

## No. 334. THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS LAW.

CAP. 252 AND LAWS 11 OF 1950, 31 OF 1951, 20 OF 1953, 29 OF 1954,  
57 OF 1954 AND 14 OF 1955.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL No. 3016.

## AMENDMENT OF ORDER MADE UNDER SECTION 124 (1).

Whereas by Order in Council No. 2850 published under Notification No. 672 in Supplement No. 3 to the *Gazette* of the 19th July, 1956, as amended by Order in Council No. 2998 published under Notification No. 92 in Supplement No. 3 to the *Gazette* of the 20th February, 1958 (hereinafter referred to as "the Order") authority was given to the Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Councillors and Townsmen of the Municipal Corporation of Famagusta (hereinafter referred to as "the Municipal Corporation") to contract a loan from the Government (hereinafter referred to as "the Lender") on condition, *inter alia*, that the sum borrowed shall be utilised for the erection of :—

- (i) two hundred and twenty (220) flats consisting of one room and a kitchen, and fifty-five (55) flats consisting of two rooms and a kitchen at Stavros Quarter, Varosha ; and
- (ii) fifty-two (52) flats consisting of one room and a kitchen, and thirteen (13) flats consisting of two rooms and a kitchen, in the Old Town of Famagusta,

and that the Municipal Corporation shall, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Famagusta, take all possible steps to have three hundred and forty (340) shacks demolished as soon as possible after the completion of the said new houses ;

And whereas the Municipal Corporation has made representations to the Lender that the number of flats consisting of two rooms and a kitchen specified in the Order is not adequate to satisfy the needs of the people who at present live in sub-standard accommodation and has applied for authority to convert the flats so as to increase the number of those consisting of two rooms and a kitchen and decrease the number of those consisting of one room and a kitchen :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 124 (1) of the Municipal Corporations Law, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to order as follows :—

1. Paragraph (c) of clause 1 of the Order is hereby amended as follows :—
  - (a) by the deletion of the semi-colon occurring after the word " Government " at the end thereof and the substitution therefor of a colon ;
  - (b) by the substitution for the words " the Government " where they occur in lines 9, 10 and 17 of the words " the Director of Planning and Housing " ; and
  - (c) by the addition at the end thereof of the following proviso :—
 

" Provided further that, if the Municipal Corporation, in the light of prevailing circumstances, consider that, for the purposes of avoiding overcrowding or underoccupation of the flats, it is advisable to convert any of the flats so as to increase or reduce the number of rooms contained in each flat, such flats may be so converted with the consent in writing of the Director of Planning and Housing, notwithstanding that such conversion may result in a reduction or an increase in the overall number of each of the types of flats specified herein or may create a type of flat not specified herein " ;

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