per cent. and not more than ~~35~~³⁰ per cent. by weight of yellow mealie meal and from which not more than 10 per cent. by weight of the bran and other offals has been removed;

“fine granulated yellow mealie meal” means granulated mealie meal consisting exclusively of yellow mealie meal and from which not more than 10 per cent. by weight of the bran and other offals has been removed;

“mixed mealie rice” means mealie rice containing not less than 10 per cent. and not more than ~~35~~³⁰ per cent. by weight of yellow mealie rice;

“mixed samp” means samp containing not less than ~~10~~¹⁵ per cent. and not more than ~~35~~³⁰ per cent. by weight of yellow mealie samp;

“sell” includes to offer, advertise, keep, expose, transmit, convey, deliver, or prepare for sale or exchange or to dispose of for any consideration whatsoever, and the words “seller”, “selling”, “sale” and “sold” have a corresponding meaning;

- “ sifted crushed mealies ” means crushed mealies manufactured from whole mealies and from which not more than 10 per cent. of offals has been removed;
- “ unsifted crushed mealies ” means crushed mealies manufactured from whole mealies and from which no offals have been removed;
- “ unsifted granulated mixed mealie meal ” means unsifted mixed mealie meal in granular form;
- “ unsifted granulated yellow mealie meal ” means unsifted yellow mealie meal in granular form;
- “ unsifted mixed mealie meal ” means mealie meal containing not less than ~~85~~ per cent. and not more than ~~85~~ per cent. by weight of yellow mealie meal and from which no bran or other offals have been removed;
- “ unsifted yellow mealie meal ” means mealie meal consisting exclusively of yellow mealie meal and from which no bran or other offals have been removed;
- “ yellow mealie rice ” means mealie rice consisting exclusively of yellow mealie rice;
- “ yellow mealie samp ” means samp consisting exclusively of yellow mealie samp.

4. Any person who contravenes any provision of these regulations shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one year.