

TAMIL NADU JUTE GOODS CONTROL ACT, 1949

70 Jute Goods Control [1949 : T.N. Act xxvll I[TAMIL NADUI ACT No, XXVIII OF 19492 [THB I[TAML NADUI JUTE G00DS CONTROL Acr, 1949.1 (Received the assent of the Governor-General on the 10th December 1949 ; first published in the Fort St. George Gazette Extraordinary on the 14th December 1949.) An Act to provide for the regulation of the producdon, supply and distribution ofjute in the8[State of Tamil Nadul. WHBRBAS it is necessary to provide for the regulation of the production, supply and distribution of jute goods in the 8CState of Tamil Nadul; It is here by a. follows;— Snort title, extent and 1. (1) This Act may be called the I(Tamil Nadul Jute Commencement Goods Control Act, 1949. (2) It extends to the whole of t.he d[State of Tamil Nadul. (3) It shall come into force at once. Definitions

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context—(a) " Controller " means the Jute Controller appoin- ted by the 5[State] Government uncer seciion 3 ; (b) " jute goods " includes all jute manufactures, 1 These words were substituted for the word "Madras" by the Tamil Nadu Adaptation of laws Older, 1969, as amended by the TamilNadu AdaptationofLaws (Second Amendment) Order, 1969. 2 For statement of Objects and Reasons, see Fort St. George Gazette Extraordinary, dated the 17th November 1949, Part IVSA, 475, 8 This exm•ession was substituted for the exprssion "Province of Madras" by paragraph 3(2) of the Tamil Nadu Adaptation of Laws Order, 1970. 4 This expression was substituted for the expression "State of Madras" by the Tamil Nadu Adaptation of Laws Order, 1969, as amended by the Tamil Nadu Adaptation of Laws (Second Amend- ment) Order, 1969, This • word was substituted for the word "Provincial" by the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1950, IN9: TN, Act xxvrlI] Jute Goods Control 71 3. The ICState] Government may, by notification in Appointment cf *Fort St. George Gazette, appoint any person to be the Controller. Jute Controller for the 4. (1) Subject to the control ofthe i[State] Govern- Pcwrs of Cont- the Controller, so far as it appears to him to berc Iler to control production, or expedient for regulating, maintaining nr SuPPly dis- increasing the production, supply or distributiu.*' of jute tribution of jute goods, may, by order in writing— goods, (a) require any person holding a stockoffjute goods to gell the whole or a specified part thereof at such prices and to suchperson(includ ingthe Central or 1 [StateJGovern- ment) or in such circumstances as may be specified inthe order ; (b) require any person engaged in the production of jute goods to comply with such directions as may be specified in the order as to the type, quality or quantity of the jute goodsto be produced or delivered by himfrom time to time. (2) Any person to whom an order is issued under sub-section (1) shall comply with such order, nolwith- standing anything inconsistent therewith contained in any contract or other instrument to which he is a party. S. If any person contravenes any crder issued to him Penalties' by the Controller under section 4, he shall be punishable with imprisonment tor a which may extend to three years or with fine or with both. 6, If the person contravening an order issued by the offences by Controller under section 4 is a company or other body Corporations, corporate, every director, manager, secretary or other This word was substituted for the word "Provincial" by the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1950. a This word was substituted for the k word "Province" by tbtd• Now the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette, 72 Jute Goods Control [1949 : T.N. Act or agent thereof shall, unless he proves that the contravention too k place without his Imowledge or that he exercised all duc diligence to prevent such contravention; be deemed to be guilty of such contravention. ConzaÅceof 7, No Court shall take of any offences' punishable under this •Act except on a report in writing of the facts constituting such offence made by the Controller. Protection of 8. (1) No suit, prosecution or cther legal proceeding action taken under the Act, shall lie against any person (including the Controller) for anything which isin good faith done or intended to be done in pursuance of any order issu)d under section 4, (2) No suit or other legal proceeding shall lie against the ltStatel Gover nment, the Controller or any other per son, in respect of any damage caused or to be caused by anything which is in good faith don3 or intended to be done in pursuane of any order issued under section 4. Repeal and 9. (1) The Madras Jute Goods Control Ordinance, saving. 1949, is hereby repealed. Ordi- (2) Notwithstanding such repeal, any notifications or Of 1949 orders issued , actio n t&n, or thing done in the exercise of any power conferred byor under the said shall be deemed to have been issued ,takenor done intheexercise of the powers conferred by or under this Act as if this Act had come into force on the L5th day of November 11949. 1 This word was substituted for the word *'Provincial " b y the Adaptation of Laws Order, 1950,