

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Food

THE MARGARINE (ADDITION OF BORAX) ORDER, 1940, DATED
JUNE 14, 1940.

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939^(a), and of all other powers him enabling the Minister of Food (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister") hereby makes the following Order:—

1. In this Order "Borax" includes Boric Acid and Borates.

2. Subject to any directions given or except under and in accordance with the terms of a licence granted by or on behalf of the Minister no person shall:—

(a) produce or manufacture for sale any margarine which contains any added borax; or

(b) treat with borax or add borax to any margarine.

Provided that the provisions of this Article shall not apply to margarine which is intended to be exported or intended for use as ships' stores.

3. It shall be lawful for any person subject to the provisions of this Order and of any other Order made or directions given by the Minister:—

(a) to produce or manufacture for sale or sell or offer or expose for sale or deposit in any place for the purposes of sale any margarine notwithstanding that such margarine contains added borax; and

(b) to produce or manufacture for sale or sell or offer or expose for sale any article of food other than margarine, which contains borax necessarily introduced by the use in the preparation of that article of margarine containing borax.

4. Infringements of this Order are offences against the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939.

5. This Order may be cited as the Margarine (Addition of Borax) Order, 1940.

By Order of the Minister of Food.

H. L. French,

Secretary to the Ministry of Food.

Dated the 14th day of June, 1940.

(a) S.R. & O. 1939, No. 927.