

(2) Whenever an Order has been made under the provisions of this section, the import duties of Customs on wheat or flour, as increased or reduced thereby shall, for so long as such Order remains in force, be leviable and recoverable in accordance with the provisions of the Law for the time being in force relating to the levying and collecting of such duties.

4. The Flour (Duties of Customs Variation) Law, 1935, is hereby repealed.

Repeal of
Law 17 of
1935.

No. 16 OF 1938.

A LAW TO PROVIDE FOR A SUMMER AFTERNOON
RECESS IN PLACES OF BUSINESS.

H. R. PALMER,
Governor.

[17th June, 1938.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Cyprus as follows :—

1. This Law may be cited as the Summer Afternoon Recess Law, 1938.

Short title.

2. In this Law—

“place of business” includes any place or premises in or upon which any trade, industry or business is carried on.

Interpreta-
tion.

3.—(1) The Governor may by Order in Council to be published in the *Gazette* (hereinafter called “a closing order”) direct that places of business shall be closed and kept closed—

Power to
Governor in
Council to
make closing
orders.

(a) during such period between the first day of June and the thirtieth day of September in any year ; and

(b) on such days of the week ; and

(c) for such interval between the hours of twelve o'clock noon and three o'clock in the afternoon (hereinafter called “the afternoon recess”),

as may be specified in the Order :

Provided that the Governor in Council may exempt from the operation of any such Order any place of business specified therein.

(2) Subject to the provisions of section 5 no trade, industry or business whatsoever shall be carried on in any place of business affected by a closing order during the afternoon recess specified in such order.

Application of closing order.

4. A closing order may be made to apply either in respect of places of business throughout the Colony or to places of business in any town, village or area specified therein.

Power to Commissioner to permit opening of place of business in certain cases.

5. Notwithstanding anything contained in any closing order the Commissioner may by permit in writing under his hand for such purpose or in such circumstances as may be specified therein authorize any place of business to be opened or kept open during the afternoon recess specified in any such order, subject to such terms and conditions as he may see fit to impose.

Places of business where more than one kind of trade, etc., is carried on.

6. Where more than one kind of trade, industry or business is carried on at the same place of business, and any one kind is such as would, if carried on alone at such place of business, exempt such place of business from the operation of a closing order, such place of business shall not, if otherwise coming within the operation of any such order, be opened or kept open during the afternoon recess except under a permit in writing obtained from the Commissioner and subject to such terms and conditions as he may see fit to impose.

Offences and penalties.

7. Any person who contravenes any provision of this Law or of any closing order, or any term or condition contained in a permit granted by the Commissioner pursuant to section 5 or 6 shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to a fine of ten pounds.

Exemptions.

8. Nothing in this Law or in any closing order contained shall apply to—

(a) any place of business in any town, village or area during the holding of a local fair in any such town, village or area ;

(b) any market established under the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Laws, 1930 to 1938, or of the Public Health (Villages) Laws, 1936 and 1937, or of the Summer Resorts (Development) Law, 1938 ;

(c) any bazaar or sale of work for religious, charitable or other purposes from which no private profit is derived.

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9. This Law shall not affect the exercise of any powers conferred by any other Law on the Governor in Council, the Governor or any public officer, nor shall any order made under this Law affect the operation of any public instrument made or issued in exercise of any such powers under any such other Law. Saving.

No. 17 OF 1938.

A LAW TO RATIFY AND CONFIRM AN AGREEMENT ENTERED INTO BETWEEN THE GOVERNOR OF THE FIRST PART, THE OTTOMAN BANK OF THE SECOND PART AND THE AGRICULTURAL BANK OF CYPRUS LIMITED OF THE THIRD PART.

H. R. PALMER,
Governor.

[17th June, 1938.]

WHEREAS an Agreement was made on the tenth day of June, 1938, between the Governor of the first part, the Ottoman Bank of No. 26 Throgmorton Street in the City of London whose principal place of business in the Colony is situated in Nicosia in the Colony of the second part and the Agricultural Bank of Cyprus Limited, a company incorporated under the Companies (Limited Liability) Laws, 1922 to 1934, whose registered office is situated in Nicosia in the Colony of the third part, which Agreement is set out in the Schedule :

AND WHEREAS the said Agreement must in accordance with its provisions be ratified and confirmed by legislation :

AND WHEREAS it is desirable that the said Agreement and all its provisions should be so ratified and confirmed :

BE it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Cyprus as follows :—

1. This Law may be cited as the Agricultural Bank of Cyprus Limited Agreement (Ratification) Law, 1938, Short title,