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*Regulations providing for the Detention of Enemy Merchant Ships.*

GALWAY, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 4th day of  
September, 1939.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to the Public Safety Conservation Act, 1932, and to a Proclamation of Emergency now in force under that Act, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Shipping Detention Emergency Regulations 1939.

2. All merchant ships belonging to or under the control of the Government of the German Reich, or belonging to or under the control of nationals of the said German Reich, which are in New Zealand ports at the time of the coming into force of these regulations, or which may arrive in New Zealand ports while these regulations remain in force, shall be detained by Collectors of Customs on behalf of His Majesty's Government in New Zealand.

3. In exercising the powers conferred by these regulations every Collector of Customs, and every officer of Customs acting under the direction of a Collector of Customs, shall have all the powers conferred by Part XVII of the Customs Act, 1913, but it shall not be lawful to release any ship detained under these regulations, notwithstanding any tender of security, except pursuant to a direction given by the Minister of Customs in writing.

C. A. JEFFERY,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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