

BASUTOLAND, BECHUANALAND
PROTECTORATE, SWAZILAND.

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE
No. 149 of 1943.

CONTROL OF PAPER.

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 amend High Commissioner's Notice No. 109 of 1942, as amended by High Commissioner's Notices No. 211 of 1942, No. 234 of 1942 and No. 6 of 1943, as follows:—

1. Regulation 3 is hereby deleted and the following regulation is substituted therefor:—

“ 3. (1) No person shall supply to any other person at any one time any paper, card or cardboard in excess of four months' normal requirements of such person.

(2) No person shall use in printing for himself, or for any other person, any paper, card or cardboard in excess of four months' normal requirements for himself or for such other person.

(3) No person shall acquire any paper, card or cardboard in excess of his normal requirements for four months:

Provided that for the purpose of this regulation—

(i) no person shall supply to or print on behalf of any other person any paper, card or cardboard, unless such other person delivers to the supplier or printer a signed statement that the quantity of such material ordered, together with stocks in hand, does not exceed four months' normal requirements;

(ii) 'four months' normal requirements' means in respect of a specific purpose, one-third of the quantity of such paper, card or cardboard (printed or otherwise) used by any person for that specific purpose during the year 1941, or in respect of a supply for a specific purpose which did not exist in the year 1941, a quantity estimated to fill such requirement for a period of four months;

(iii) any person may supply or acquire a quantity not exceeding 1,000 printed single sheets of paper of a substance up to 25 lb. per ream of 500 sheets 17½ inches by 22½ inches (or equivalent) or a quantity not exceeding 500 printed single sheets of paper or board of a substance in excess of 25 lb. per ream of 500 sheets 17½ inches by 22½ inches (or equivalent) or a quantity not exceeding 3 books or pads of 100 in duplicate, or 100 in triplicate, or 100 in quadruplicate of printed single sheets of paper, on condition that the person to be supplied delivers to the supplier or printer a signed statement that no other order for wholly or partly similar quantities of paper or board has been placed with any other supplier or printer during the period of four months preceding the date of such statement.

(4) The signed statements required in terms of provisos (i) and (iii) of sub-regulation (3) hereof shall be numbered serially by the supplier, and in the case of all printed matter supplied, on which the imprint of the printer appears, the serial number of the signed statement in connection therewith and the date of the order shall appear next to such imprint. Such signed statement shall be retained in the possession of the supplier, together with specimens of all printed or duplicated documents supplied, and the supplier shall upon the written request of the Controller deliver to the Controller or to such person as the Controller may designate all such signed statements and specimens of printed or duplicated documents in respect of such period as may be designated by the Controller."

By Command of His Excellency
the High Commissioner.

H. LESTER SMITH,
for Administrative Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,
Pretoria, 15th July, 1943.