

STATUTORY RULES.

No. 11 of 1923.

Made under the *Native Labour Ordinance*, 1911-1920.

Touting—Overcharging.

1. No person shall—
 - (a) use any undue influence to induce a native to spend his wages with any person ;
 - (b) charge a native more than a reasonable price for goods sold by him to a native.

Invoices.

2. When a native spends an amount exceeding Ten shillings with any person for the purchase of goods such person shall at the time of the purchase hand to the native an invoice (with the name of the native, the prices and date of purchase shown thereon) of the goods so purchased.

Definition.

3. For the purposes of the two last preceding regulations the word " native " means any native who is under a contract of service or who has not been returned to his home after the expiration or other determination of his contract.

Returning signed-off labourers home in vessels.

4. (1) Except by special permission of a Resident Magistrate or Assistant Resident Magistrate all vessels in which signed-off native labourers are being returned to their homes shall be in charge of a white man.

(2) Any employer or late employer or any agent of his who, without obtaining the special permission hereinbefore mentioned, returns a signed-off native labourer to his home in a vessel which is in charge of any person other than a white man shall be guilty of a breach of this Regulation.

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Clerk of Executive Council.

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