

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 343

(Com. & Ind. 19/20)

**THE TRANSFER AND DELEGATION OF POWERS
ORDINANCE, 1955**

(No. 31 of 1955)

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Transfer and Delegation of Powers Ordinance, 1955, the Governor in Council of Ministers, with the approval of the Legislative Council, has been pleased to make the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Transfer of Powers (Minister for Commerce and Industry) (No. 2) Order, 1956.

2. The exercise of the powers or the performance of the duties described in the fourth column of the Schedule to this Order being powers and duties conferred upon or vested in the Governor in Council of Ministers by the provisions of the Ordinances specified in the first, second and third columns of the said Schedule is hereby transferred to the Minister for Commerce and Industry, and, for the purpose of carrying such transfer into effect, the consequential amendments set forth in the fifth column of the said Schedule shall be made to the Ordinances mentioned therein.

SCHEDULE

Short Title	Cap. No or No. & Year	Section or other Provision	Nature of Power or Duty	Consequential Amendment
Shop Hours Ordinance.	114	9	To grant exemption.	
		10 (2)	To specify a later closing hour than prescribed.	
		12 (1)	To approve a closing order made by a local authority.	
		12 (2)	To sanction the revocation, alteration or amendment of any closing order.	
Shops in Rural Areas Ordinance.	115	18	To make rules	There shall be substituted for the words "shall petition the Governor in Council" the words "shall apply to the Minister". There shall be substituted for the words "the petitioner" the words "the applicant".
		9	To make rules.	
Mining Ordinance.	168	2 (1)	To declare stones to be precious stones.	
		82 (2)	To authorise mining in Government Protection Area and to impose terms and conditions.	
Mining Ordinance.	168	92 (a)	To make regulations.	
		171	To make regulations.	
Trading in Unwrought Precious Metals Ordinance.	172	6 (4) (b)	To approve revocation of a licence for any reason other than conviction for an offence under the Ordinance.	
		Electric Supply Lines Ordinance.	175	
3 (3)	To grant permission to lay and connect electric supply lines.			
Shipping Ordinance.	221	13	To make rules.	
		3	To fix fees for ship surveys, and to direct manner of payment of such fees and to whom they shall be paid.	
		17	To make rules.	
		56 (2)	To make rules.	
		82	To prescribe emoluments of receiver.	
		103	To reward informers.	

SCHEDULE—(Contd.)

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Aerodromes (Control of Obstructions) Ordinance.	227	2	To declare an aerodrome.	There shall be substituted for the words "the Governor in Council" the words "the Minister". There shall be substituted for the words "the Governor in Council" the words "the Minister".
		2	To declare a declared area.	
		3	To prohibit erection within a declared area of any structure above certain height.	
		7	To cause compensation to be paid.	
		8	To cause compensation to be paid.	
Transport Licensing Ordinance.	237 Revised Edition, 1956	9 (1)	To appoint Compensation Tribunal.	
		11	To make rules.	
		4 (6)	To exempt persons or vehicles from all or any provision of the Ordinance.	
Hotels Ordinance.	275	28	To prescribe fees.	
		30	To make regulations.	
		14	To approve regulations made by Central Hotel Authority.	
Industrial Alcohol (Manufacture, Sale and Use) Ordinance.	299	17 (2)	To vary the Schedule to the Ordinance.	
		11 (3)	To entertain and decide any appeal.	
Methylated Spirits Ordinance.	301	36	To make rules.	
		11	To make rules.	
Explosives Ordinance.	303	2	To declare an authorised explosive.	
		2	To declare any substance to be an explosive.	
		26 (3)	To entertain and decide any appeal.	
		29 (1)	To make rules.	
Petroleum Ordinance	304	4	To make rules.	
		309	To make rules.	
Auctioneers Ordinance.		18 (1)	To make rules.	
Diamond Industry Protection Ordinance.	No. 5 of 1949	25 (1)	To make regulations.	
Increase of Rent (Restriction) Ordinance.	No. 22 of 1949 Revised Edition, 1954	38	To make regulations and to give directions.	
Weights and Measures Ordinance.	No. 49 of 1951	49	To make rules.	There shall be substituted for the words "the Governor in Council" the words "the Minister".
		50	To make rules.	
		51	To make rules.	
Gold Mines Development Loans Ordinance.	No. 18 of 1952	17 (1)	To make rules.	

Made this 25th day of July, 1956.

By Command of the Governor in Council of Ministers.

J. L. H. WEBSTER,
*Secretary to the Council
of Ministers.*