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THE WEST INDIAN PUBLICATIONS REGULATIONS, 1958.

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REGULATIONS made by the Governor-General under Regs. section 2 of the West Indies (Federation) Order in ^{2/1958}. Council, 1957.

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the West Indian Short title. Publications Regulations, 1958.
- 2. For the purposes of these Regulations, the expression Definition "book" includes every part or division of a book, pamphlet, of "book". newspaper, sheet of letter press, sheet of music, map, plan, chart or table separately published, but shall not include any second or subsequent edition of a book unless such edition contains additions or alterations either in the letter press or in the maps, prints, or other engravings belonging thereto.
- 3. (1) Subject to the provisions of this regulation, the Copies of publisher of every book published within the Federation, books shall, within one month after the publication, supply at his be delivered. own expense—
 - (a) one copy of the book for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a federal library of all West Indian publications; and
 - (b) one copy of the book to the library of the University College of the West Indies.

(2) The copy of each book required to be supplied under sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph (1) of this regulation shall be delivered to such person as the Governor-General may, by order, direct:

Provided that until such time as a direction is given under this paragraph, the copy shall be delivered to the Federal Secretary.

- (3) The copies to be delivered under this regulation shall be copies of the whole book with all maps and illustrations belonging thereto, finished and covered in the same manner as the best copies of the book are published, and shall be bound, sewed, or stitched together, and on the best paper on which the book is printed.
- (4) The Governor-General may, by order, exempt from the provisions of these Regulations, any book or books of such class as may be specified in the order.

Failure to deliver copies an offence.

4. If a publisher fails to comply with any of the provisions of these Regulations he shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction by a court of summary jurisdiction to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars:

Provided that no prosecution in respect of an offence committed before the 31st day of March, 1958, shall be instituted without the consent of the Attorney General.

Regulations supersede Territorial

The provisions of these Regulations shall be in substitution for the provisions of any law of the Legislature of a Territory which require that a copy of any book to which these Regulations apply shall be delivered to the library of the University College of the West Indies.

[Commencement reg. 6 omitted.]