

**BASUTOLAND, BECHUANALAND
PROTECTORATE, SWAZILAND.**

**HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE
No. 131 OF 1943.**

CONTROL OF MOTOR VEHICLE SPARES.

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 following regulations relating to the acquisition and disposal of motor vehicle spare parts and accessories in Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland:—

1. In these regulations—

“ importer ” means any company, firm or person whose business or part of whose business it is to import motor vehicle spare parts or motor vehicle accessories;

“ motor vehicle spare part or accessory ” means any article imported for the purpose of replacing any existing integral or other part of any motor vehicle or for the purpose of repairing a motor vehicle, other than mechanics' tools or garage equipment.

2. Every importer shall inform the Controller in writing immediately upon the arrival of any motor vehicle spare parts or motor vehicle accessories, of such arrival giving a list of such spare parts and accessories together with the following information:

Manufacturer's part numbers, if any.

Description of each item.

Quantities of each item.

Supplier's name.

Make of vehicle for which spares are required when imported for any specific make.

Certificate of Essentiality and Import Permit numbers which covered the importation of such spares and accessories.

3. For a period of thirty days as from the date on which notice in terms of regulation 2 was despatched to the Controller, no importer shall sell or otherwise dispose of any motor vehicle spare parts or accessories in respect of which such notice was given, except upon the written authority of the Controller.

4. Every importer who has more than one branch or place of business shall indicate in his return rendered in terms of regulation 2, the branch or place of business to which the spare parts and accessories are consigned.

5. No returns need be made in respect of spare parts and accessories which were imported by factories for use in the assembly of new motor vehicles.

6. In these regulations " Controller " means the Government Secretary or such other officer as the Resident Commissioner may appoint.

7. Any person who contravenes or fails to comply with any provision of these regulations, or who knowingly furnishes any incorrect or incomplete information, shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding two hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one year, or to both such fine and imprisonment.

NOTE.—No forms for the purpose of these regulations will be supplied. No applications for import or export permits or certificates of essentiality will be entertained from any importer who has failed to render the returns required by this notice.

By Command of His Excellency
the High Commissioner.

H. E. PRIESTMAN,
Administrative Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,
Pretoria, 16th June, 1943.