



SUPPLEMENT No. 2

TO

THE CYPRUS GAZETTE No. 4100 OF 27TH DECEMBER, 1957.

LEGISLATION.

THE STATUTE LAWS OF CYPRUS

No. 38 OF 1957.

A LAW TO AMEND THE INTOXICATING LIQUOR (MANUFACTURE) LICENSING LAWS, 1950 TO 1957. 24 of 1950
21 of 1954
2 of 1957

HUGH FOOT,]
Governor.

[*24th December, 1957.*

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 Intoxicating Liquor (Manufacture) Licensing (Amendment No. 2) Law, 1957, and shall be read as one with the Intoxicating Liquor (Manufacture) Licensing Laws, 1950 to 1957 (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Law"), and the principal Law and this Law may together be cited as the Intoxicating Liquor (Manufacture) Licensing Laws, 1950 to (No. 2) 1957. Short title.
24 of 1950
21 of 1954
2 of 1957.

Amendment
of section
2 of the
principal
Law.

2. The definition of "methylated" or "denatured" spirits, contained in sub-section (1) of section 2 of the principal Law, is hereby amended by the substitution for the figures and words "140 per centum" (line 2) of the figures and words "150 per centum".

Amendment
of section 3
of the
principal
Law.

3. Section 3 of the principal Law is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) by the substitution in sub-section (2) thereof for the words "ten pounds" (line 3) of the words "twenty-five pounds";

(b) by the insertion therein, immediately after sub-section (3), of the following new sub-section:—

"(3A) No licence shall be issued under this section until the entry referred to in sub-section (1) of section 10 has been made by the manufacturer and checked by an Officer."

Amendment
of section 8
of the
principal
Law.

4. Section 8 of the principal Law is hereby amended by the substitution for the words "The premises shall be maintained at all times in proper repair and condition" (lines 1 and 2) of the words "Premises, stills, vessels and utensils used by a manufacturer in the manufacture or storage of intoxicating liquor shall be maintained at all times in proper repair, condition, and state of security".

Amendment
of section
10 of the
principal
Law.

5. Sub-section (2) of section 10 of the principal Law is hereby amended by the substitution for the words "twenty pounds" (lines 3 and 4) of the words "fifty pounds".

Amendment
of section
17 of the
principal
Law.

6. Section 17 of the principal Law is hereby amended as follows:—

(a) by the substitution in sub-section (1) thereof for the words "quantity and destination of such liquor or spirits together with the date of removal and, in the case of intoxicating liquors, the proof strength thereof" (lines 7-10) of the words "quantity, proof strength and destination of such liquor or spirits together with the date of removal";

(b) by the substitution in paragraph (a) of sub-section (2) thereof for the words "the description and quantity of such liquor and spirits and, in the case of intoxicating liquor, the proof strength thereof" (lines 10-13) of the words "the description, quantity and proof strength of such liquor or spirits";

(c) by the substitution in paragraph (b) of sub-section (2) thereof for the words "quantity and destination of such liquor and spirits and, in the case of intoxicating liquors, the proof strength thereof" (lines 10-13) of the words "quantity, proof strength and destination of such liquor or spirits";

(d) by the substitution in sub-section (4) thereof for the words "enter upon the way-bill the place and date of delivery, the name of the person to whom they were

delivered and the description and quantity so delivered in each case" (lines 7-10) of the words "prepare and sign or cause to be prepared and signed an invoice in respect of such liquor or spirits, setting forth the address of his premises, the date of such delivery, the description, quantity and proof strength of such liquor or spirits, and the name and address of the person taking delivery thereof, and shall enter upon the way-bill the same particulars as are required to be shown on such invoice";

- (e) by the substitution in sub-section (5) thereof for the words, brackets and figures "sub-sections (1) and (3) provided" (lines 3 and 4) of the words, brackets and figures "sub-sections (1), (2) and (3) provided".

7. Section 18 of the principal Law is hereby repealed and the following section substituted therefor:—

"Removal of intoxicating liquor to premises of other manufacturer.

18.—(1) Intoxicating liquor may, with the written permission of the Comptroller, be removed prior to the payment of excise duty from the premises of a manufacturer to the premises of another manufacturer, upon the person removing such liquor or his agent giving such security therefor as the Comptroller may require and under such conditions as the Comptroller may deem fit to impose.

(2) The Officer at the receiving manufacturer's premises shall take account of the intoxicating liquor immediately on receipt.

(3) If any of the containers show a loss in excess of that prescribed for losses in transit under bond, he shall advise the Officer at the premises of the despatching manufacturer of the amount by which the loss on any container exceeds that allowed, and the latter Officer shall charge the despatching manufacturer excise duty on that amount at the current rate in force. The despatching manufacturer may claim remission or repayment of that duty by written application to the Comptroller, giving a full explanation of such excessive loss, and the Comptroller, if satisfied, may authorise such remission or repayment, in full or in part.

(4) If no loss in transit occurs, or if all losses are within those prescribed, the Officer at the receiving manufacturer's premises shall issue to the Officer at the despatching manufacturer's premises a certificate of receipt for the entire quantity as advised, crediting the receiving manufacturer with the actual quantity received."

Repeal of section 18 of the principal Law and substitution of new section.

Repeal of section 24 of the principal Law and substitution of new section.

8. Section 24 of the principal Law is hereby repealed and the following section substituted therefor:—

“ Labelling and prohibition of adulteration, dilution or grogging of intoxicating liquor.

24.—(1) No person shall deliver, sell, expose or offer for sale, for home consumption, intoxicating liquor in bottle, unless each such bottle is properly corked and capsuled to the satisfaction of the Comptroller, a label being firmly attached thereon setting forth in respect of such intoxicating liquor the manufacturer's name, description, proof strength by reference to which the excise duty chargeable thereon was computed, and the quantity in fluid ounces contained in such bottle.

(2) After delivery from a manufacturer's premises of any intoxicating liquor for consumption in the Colony, no manufacturer, dealer in or retailer of intoxicating liquor shall dilute or adulterate such intoxicating liquor by the addition thereto of zivania, water, colouring or flavouring matter or any other thing whatsoever, or wilfully change its original character.

(3) No person shall—

- (a) subject any cask or vat to any process for the purpose of extracting any spirits absorbed in the wood thereof; or
- (b) have on his premises any cask or vat which has been subjected to any such process; or
- (c) have on his premises any intoxicating liquor which has been extracted from the wood of any cask or vat.

(4) Any person who acts in contravention of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to imprisonment not exceeding six months or to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds or to both such imprisonment and fine and the Court trying the case may order that any intoxicating liquor and anything by means of, or in relation to, which the offence has been committed shall be forfeited.”

Insertion of new Part and sections in the principal Law.

9. The principal Law is hereby amended by the insertion therein, immediately after section 27, of the following Part and sections:—

“ PART IIA.—MATURATION WAREHOUSES.

Licensing of maturation warehouses.

27A. Intoxicating liquor manufactured by a manufacturer licensed under the provisions of this Law which is kept for maturation in wooden casks or wooden vats and which is intended for subsequent export or delivery for home consumption may be warehoused in maturation warehouses licensed by the Comptroller, upon the payment of

a fee of one pound and subject to such terms and conditions as the Comptroller may deem fit to impose.

Licence to be personal to holder.

27B.—(1) A licence granted under the provisions of this section shall be personal to the holder and shall be valid only in respect of the premises mentioned therein.

Duration of licence.

(2) A licence shall not be transferable save with the approval of the Comptroller.

27C. Every licence shall, unless previously cancelled, expire on the thirty-first day of December in the year in which it was issued.

No fee refunded.

27D. No fee paid in respect of any licence shall be refunded on the ground that the licence has been cancelled.”.

10. Paragraph (d) of section 33 of the principal Law is hereby amended by the substitution for the figures and words “131.2 per centum” (lines 4 and 5) of the figures and words “150 per centum”.

Amendment of section 33 of the principal Law.

11. Form A in the Schedule to the principal Law is hereby amended by the substitution for the words, symbol and figures “FEE PAID, £10” (line 12) of the words, symbol and figures “FEE PAID, £25”.

Amendment of Schedule to the principal Law.

24th December, 1957.

A. F. J. REDDAWAY,
Administrative Secretary.

No. 39 OF 1957.

A LAW TO REPEAL THE LEPERS LAW.

CAP. 112
40 of 1954.

HUGH FOOT,
Governor.

[24th December, 1957.]

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 Lepers (Repeal) Law, 1957. Short title.
2. The Lepers Law is hereby repealed. Cap. 112.
repealed.

24th December, 1957.

A. F. J. REDDAWAY,
Administrative Secretary.