

[Chap1402]CHAPTER 14:02 PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC SECURITY

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An Act to make provision for the Preservation of Public Security and for matters incidental thereto

[15TH JUNE 1960]

[Ch1402s1]1. **Short title**

This Act may be cited as the Preservation of Public Security Act.

[Ch1402s2]2. **Interpretation**

17 of 1992, 21 of 1993 In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires—

“**public security**” includes the securing of the safety of persons and property, the maintenance of supplies and services essential to the life of the community, the prevention and suppression of violence, intimidation, disorder and crime, the maintenance of the administration of justice and the prevention and suppression of mutiny, rebellion and concerted defiance of and disobedience to lawfully constituted authority and the laws in force in Malawi;

[Ch1402s3]3. **Public security regulations**

17 of 1992, 21 of 1993 (1) If at any time the Minister is satisfied that it is necessary for the preservation of public security so to do, he may, by notice published in the *Gazette*, declare that the provisions of subsection (2) shall come into operation and thereupon those provisions shall come into operation accordingly; and they shall continue in operation until the Minister, by further notice published in the *Gazette*, directs that they shall cease to have effect, whereupon they shall cease to have effect except as respects things previously done or omitted to be done.

(2) The Minister may, for the preservation of public security by regulations—

- (a) make provision for the prohibition of the publication and dissemination of matter which appears to him to be prejudicial to public security, and, to the extent which appears to him to be necessary for that purpose, for the regulation and control of the production, publishing, sale, supply, distribution and possession of publications;
- (b) make provision for the prohibition, restriction and control of assemblies;
- (c) make provision for the prohibition, restriction and control of residence, movement and transport of persons, the possession, acquisition, use and transport of movable property, and the entry to, egress from, occupation and use of immovable property;
- (d) make provision for the regulation, control and maintenance of supplies and services;
- (e) make provision requiring persons to do work and render services;
- (f) make provision for, and authorize the doing of, such other things as appear to him to be strictly required by the exigencies of the situation in Malawi.

[Ch1402s4]4. **Incidental and supplementary provisions in regulations**

Regulations made under section 3 may—

- (a) make provision for the payment of compensation and remuneration to persons affected by the regulations;

- (b) make provision for the apprehension and trial of persons offending against the regulations, and, notwithstanding section 21 (e) of the General Interpretation Act, for such penalties as the Minister may think fit for offences thereunder; **Cap. 1:01**
- (c) make provision for amending or for suspending the operation of any law other than the Constitution;
- (d) make provision for empowering such authorities and persons as may be specified in the regulations to make orders and rules for any of the purposes for which such regulations may be made;
- (e) make provision for the delegation and transfer of powers and duties conferred and imposed by or under the regulations;
- (f) contain such other incidental and supplementary provisions as appear to the Minister to be necessary or desirable for the purposes of such regulations:

Provided that nothing in the foregoing provisions of this section or in section 3 shall authorize the making of any regulations providing for the trial of persons by military courts.

[Ch1402s5]5. Application and effect of regulations

(1) Any regulation made under this Act may be made to apply to Malawi or to any part thereof, and to any person or class of persons or to the public generally.

(2) Any regulation made under this Act, and any order or rule made under any such regulation, shall have effect notwithstanding anything inconsistent therewith contained in any law other than the Constitution, and to the extent of any such inconsistency and such law as aforesaid shall have no effect so long as such regulation, order or rule shall remain in force.

[Ch1402s6]6. Proof of documents

Every document purporting to be an order, licence, permit, certificate, direction, authority, or other document made, granted or issued by the Minister or any other authority or person in pursuance of this Act or any regulation made under this Act or any order or rule made under any such regulation, and purporting to be signed by or on behalf of the Minister or such other authority or person, shall be received in evidence, and shall, until the contrary is proved, be deemed to have been made, granted or issued by the Minister or that authority or person.

[Ch1402s7]7-11. Repealed by Act No. 21 of 1993.

[Repealed by Act No. 21 of 1993.]

SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION

DECLARATION

under s. 3

G.N. 70/1964(M)

The Minister has declared that section 3 (2) of the Act shall come into operation.

THE PUBLIC SECURITY REGULATIONS

ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

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THE PUBLIC SECURITY REGULATIONS

under s. 3

1. Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the Public Security Regulations.

2. Interpretation

In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—

“**authorized officer**” includes a police officer not below the rank of Inspector, a person holding a commission in the armed forces of Malawi and any person duly authorized in writing as an authorized officer for the purpose of these Regulations by the Minister or by the Commissioner of Police;

“**firearm**” means any barrelled weapon of any description from which any shot, bullet or other missile can be discharged or which can be adapted for the discharge of any such shot, bullet or other missile, and any weapon of whatever description designed or adapted for the discharge of any noxious liquid, gas or other thing dangerous to human beings, and includes any component part of any such weapon as aforesaid and any accessory to any such weapon designed or adapted to eliminate or diminish the noise or flash caused by firing any such weapon, but does not include any antique firearm which has been rendered incapable of use as a firearm.

3. Control orders

(1) The Minister may, if he considers it to be necessary for the preservation of public order so to do, make a control order against any person (hereinafter referred to as “a controlled person”). **G.N. 6/1994**

(2) A control order may be made for all or any of the following purposes, that is to say—

- (a) for prohibiting, except insofar as may be permitted by the order or by a written permit issued by the Minister, the controlled person from entering, leaving or remaining in any such place or area in Malawi as may be specified in the order;
- (b) for requiring the controlled person to notify his movements in such manner, at such times and to such persons as may be specified in the order; and
- (c) for requiring the controlled person to report to such persons, at such times and at such places as may be specified in the order.

(3) Any permit issued under subregulation (2) (a) shall specify the purpose for which it is issued and may be issued subject to such terms and conditions as may appear expedient to the Minister.

(4) A control order shall come into force upon the date thereof and the controlled person shall forthwith remove or be removed from any place from which he is prohibited from entering or remaining in or to any place which he is prohibited from leaving by an authorized officer, police officer or any person acting on behalf of the Minister. Any controlled person, whilst being so removed, shall be deemed to be in lawful custody.

(5) A controlled person who contravenes any of the provisions of the control order made against him or who fails to comply with any of the terms and conditions of any permit issued under subregulation (2) (a) shall be guilty of an offence.

(6) Any controlled person who is at any time in any place or area in contravention of the provisions of a control order or of the terms or conditions of any permit issued under subregulation (2) (a) may be removed from that place or area by any authorized officer, police officer or any person acting on behalf of the Minister, and for such purpose such force as may

be reasonably necessary may be used. Any controlled person, whilst being so removed, shall be deemed to be in lawful custody.

(7) In every case where a control order has been made under this regulation, the Minister, or other such person as may be appointed by the Minister for this purpose, shall, at the end of a period of six months from the date of the making of such order, and thereafter at the end of every ensuing three months, review such order and shall consider whether such order should be revoked or amended having regard to all the circumstances.

(8) Any authorized officer may, without warrant, arrest any person in respect of whom he has reason to believe that there are grounds which would justify the making of a control order against him under this regulation, and any such person may be detained in custody for a period not exceeding 28 days pending a decision whether a control order should be made against him.

4. Acts, words or writings prejudicial to public safety or public order

(1) No person shall do any act or publish anything likely— [G.N. 6/1994](#)

- (a) to be prejudicial to public security;
- (b) to undermine the authority of, or the public confidence in, the Government;
- (c) to promote feeling of ill-will or hostility between any sections or classes or races of the inhabitants of Malawi; or
- (d) to promote, or shall attempt to promote, industrial unrest in any industry in Malawi in which he has not been *bona fide* engaged for at least two years immediately preceding.

(2) Any person who contravenes this regulation shall be guilty of an offence.

(3) For the purposes of this regulation, the word “publish” includes any publication by means of words written or spoken, pictorial representations, gramophone records and cinema films, including sound tracks.

5. Control of firearms, ammunition and explosives

(1) Subject to the general and special directions of the Minister, the Commissioner of Police may by order— [G.N. 6/1994](#)

- (a) prohibit, restrict or regulate the buying, selling or otherwise dealing in firearms, ammunition or explosive substance, either in Malawi generally or in any area specified in such order;
- (b) direct all persons having in their possession or custody, either in Malawi generally or in such area as may be specified in the order, any firearms, ammunition or explosive substance to surrender the same forthwith to an authorized officer or to any police station, or to keep or deposit the same in a place approved by the Commissioner of Police or in a place specified in the order:
Provided that an order under this paragraph may exempt therefrom such persons or classes of persons as may be specified therein;
- (c) cancel or suspend any licence, permit or certificate issued in relation to any firearms under any law in force in Malawi or direct that any such licence, permit or certificate shall have effect subject to such conditions as may be specified in the order.

(2) Any person who contravenes any order made under subregulation (1) shall be liable to a fine of £500 and to imprisonment for ten years.

6. Illegal possession of firearms

Any person who carries or has in his possession or under his control any firearm, ammunition or explosive substance without lawful authority shall be liable to a fine of £500 and to imprisonment for ten years. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

7. Special areas

(1) If, as respects any area, it appears to the Minister to be necessary that special precautions should be taken for the preservation of public order, he may by order declare such area to be a special area for the purpose of this regulation. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

(2) It shall be the duty of any person in a special area to stop and submit to search when called upon so to do by any administrative officer, police officer or any member of the armed forces of Malawi, and, if any person fails to stop when challenged or called upon to stop by any such officer or member, he shall be guilty of an offence and may be arrested by any such officer or member without warrant.

(3) It shall be lawful for any administrative officer, police officer or any member of the armed forces of Malawi in order—

- (a) to effect an arrest under subregulation (2); or
- (b) to overcome forcible resistance offered by any person to such arrest; or
- (c) to prevent evasion or escape from arrest or the rescue of any person arrested as aforesaid,

to use such force as, in the circumstances of the case, may be reasonably necessary, which force may extend to the use of lethal weapons.

8. Power to disconnect telephones

Subject to the general and special directions of the Minister, the Postmaster-General may, if he considers it to be necessary for the preservation of public order, disconnect any telephone service in Malawi. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

9. Power to obtain information

(1) Any person shall, on being requested by an authorized officer or police officer, furnish or produce to an authorized officer or police officer any information, article, book or document in his possession or power which the authorized officer or police officer making the request considers it necessary for the preservation of public security to obtain or examine, and if any person fails to furnish or produce any such information, article, book or document in pursuance of a request duly made to him under this regulation, he shall be liable to imprisonment for seven years. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

(2) Where any person fails to furnish or produce any article, book or document in pursuance of a request duly made to him by an authorized officer or police officer under subregulation (1) such authorized officer or police officer may himself take possession thereof.

10. Consorting with and harbouring suspected persons

(1) Any person who consorts with any other person whom he knows or has reasonable cause to believe to be a person who intends or is about to act, or has recently acted, in a manner prejudicial to the preservation of public order, shall be liable to imprisonment for seven years. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

(2) Any person who harbours any other person whom he knows or has reasonable cause to believe to be a person who intends or is about to act, or has recently acted, in a manner prejudicial to the preservation of public order, shall be liable to imprisonment for seven years:

Provided that, save in respect of supplying any other person with shelter or assisting any other person to evade apprehension, no person shall be convicted of an offence against this subregulation if he proves that, prior to being charged with or accused of such offence, he voluntarily gave full information of the offence to a police officer.

(3) For the purpose of this regulation, "harbour" includes the supplying of a person with shelter, food, drink, money, clothing or other valuable commodity, any medicine or drug or other medical supplies, or any material or instrument or part thereof for printing, typewriting or duplicating words or objects in visible form, or means of conveyance, or assisting a person in any way to evade apprehension.

(4) Where any authorized officer reasonably suspects that any building, hut or other structure is being used or is intended to be used for the purpose of harbouring or otherwise assisting any person who intends to act, or who has recently acted, in a manner prejudicial to the preservation of public order, such authorized officer may, if he is satisfied that it is in the

interests of public order so to do, order that such building, hut or other structure shall be dismantled or destroyed.

11. Control of vessels and vehicles

(1) Any authorized officer may, if it is necessary for the preservation of public order so to do, issue orders for the prohibition, control or regulation of movement or use of any vessel or road vehicle. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

(2) Any person who fails to comply with any order made under subregulation (1) shall be guilty of an offence, and may be arrested without warrant.

(3) Where any person is charged with an offence contrary to subregulation (2), it shall be competent for any authorized officer to seize any vessel or vehicle in respect of which the offence was committed pending the hearing of the charge concerned.

12. Obligation to do work or render services

Where any authorized officer is satisfied that the exigencies of the situation so require, such authorized officer may order, either in writing or verbally, any person to perform any such work or to render such services as the authorized officer may deem to be necessary. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

13. Powers of search

Any authorized officer, and any person acting under the direction of an authorized officer, may, for the purpose of exercising or performing any powers or duties conferred or imposed upon him by these Regulations or any order made thereunder, or if he suspects that any evidence of the commission of an offence against these Regulations or against the Penal Code or any other law relating to public security is likely to be found, without warrant enter and search any premises, vessel, aircraft, train, vehicle or individual, and may seize anything found therein or on such individual as the case may be. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

14. Penalties

Any person who commits an offence against these Regulations for which no penalty is specially provided shall be liable to a fine of K 1000 and to imprisonment for five years. [G.N. 6/1994](#)

ORDER

under regulation 6 (1) (b) of the Public Security Regulations

G.N. 196/1967 88/1971

The Commissioner of Police has directed that all persons, other than police officers and members of the armed forces of Malawi acting in the performance of their duties, who have in their possession or custody any firearms, ammunition or explosive substances, with the exception of shot guns, muzzleloading guns and air guns, within the area set out in the Schedule should surrender all such firearms, ammunition and explosive substances forthwith to a police officer, an officer of the armed forces of Malawi, or to the nearest police station.

SCHEDULE

The whole of the Districts of Mangochi, Machinga, Karonga, Chitipa, Rumphi, Nkhata Bay and Mzimba.

ORDER

under reg. 8 (1) of the Public Security Regulations

G.N. 55/1965 251/1965 88/1971

The Minister has declared that the area set out in the Schedule hereto shall be a special area for the purpose of regulation 8 of the Public Security Regulations.

SCHEDULE

The whole of the Districts of Mangochi, Machinga, Karonga, Chitipa, Rumphi, Nkhata Bay and Mzimba.

PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC SECURITY (AIR SERVICES) REGULATIONS

under s. 3

G.N. 111/1966

1. Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the Preservation of Public Security (Air Services) Regulations.

2. Interpretation

In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—

“**air service**” shall have the meaning assigned thereto in section 2 of the Act;

“**Minister**” means the Minister of Transport and Communications;

“**permit**” means a permit issued by the Minister under these Regulations authorizing the holder thereof to provide an air service to, from or within Malawi;

“**the Act**” means the Air Services Act. [Cap. 70:02](#)

3. No air service to be provided without permit

Notwithstanding the Act, no person shall provide an air service to, from or within Malawi—

(a) otherwise than in accordance with the conditions of a permit; or

(b) while the permit authorizing the provision of the air service is suspended, whether or not such person holds a permit issued under and in accordance with the Act.

4. Application for permit

(1) An application for the issue, renewal, transfer or amendment of a permit shall be made to the Minister in such manner as the Minister may direct.

(2) Section 5 (2) and (3) of the Act and, if the Minister so directs, such of the provisions of sections 6 and 7 of the Act as the Minister may specify, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply in relation to an application under and in accordance with subregulation (1).

(3) If the Minister wishes to refer an application under and in accordance with subregulation (1) to a tribunal, sections 9 to 12 inclusive of the Act in relation to matters referred to a tribunal by the Minister shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply.

(4) Where the Minister—

(a) has directed under subregulation (2) that any of the provisions of sections 6 and 7 of the Act shall apply in relation to any application; or

(b) wishes to refer the application to a tribunal under subregulation (3), the fee that would have been payable under section 20 of the Act, had the application been made under the Act, shall be payable.

5. Rejection of application

(1) The Minister may, with or without the recommendation of a tribunal, reject an application made under and in accordance with regulation 4 (1) or grant, revoke, suspend, transfer, renew or vary a permit, whether or not application therefor has been made, and include such conditions to a permit as he thinks necessary or expedient.

(2) Where the Minister has granted a permit to any person he may suspend the application of the Act in respect of the holder of such permit.

6. Renewal of permit

If a holder of a permit applies for the renewal of the permit before the lapse of the period of its validity, the permit shall be treated as being in force until the holder is notified in writing on behalf of the Minister that the Minister has refused his application or has renewed the permit.

7. Offences and penalties

A person who—

(a) procures or attempts to procure for himself or another a permit by means of fraud, a false representation or the concealment of a material fact;

(b) makes or causes to be made in connexion with an application a false declaration in a document used for the purposes of the application;

(c) forges or utters, knowing the same to be forged, a document purporting to be a permit; or

(d) contravenes regulation 3,

shall be liable to a fine of £500 and to imprisonment for two years.

**PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC SECURITY (CONSERVATION OF MOTOR FUEL)
REGULATIONS**

under s. 3

G.N. 74/1979 16/1980 162/1980 22/1981

1. Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the Preservation of Public Security (Conservation of Motor Fuel) Regulations.

2. Interpretation

In these Regulations unless the context otherwise requires—

“**container**” means any receptacle other than a tank to which the Petroleum (Storage) Regulations apply and the fuel tank of a vehicle with which that vehicle was equipped at the time of manufacture and any necessary replacement thereof;

“**diesel oil**” means any hydrocarbon oil ordinarily supplied or used as fuel for any diesel engine;

“**fuel**” means petroleum spirit, diesel oil, illuminating paraffin oil, gas oil and furnace fuel, but does not include aviation spirit;

“**fuel station**” means a petrol filling station where fuel is sold by retail direct to the consumer;

“**vehicle**” means a mechanically propelled conveyance constructed or adapted or intended for use or capable of being used on the road.

3. Prohibited fuel transactions

(1) Subject to subregulation (2), no person shall obtain and no person shall supply, at a fuel station, any fuel— [G.N. 22/1981](#)

(a) between 0600 hours and 1800 hours on a Saturday or Sunday;

(b) at any time during the period between 1800 hours and 0600 hours, otherwise than in accordance with the provisions of regulation 4.

(2) The Minister has power, by Order, to suspend the operation of the provisions of subregulation (1) or any of them and may, from time to time, delegate the exercise of such power to a public officer.

(3) No person at a fuel station shall obtain, or supply to any other person, in a container—

(a) any gas oil or furnace fuel otherwise than in accordance with the provisions of regulation 4;

(b) petroleum spirit in a quantity greater than 20 litres;

(c) illuminating paraffin oil in a quantity greater than 20 litres;

(d) diesel oil in a quantity greater than 200 litres.

(4) Any person who contravenes any provision of this regulation shall be guilty of an offence.

4. Permits

(1) A District Commissioner, and in the absence of the District Commissioner an Assistant District Commissioner, has power to issue under his hand a permit authorizing, subject to such conditions as shall be specified therein, the delivery of petroleum spirit or diesel oil into the fuel tank of a specified vehicle or container.

(2) A permit shall be issued in such form as is appropriate from among those set out in the First Schedule.

(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of regulation 3 (1), the holder of a permit may lawfully obtain, and a person may lawfully supply to the holder, fuel by delivery thereof into the fuel tank of a vehicle or container in compliance with the conditions specified in the permit.

(4) Any person who obtains or supplies fuel otherwise than in accordance with the conditions of any permit shall be guilty of an offence.

5. Purchase of fuel restricted to cash transactions

(1) Any person who, at any fuel station, buys or sells any fuel otherwise than for cash shall be guilty of an offence.

(2) For the purposes of this regulation, "cash" means payment in full in Malawian currency contemporaneously with the delivery of the relevant fuel, or payment by requisition order in the form specified in the First Schedule.

6. Application

(1) These Regulations do not apply with respect to the obtaining or supply of fuel direct into the fuel tank of any vehicle or class of vehicles owned or operated exclusively by any person or organization listed in the Second Schedule.

(2) Save as is otherwise expressly provided under these Regulations the said Regulations shall apply to the Government.

7. Penalties

Any person who commits an offence against these Regulations shall be liable to a fine of K2,000 and to imprisonment for a term of two years.

**FIRST SCHEDULE
FORMS**

FORM 1

Forms

PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC SECURITY ACT

(CAP. 14:02)

**PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC SECURITY (CONSERVATION OF MOTOR FUEL)
REGULATIONS**

(REGULATION 4)

PERMIT TO PURCHASE PETROL/DIESEL* (ONE PURCHASE ONLY)

This permit must be surrendered to the Filling Station Attendant at time of purchase of Petrol / Diesel .*

To
(Name)

Address

Registration mark of vehicle/capacity of container

Make (where applicable)

On the grounds stated below, the owner of the container or vehicle bearing the registration mark quoted above is hereby exempted from the application of regulation 3 of the Preservation of Public Security (Conservation of Motor Fuel) Regulations and is permitted to purchase Petrol/Diesel* at any fuel station, AND any person who, at any fuel station, sells to the above-named vehicle owner any such motor fuel, by delivery thereof into the fuel tank of the said motor vehicle, is, for the purpose of such sale and delivery, also exempt from the aforementioned regulation

Place

Date of issue

..... District Commissioner

(To be completed in triplicate)

FORM 2

PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC SECURITY ACT

(CAP. 14:02)

**PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC SECURITY (CONSERVATION OF MOTOR FUEL)
REGULATIONS
(REGULATION 4)**

PERMIT TO PURCHASE PETROL/DIESEL* (MULTIPLE PURCHASES)

Upon expiry this permit should be surrendered to the issuing District Commissioner

To
(Name)

Address

Registration mark of vehicle/capacity of container

Make (*where applicable*)

On the grounds stated below, the owner of the container or vehicle bearing the registration mark quoted above is hereby exempted from the application of regulation 3 of the Preservation of Public Security (Conservation of Motor Fuel) Regulations and is permitted to purchase Petrol/Diesel* at any fuel station, AND any person who, at any fuel station, sells to the above-named vehicle owner any such motor fuel, by delivery thereof into the fuel tank of the said motor vehicle, is, for the purpose of such sale and delivery, also exempt from the aforesaid regulation

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This permit shall be valid from
to and including

Date	Amount of Petrol/Diesel* delivered in liters	Name of filling station	Signature or thumbprint of Attendant

Place

Date of issue

..... District Commissioner

(To be completed in triplicate)

FORM 3

TRIPLICATE MALAWI GOVERNMENT G.P. 90B
REQUISITION FOR PETROL AND OIL SUPPLIES

B

		Vehicle No.
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Please supply the bearer with the supplies shown below for account of the
..... Department, 19

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..... (*Signature of Requisitioning Officer*)

Station (<i>Title</i>)
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	Litres/kg	Quantities (IN WORDS)
Petrol		
Lubricating Oil, Grade		
Paraffin, Power		
Paraffin, Illuminating		
Diesel Fuel		
Grease, Type		

Requisitioning Officers must strike out spaces not used above.

To be completed by Requisitioning Officer:		To be completed by Officer taking delivery:	
1. Office to which account is to be rendered:		RECEIVED	
Petrol		litres	
		Lubricating Oil	„
2. Estimated cost of purchase (in words):		Paraffin, Power	„
Paraffin, Illuminating		„	
Diesel Fuel		„	
..... Kwacha	Grease	kg	
..... tambala (Signature)		
3. Head Sub-head to be charged.	 (Title)	
DISTRIBUTION: Original—to supplier, to be sent by him to office indicated for payment at end of month. Duplicate—to supplier, for retention by him. Triplicate—to remain in book.			
4. Certified (i) that funds are available to meet the cost of this purchase, on Warrant No. held by me; and (ii) that the estimated cost has been entered in my Votes Ledger as a commitment. Signature			

FORM 4

TRIPLICATE
REQUISITION FOR PETROL AND OIL SUPPLIES TO VEHICLES OWNED BY A STATUTORY
BODY

No.

	Vehicle No.
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Please supply the bearer with the supplies shown below for account of the (*Name of Statutory Body*)

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....., 19.....

..... (*Signature of Requisitioning Officer*)

Station

..... (Title)

	Litres/kg	Quantities (IN WORDS)
Petrol		
Lubricating Oil, Grade		
Paraffin, Power		
Paraffin, Illuminating		
Diesel Fuel		
Grease, Type		

Requisitioning Officers must strike out spaces not used above.

To be completed by Requisitioning Officer:	To be completed by Officer taking Delivery:
	RECEIVED
1. Office to which account is to be rendered:	Petrol litres Lub. Oil " Paraffin, Power " Paraffin, Illum. "
2. Estimated cost of purchase (in words) Kwacha tambala	Diesel fuel " Grease kg (Signature)
3. Head Sub-head to be charged. (Title)
4. Certified (i) that funds are available to meet the cost of this purchase, on Warrant No. held by me; and (ii) that the estimated cost has been entered in my Votes Ledger as a commitment.	DISTRIBUTION: Original—to supplier, to be sent by him to office indicated for payment at end of month. Duplicate—to supplier, for retention by him.
Signature	Triplicate—to remain in book.

SECOND SCHEDULE

Owner of Vehicle

1. State Residences
2. Malawi Army
3. Malawi Police Force
4. Malawi Young Pioneers (excluding Spearhead Enterprises) acting pursuant to section 9 of the Young Pioneers Act
5. Air Malawi
6. Heads and Deputy Heads of Diplomatic Missions
7. Vehicles owned by the following statutory bodies—
 - (a) Electricity Supply Commission
 - (b) Lilongwe Water Board
 - (c) Blantyre Water Board

8. Malawi Railways

Type of Vehicle

1. Hospital Ambulances
2. Bulk fuel delivery vehicles
3. Fire Service vehicles
4. "Motor omnibuses" as defined in regulation 2 of the Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) (Operation) Regulations (Cap. 69:01 sub. leg. p. 227)

PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC SECURITY (PHALOMBE LANDSLIDES AND FLOODS) REGULATIONS

under s. 3

G.N. 29/1991

1. Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the Preservation of Public Security (Phalombe Landslides and Floods) Regulations.

2. Interpretation

In these Regulations—

“**affected areas**” means the areas specified in the Schedule hereto;

“**affected persons**” means persons registered under regulation 4.

3. Safety and protection of persons, etc., in affected areas

For securing the safety and protection of persons and property and the maintenance of supplies and services essential to the life of the community in the areas specified in the Schedule hereto, being the areas affected by the natural calamities of landslides and floods which occurred in those areas in the month of March 1991—

- (a) the Secretary to the President and Cabinet shall cause to be assessed and ascertained the degree of damage and the scale of calamity occasioned by the landslides and floods in the affected areas;
- (b) every Ministry and Department of the Government shall make all due effort for, and accord priority to, the provision of such supplies and services as are within the scope of its responsibility essential for the restoration of the normal life of the community in the affected areas;
- (c) the Secretary to the President and Cabinet shall establish procedures as he deems expedient for the receiving, administration and distribution of food, materials, funds and other items of assistance for the relief of affected persons and may, for the implementation of such procedures, establish task forces consisting of officers in the civil service, the Army, the Police and persons in other organizations or members of the general public;
- (d) the Secretary to the President and Cabinet or such other public officers as he may designate, may make appeals to the general public or to any non-governmental agency in Malawi or to any government or international agency for donations of medical supplies, materials, food, funds and other forms of assistance to be channelled to, or applied for the relief of, affected persons and shall cause to be kept proper records of all donations received from any source for the purpose of these Regulations;
- (e) the Minister may make such arrangements as he considers expedient for the resettlement or rehabilitation of affected persons and may, for that purpose, direct the acquisition of any land under the Land Acquisition Act or by other lawful means. **Cap. 58:04**

4. Registration of affected persons

(1) The Secretary to the President and Cabinet shall cause to be registered names and particulars of all persons adversely affected by the occurrence of landslides and floods in the affected areas.

(2) The persons registered under subregulation (1) shall be the persons eligible under these Regulations to receive such assistance as the Secretary to the President and Cabinet or other public officers duly designated by him in that behalf may determine in relation to each of such persons.

5. Orders and rules

The Secretary to the President and Cabinet may make such orders or rules as he considers expedient for the carrying out of these Regulations.

6. Continuation in force of these Regulations

(1) These Regulations shall cease to have effect upon notice to that effect made by the Minister under section 3 (1) of the Act and published in the *Gazette*.

(2) After publication of a notice under subregulation (1) the Minister shall cause to be produced a written report of the operation of these Regulations and shall lay such report before the National Assembly during a meeting thereof commencing next after the publication of such notice.

SCHEDULE (reg. 2)

The whole area comprising the area of jurisdiction of—

- (a) Chief Mkhumba
- (b) Chief Nazombe
- (c) Chief Mkanda

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(DECLARATION) NOTICE**

under s. 3

G.N. 30/1991

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