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“THE BEER DUTY ACT 1880.”—AMENDED REGULATIONS.

THE following Amended Regulations are published in pursuance of the 39th section of *The Beer Duty Act 1880*.

A. T. CLARK,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 10th November 1880.

AMENDED REGULATIONS UNDER “THE BEER DUTY ACT 1880.”

1. The officer of Customs to be appointed by the Commissioner of Trade and Customs for the purpose of superintending the carrying out of the provisions of “*The Beer Duty Act 1880*” shall be called the Chief Inspector of Breweries.
2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise determine, “cask” means every hogshead, half-hogshead, barrel, kilderkin, firkin, and keg, or other receptacle containing beer.
3. The duty payable under “*The Beer Duty Act 1880*” shall be collected under the supervision of the Chief Inspector of Breweries, Melbourne.
4. Permits granted under the twenty-first section of the Act will be supplied by the Chief Inspector of Breweries, Melbourne, on the written application of the brewer.
5. Every permit granted as aforesaid shall be securely fixed upon the head of every cask containing the beer proposed to be removed under such permit, and shall not be cancelled or destroyed until such beer is removed from the depôt, warehouse, or other building to which the same has been removed.
6. Every brewer shall, before any beer is sold or removed from his brewery, mark or cause to be marked upon every hogshead, barrel, cask, vessel, or other receptacle containing such beer, the name of the brewer by whom such beer was brewed, or the name of the brewery where such beer was brewed.
7. When beer is being delivered or forwarded from any brewery, it must be accompanied by a cart note, upon which the words *duty stamped* shall be written or printed in red ink by the person to whom the beer is delivered.
8. No beer shall be removed from any brewery except between the hours of five o'clock in the morning and seven o'clock in the evening of the same day between the months of October and April, both inclusive, and between the hours of six o'clock in the morning and six o'clock in the evening of the same day between the months of May and September, both inclusive.

9. The written notice required to be given to the Chief Inspector of Breweries, Collector, or other officer, under the twenty-eighth section of the said Act, shall be given twenty-four hours before the beer intended to be purchased as therein mentioned shall be removed; and no brewer shall remove beer purchased as aforesaid without giving such notice or before the expiration of the time herein limited.

10. Whenever any unfermented worts shall be sold as mentioned in the twenty-ninth section of the said Act, such unfermented worts shall not be removed except between the hours of six o'clock in the morning and six o'clock in the evening of the same day, nor until twenty-four hours' notice has been given to the Chief Inspector of Breweries, Collector, or other duly appointed officer, of the intention to remove the same, stating therein the brewery from which and to which such worts are to be removed.

11. No beer shall be bottled in any brewery except from a cask, and no beer shall be withdrawn from any cask for the purpose of bottling the same in the brewery where the same is made unless such cask has been duly stamped as required by the Act; and before any beer shall be withdrawn from any such cask for the purpose of bottling the same, the stamp placed thereon shall be destroyed or defaced as required by the Act upon the sale or removal of beer from the brewery where the same is made.

12. Every brewer who carries on the business of bottling beer shall from day to day enter or cause to be entered in a book to be kept by him solely for that purpose the kind of beer, and number in detail of hogsheds, barrels, half-hogsheds, kilderkins, firkins, and kegs of beer which have been bottled by him, and the quantity removed in bottles from the brewery, and the name or names and address or addresses of the person or persons to whom such beer has been delivered; and such book shall be open at all reasonable hours in the day-time to the Chief Inspector of Breweries, Collector, or other officer.

13. When any beer upon which duty has been paid under the said Act shall be entered outwards at the Custom House for exportation, the cancelled stamp or stamps on every cask containing such beer shall be destroyed by the proper officer of Customs in such manner as he sees fit; and the provisions contained in any Act relating to the Customs restricting the amount of drawback which shall be allowed and paid upon the exportation of any goods shall apply to the exportation of beer upon which duty has been paid under the said Act.

14. In addition to the books required to be kept by brewers under "The Beer Duty Act 1880," there shall be also kept at each brewery a book, in the form of the Schedule to these regulations, in which shall be entered the date of delivery, number, and contents of each vessel, also the name and address of the person to whom sent or delivered; and such book shall be open at all reasonable hours in the day-time to the inspection of any officer appointed under the provisions of this Act, who may take extracts therefrom or transcripts thereof.

15. Unless the contrary be proved to the satisfaction of the Chief Inspector of Breweries, all beer found in any brewery premises of any brewer on and after the 15th November 1880 shall be deemed to have been brewed or manufactured since the first day of November 1880.

16. The duplicate statement mentioned in the twelfth section of the Act shall be forwarded to the Chief Inspector of Breweries, Melbourne.

17. Every person who shall commit a breach of any of these regulations shall be liable to a penalty of not exceeding Fifty pounds.

18. In these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context, the singular number shall include the plural and the plural the singular.

19. The regulations made under the provisions of the Act No. 669 on the 29th October 1880 shall be and the same are hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE.

FORM OF DELIVERY BOOK.

SHOWING the Consecutive Number or Numbers of the Vessel or Vessels of Beer, Contents, and to whom sent, from Brewery.

Date.	Consecutive Number of Vessel.	Description of Vessel.	Contents.	Person to whom delivered or sent.	Address.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
the 10th November 1880.

ROB. WADSWORTH,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

“THE TOBACCO ACT 1880.”—AMENDED REGULATIONS.

THE Governor in Council has approved of the following Amended Regulations.

A. T. CLARK,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 10th November 1880.

AMENDED REGULATIONS UNDER “THE TOBACCO ACT 1880.”

1. Every person who grows tobacco shall, on or before the 30th day of November 1880, and every person who shall hereafter desire to grow tobacco shall, before commencing to do so, send to the Chief Inspector of Excise, Melbourne, a notice in writing in the form or to the effect in the First Schedule to these regulations, setting forth his name, place of abode, and place where the tobacco is growing or is intended to be grown, and the number of acres under cultivation for the growth of tobacco or proposed to be placed under cultivation for the growth of tobacco.
2. Every manufacturer of tobacco, snuff, cigars, or cigarettes shall apply in writing to the Commissioner of Trade and Customs for the appointment and approval of premises as a tobacco factory, and such manufacturer shall enclose a drawing and full description of his premises, and when he has paid the quarterly fee, at the rate of £50 per annum if a cigar or a cigarette manufacturer, and at the rate of £150 per annum if a tobacco and snuff manufacturer, towards the cost of supervision, and executed a bond to the Government with two approved sureties for double the value duty paid of the maximum quantity to be in his manufactory at any one time, but no bond to be for less than £500, the Commissioner of Customs may then, if he think fit, grant him a license to manufacture tobacco and snuff, cigars or cigarettes, under his true name and consecutive number, to be published in the *Government Gazette*.
3. All leaf tobacco entered for manufacture shall be weighed by an officer of Customs in quantities not less than the weight now prescribed by the Customs laws for imported unmanufactured tobacco, viz., 60 lbs.
4. All manufactured and cut tobacco, snuff, cigars, and cigarettes shall be carefully weighed by a Customs officer before it can be removed from the factory; such weight to be in quantities of not less than 20 lbs. manufactured tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, and not less than 10 lbs. snuff, at any one time.
5. Correct books of accounts shall be kept by each manufacturer, showing every pound of leaf tobacco and strips of tobacco weighed into each manufactory, and every pound of manufactured and cut tobacco, snuff, cigars, and cigarettes cleared from such manufactory; and such books shall always be open to inspection by the Customs officer in charge.
6. No foreign leaf tobacco or strips can enter any manufactory until it has first paid the One shilling per pound Customs duty required by law.
7. No manufactured or cut tobacco, snuff, cigars, or cigarettes shall be cleared, except for exportation, from any manufactory until it has paid the One shilling per pound excise duty required by law, in the quantities prescribed above.
8. No person shall take or remove any tobacco out of the premises of any tobacco manufacturer except between the hours of eight in the forenoon and six in the afternoon, and then only on having a permit to take or remove the same out of the said premises signed by a locker or other Customs officer; such permit to contain the tobacco manufacturer's name and the place from which such tobacco is to be removed, a description of each package or box in which such tobacco is contained, and the quantity of tobacco contained in each and every such package or box or boxes, and the name and residence of the person or persons to whom such tobacco is to be delivered or forwarded.
9. The premises of any manufacturer who may be approved and appointed under the Act No. 668 may be entered at any time by day or night by any officer specially authorized by the Commissioner of Trade and Customs.
10. Every manufacturer shall before delivery thereof place upon every package and box his name and address, together with the consecutive number of such package or box. The consecutive number of every package or box, together with the address of the person to whom sent, shall be entered at the time of delivery in a book to be kept by the manufacturer for that purpose.
11. Every cigar or snuff manufacturer shall give at least twenty-four hours' notice in writing to the Chief Inspector of Excise when he wishes to deliver any of his goods.
12. Any person who shall be guilty of a breach of any of the foregoing regulations shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding One hundred pounds.
13. Nothing in these regulations shall apply to any person growing tobacco, making up cigarettes, or buying or cutting tobacco for his own personal use and consumption and not for sale.
14. In these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context, the singular number shall include the plural and the plural the singular, and the masculine gender shall include the feminine.

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15. The regulations made under the provisions of the Act No. 668 on the 29th October 1880 shall be and the same are hereby revoked.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
NOTICE BY TOBACCO GROWERS UNDER "THE TOBACCO ACT 1880."

Name of Tobacco Grower.		Address.	Number of Acres under cultivation.	Number of Acres proposed to be cultivated.	Remarks.
Surname.	Christian Name.				

Signature.
Date.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 10th November 1880.

ROB. WADSWORTH,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

REVISION COURTS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Act No. 279, § 58, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has appointed Revision Courts to be holden at the undermentioned places, for the purpose of revising the Electoral Lists which have not been revised within the time appointed by section 45 of the said Act, viz. :—

At MEREDITH, Friday the 12th instant, for revising the General Lists, 1880, for the Anakie and Steiglitz divisions of the South-Western Province.

At ANDERSON'S CREEK, Monday the 15th instant, for revising the General List, 1880, for the Anderson's Creek division of the South Province.

GRAHAM BERRY,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 8th November 1880.