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THE EXCISE ENACTMENT, 1915.

APPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS.

No. 284.—Under the provisions of Section 3 of The Excise Enactment, 1915, His Highness the Sultan has been pleased to appoint the following officers to be officers of Excise :—

Deputy Commissioners of Customs, Superintendents of Customs. Assistant Superintendents of Customs.

Customs Clerks in charge of Customs Stations.

[S. S. No. 1424/23.]

THE EXPORT OF RUBBER (RESTRICTION) ENACTMENT, 1922. AMENDMENT OF RULES.

No. 285.—With reference to Government Gazette Notification No. 403 as amended by Notification No. 433, published in the Government Gazette dated the 15th November, 1922, His Highness the Sultan in Council in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 3 of The Export of Rubber (Restriction) Enactment, 1922, hereby repeals clauses (b), (c) and (d) of the note to Rule 13 (i).

[S. S. No. 1275/23.]

THE FOREST ENACTMENT, 1921.

NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSED FOREST RESERVE, ENDAU,

JOHORE BAHRU AND SEGAMAT, UNDER SECTION 4.

No. 286.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 3 of The Forest Enactment, 1921, the State Secretary hereby notifies that it is proposed to constitute the area described below a Reserved Forest.

Districts.-Johore Bahru, Segamat and Endau.

Approximate area. - 200,000 acres.

DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES.

North.-The State of Pahang from Bukit Selanchar to Gunong Besar, thence the Sungei Endau downstream to Kuala Kimchim.

East.-The Endau river downstream to Kuala Jasing, thence that river upstream to its source and a line to the source of the Sungei Selai, thence that river downstream to its junction with the Sungei Semberong.

South.-A line running due east to the railway at Telegraph Pole 398.16.

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South-West, and West. The railway for about 1¹/₂ miles; thence the boundaries of lots 2244, C. E. M. 1347/19, 1734, 2132, 1143, 1144, 1145, 2133, 1146, 1796, 1795, 1794, 1793, 1792, 1735, 2305, 2263, 2262, 2261, 2260, 2259, 2258 and 2257 to its north-eastern extremity; thence a line running approximately North-West to the eastern extremity of lot 2370; thence that lot and lots 2378, 2377, and 2254 to the railway line; thence the railway to North Labis Estate; thence the eastern and nor eastern boundaries of that Estate and lines excluding alienated lands and more or less following the bases of the hills back to Bukit Selanchar. Selanchar. 1)

[S. S. No. 1289/23.]

FINAL NOTIFICATION OF FOREST RESERVE, KUKUB,

UNDER SECTION 12.

No. 287—.In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 3 of The Forest Enactment, 1921, and in pursuance of section 12 thereof, the State Secretary, with the approval of His Highness the Sultan, proclaims that, with effect from the first day of August, nineteen hundred and twenty three, the land described below and delineated upon Plan No. 3 (provisional) in the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Johore Bahru, shall be a Reserved Forest, to be known hereafter as the Pulau Kukub Reserve.

District ·

... Kukub

Approximate Area 1,600 acres

DESCRIPTION OF AREA.

The whole of the island to the west of Kukub town, known as Pulau Kukub.

[S. S. No. 2495/22.]

THE INVENTIONS ENACTMENT. 1911.

ACCEPTANCE OF SPECIFICATION.

No. 288.—In pursuance of section 7 of The Inventions Enactment, 1911, it is hereby notified that the specification of an invention for "Improvements in and relating to the manufacture of rubber and the like" has been lodged by Vultex Limited, a Jersey Company, of 24. Beresford Street, St. Helier, Jersey, Channel Islands, and has been accepted by the State Secretary.

The petition of the said Vultex Limited, a Jersey Company, of 24, Beresford Street, S. Helier, Jersey, Channel Islands, for the grant of exclusive privileges in respect of the said invention, together with the said specification, is open to public inspection at the Office of the State Secretary at Johore Bahru.

It is further notified that the said petition will be taken into consideration by His Highness the Sultan in Council at a meeting of the said Council to be held not earlier than two months from the date of the *Gazette* in which this Notification is published; any person interested in opposing the prayer of the petition may serve on the State Secretary a notice, on a paper bearing a stamp of the value of one dollar, of his intention to oppose, and every person so serving a notice will be heard by His Highness the Sultan in Council in opposition to the prayer of the said petition.

Dated at Johore Bahru, this 27th day of June, 1923.

[S. S. No. 1278/23.]

GRANT OF EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGES.

No. 289.—With reference to Notification No. 108 published in the *Gazette* of the 21st March, 1923, it is hereby notified that His Highness the Sultan in Council, having taken into consideration the petition filed by Ronald Wild, British Subject, of Grange Cottage, Cartledge, Holmesfield, Nr. Sheffield, England, Metallurgist, and (Mrs.) Bessie Delafield Wild, British Subject, of Greystones Hall,