

CHAPTER 197.

COCOA (IMPORT AND EXPORT).

Ordinance
No. 16 of 1921.

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION AND EXPORTATION OF COCOA.

[15th April, 1921.]

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Cocoa (Import and Export) Ordinance.

Cocoa for
exportation,
how to be
dealt with.

2. (1) Cocoa landed in the Colony shall be weighed immediately on landing under the supervision of a Customs officer, who shall issue the necessary landing documents.

(2) The importer or purchaser shall, before removal of the cocoa from the place of weighing, enter into a bond in the Form A in the Schedule to this Ordinance, in such sum and with such surety as the Collector of Customs may require, for the due exportation of the cocoa so landed as cocoa of the country in which it was produced, such exportation to be within such period as the Collector of Customs may fix: Provided that a general bond in the Form B in the said Schedule, in such sum and with such surety as the Collector of Customs may require, may be entered into to cover a series of shipments.

Regulations.

3. The Governor in Executive Council may make regulations for the better carrying out of the purposes of this Ordinance. All such regulations shall be published in the *Royal Gazette*.

Penalty.

4. Any contravention of this Ordinance or of any regulations made under it shall be punishable by a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds, recoverable on summary conviction before a Magistrate.

Execution of
bonds.

5. Bonds under this Ordinance may be executed before the Collector, Assistant Collector, or a Sub-Collector of Customs and shall not be liable to stamp duty.

SCHEDULE.

FORM A.

(Section 2.)

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

KNOW all men by these presents that.....of.....and.....
of.....are held and firmly bound unto His Majesty the King in the sum of
.....to be paid to His Majesty the King, His Heirs and Successors, for which
payment well and truly to be made We hereby bind ourselves by these presents.

Whereas.....has imported.....of cocoa from.....being
the produce of.....and intends to export the same to..... :

Now therefore the condition of the above written bond is such that if the said
.....shall export the said cocoa as the produce of.....within.....
from the date of these presents, or within such further time as may be allowed by the
Collector of Customs, then this bond shall be void but otherwise shall be and remain
in full force.

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Signed and delivered by the above named
.....
and
in the presence of
.....of Customs.)

FORM B.

(Section 2.)

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

KNOW all men by these presents that.....of.....and.....
of.....are held and firmly bound unto His Majesty the King in the sum of
.....to be paid to His Majesty the King, His Heirs and Successors, for which
payment well and truly to be made We hereby bind ourselves by these presents.

Whereas.....of.....intends from time to time to import cocoa
from places outside this Colony and to export the same :

Now therefore the condition of the above written bond is such that if the said
.....shall export all cocoa so imported as the produce of the place where
such cocoa was grown, within such time as may be fixed by the Collector of Customs, then
this bond shall be void but otherwise shall be and remain in full force.

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Signed and delivered by the above named
.....
and
in the presence of
.....of Customs.)