



**SUPPLEMENT No. 3**  
TO  
THE CYPRUS GAZETTE No. 4007 OF 3RD DECEMBER, 1956.  
**SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION.**

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No. 1186.

THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS)  
(CYPRUS) ORDER, 1946.

ORDER MADE BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY UNDER DEFENCE  
REGULATION 61.

In exercise of the powers vested in me by virtue of my appointment by the Governor as Competent Authority for the purposes of Defence Regulation 61, as set out in the First Schedule to the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) (Cyprus) Order, 1946 (which continues in force in consequence of the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1955), I hereby order as follows:—

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Supplement  
No. 2A:  
8.12.1955.

1. This Order may be cited as the Petroleum (Restrictions) Order, 1956.
2. In this Order—
  - “Controller” means the Director of Commerce and Industry and includes any person appointed by him by notice in the *Gazette* to be an Assistant Controller of Petroleum and any person duly authorised by him to perform all or any of the duties of the Controller;
  - “enforcement officer” means any person duly authorised by the Controller to enforce all or any of the provisions of this Order or of any direction thereunder;
  - “petroleum” has the meaning ascribed to it in section 2 of the Petroleum Law.
3. The Controller may, for the purpose of securing an equitable distribution of petroleum, from time to time give such directions as he may think fit—
  - (a) to all or any petroleum distributors as to—
    - (i) the possession of petroleum;
    - (ii) the distribution, sale or other disposal of petroleum.
  - (b) to any person as to—
    - (i) the registration of vehicles and plant for the operation of which any petroleum is required;
    - (ii) the possession of petroleum;
    - (iii) the purchase of petroleum.
4. No person shall possess any petroleum save in accordance with directions given from time to time by the Controller.
5. Where any direction is given under the provision of this Order, the authority issuing the direction shall cause notice of such direction to be given as soon as may be in such manner as he thinks necessary for bringing it to the notice of all persons who, in his opinion, ought to have notice of the direction.

Cap. 130.