

BASUTOLAND, BECHUANALAND
PROTECTORATE, SWAZILAND.
HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE
No. 36 of 1943.

CONTROL OF TEXTILES AND TEXTILE
INDUSTRIAL SEWING MACHINES.

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 control of textiles and textile industrial sewing machines in Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland:—

1. Every company, firm or person engaged in the manufacture of one or more of the classes of articles enumerated in the Schedule hereto is required to make a return in duplicate to the Controller in the manner set out in the Annexure hereto within twenty-one days after the date of publication of this Notice in the *Gazette*. No forms will be provided.

2. No person engaged in the manufacture of one or more of the classes of articles enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall acquire any industrial sewing machine except upon the authority of and subject to the conditions set forth in a permit issued by the Controller or by an officer duly authorised thereto by the Controller.

No application for a permit will be considered unless the applicant has complied with the requirements of regulation 1 hereof, and in addition furnishes the following information:—

- (i) Name and address of applicant;
- (ii) Name and address of supplier;
- (iii) Type, make and classification number of machine;
- (iv) Purpose for which the machine is required.

3. No person shall dispose of any industrial sewing machine for use in the manufacture of one or more of the classes of articles enumerated in the Schedule hereto to any other person unless the latter delivers a permit issued to him in terms of regulation 2 hereof. Such permit shall be retained by the supplier.

4. Every person whose business it is to import, sell or install industrial sewing machines for use in the manufacture of one or more of the classes of articles enumerated in the schedule hereto shall—

- (a) within fourteen days after the date of publication of this Notice in the *Gazette* render a return showing the following information:—
 - (i) Sales of each type of industrial sewing machine during the years 1938, 1939,

- 1940, 1941 and the period 1st January, 1942, to 28th February, 1943;
- (ii) Stocks of each type of industrial sewing machine as at the 28th February, 1943;
- (b) render a monthly return not later than the 15th day of each month showing the following information in respect of each preceding month for each type of industrial sewing machine:—
- (i) Stocks at the commencement of the month;
- (ii) Receipts during the month;
- (iii) Sales during the month;
- (iv) Stocks at the end of each month.

All returns and all applications for permits must be addressed to the Controller.

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

6. 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.

By Command of His Excellency
the High Commissioner.

H. E. PRIESTMAN,
Administrative Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,
Cape Town, 13th February, 1943.

SCHEDULE.

Bags; blankets; braces and suspenders; canvas goods; hats and caps; household linen; knitted garments; mattresses; millinery; men's and boys' outer garments; men's and boys' under garments; women's and maids' outer garments; women's and maids' under garments; shirts, collars and pyjamas; ties.

ANNEXURE.

The Controller of Textiles.

1. Name of Company, Firm or Person.....
2. Address of Company, Firm or Person.....
3. Date Factory Registered.....
4. Classes of Articles Manufactured.....
5. Number of Employees Operating Industrial Sewing Machines:—

	Male.	Female.	Totals.
European.....			
Coloured.....			
Asiatic.....			
Native.....			
TOTALS.....			

6. Census of Industrial Sewing Machines:

Type of Machine.	Make and Classification Number.	NUMBER IN FACTORY.		NUMBER IN USE.		Number in Good Condition not in Use.	Number which cannot be used due to Lack of Spares.	Average No. of Machine Hours Worked per Week per Machine in Use.
		At 1st January, 1939.	At Present.	At 1st January, 1939.	At Present.			
<p>7. Whether industrial sewing machines, needles and spare parts are imported direct or whether they are purchased from a local agency or agencies. If purchased from local agency or agencies, state name/s and address/es of agency or agencies.</p> <p>I,, Director / Manager / Secretary of hereby declare that the information given in this form is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct.</p> <p>Date..... (Signed).....</p>								