

NOTICES MADE PURSUANT TO SECTION 22 OF THE NATIVE LABOUR ORDINANCE 1946 PROHIBITING THE RECRUITING OF NATIVES.

Particulars of these notices are set out in the Table below and the Table indicates where the respective notices are printed. All the notices in force on 1st January, 1951, were repealed by the *Native Labour Ordinance* 1950 which came into operation on that date.

TABLE.

(N.B.—These notices, not being in force on 1.1.1952, are shown in *italics*.)

Date on which notice made.	Date on which published in <i>Papua-N.G. Govt. Gaz.</i> or <i>Papua and N.G. Govt. Gaz.</i>	Place or area where recruiting prohibited subject to conditions.	Where printed.
17.10.1947 ^(a)	13.11.1947	<i>Any area having an altitude of not less than 3,500 feet above sea level</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 284.</i>
14.5.1948 ^(b)	2.6.1948	<i>Certain villages in the Sepik District, Morobe District, Districts of Kieta and New Ireland and Delta Division</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 285.</i>
14.5.1948 ^(c)	2.6.1948	<i>Part of Western Division</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 286.</i>
21.7.1948 ^(d)	4.8.1948	<i>Certain villages in Rigo Sub-District Central Division</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 287.</i>
31.8.1948 ^(d)	17.9.1948	<i>Certain villages in Bogia Sub-District and Madang District</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 287.</i>
4.10.1948 ^(d)	3.11.1948	<i>Certain villages in Abau Sub-District, Central Division</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 288.</i>
8.10.1948 ^(d)	3.11.1948	<i>Certain villages in Bogia Sub-District, Madang District</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 288.</i>
28.2.1949 ^(d)	29.3.1949	<i>Certain villages in Vanimo area of Aitape Sub-District, Sepik District</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 289.</i>
25.5.1949 ^(d)	25.5.1949	<i>Certain villages in Abau Sub-District, Central Division</i>	<i>Laws of P.-N.G. on p. 289.</i>
6.7.1949 ^(d)	6.7.1949	<i>Certain villages in Dumpu Area, District of Madang</i>	<i>Printed in this Volume on p. 2023.</i>
3.8.1949 ^(d)	3.8.1949	<i>Lake Kutubu Area</i>	<i>Printed in this Volume on p. 2023.</i>
8.9.1949 ^(d)	5.10.1949	<i>Certain villages in Vanimo Area of Aitape Sub-District, District of Sepik</i>	<i>Printed in this Volume on p. 2024.</i>
22.12.1949 ^(d)	6.1.1950	<i>Any area over 3,500 feet above sea level (except Central Highlands)</i>	<i>Printed in this Volume on p. 2025.</i>
4.7.1950 ^(d)	17.7.1950	<i>Certain villages in Maprik Sub-District, Sepik District</i>	<i>Printed in this Volume on p. 2027.</i>

(a) Revoked by notice dated 22.12.1949, published in *Papua and N.G. Govt. Gaz.* of 6.1.1950 and printed in this Volume on p. 2025.

(b) Varied by notice dated 25.6.1948, published in *Papua-N.G. Govt. Gaz.* of 7.7.1948 and printed in *The Laws of the Territory of Papua-New Guinea 1945-1949 (Annotated)*, on p. 286; and by notice dated 3.7.1950, published in *Papua and N.G. Govt. Gaz.* of 17.7.1950 and printed in this Volume on p. 2027. Revoked by the *Native Labour Ordinance* 1950, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.

(c) Revoked by notice dated 3.2.1950, published in *Papua and N.G. Govt. Gaz.* of 11.2.1950 and printed in this Volume on p. 2026.

(d) Revoked by the *Native Labour Ordinance* 1950, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.

TEXT OF NOTICES.

[Notice dated 6th July, 1949, and published in Papua and New Guinea Govt. Gaz. of 6th July, 1949.]

Native Labour Ordinance 1946.

RECRUITING OF NATIVES.⁽¹⁾

I*N* pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by section 22 of the Native Labour Ordinance 1946, and all other powers me enabling, I, the Acting Director of Native Labour, hereby Prohibit, for a period of six months from the date hereof, the Recruiting of Natives in the Villages, District or Division below mentioned:—

Villages.	District or Division.
Bebei	} Dumpu Area, District of Madang
Dumpu	
Kaigulen	
Wambun	

Dated this sixth day of July, 1949.

W. R. HUMPHRIES,

Acting Director of Native Labour.

(1) Repealed by the *Native Labour Ordinance* 1950, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.

[Notice dated 3rd August, 1949, and published in Papua and New Guinea Govt. Gaz. of 3rd August, 1949.]

Native Labour Ordinance 1946.

RECRUITING OF NATIVES.⁽¹⁾

I*N* pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by section 22 of the Native Labour Ordinance 1946, and all other powers me enabling, I, the Acting Director of Native Labour, hereby prohibit, until further notice, the recruiting of any natives in the area described in the Schedule hereto.

Dated this third day of August, 1949.⁽¹⁾

W. R. HUMPHRIES,

Acting Director of Native Labour.

(1) Repealed by the *Native Labour Ordinance* 1950, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.

PART D : NATIVES—

THE SCHEDULE.

LAKE KUTUBU AREA.

Commencing at a point on the right bank of Tumbadu River near Horare Village and where the said Tumbadu River crosses the Territorial boundary between Papua and New Guinea thence bounded on the north-east by part of the Territorial boundary between Papua and New Guinea south-easterly to the intersection of the meridian 144 degrees east longitude with the parallel 6° degrees south latitude and again south-easterly to its intersection with the parallel of latitude which passes through Mount Karimui situated approximately in latitude 6 degrees 30 minutes south and longitude 144 degrees 42 minutes east and bounded thence in the south by a northern boundary of Delta Division being a straight line bearing west to the highest point on Louru Range situated approximately in latitude 6 degrees 32 minutes south and longitude 144 degrees 22 minutes east thence again on the south by a northern boundary of Delta Division being a straight line west to Mount Pratt situated approximately in latitude 6 degrees 28 minutes south and longitude 143 degrees 40 minutes east thence on the south-east by a north-western boundary of Delta Division being a straight line south-westerly to Mount Bell thence again on the south by northern boundaries of Delta Division and Western Division being a straight line bearing westerly to Bosavi Mountain situated approximately in latitude 6 degrees 35 minutes south and longitude 142 degrees 53 minutes east thence on the south-west by a straight line bearing north-westerly back to the point of commencement.

[Notice⁽¹⁾ dated 8th September, 1949, and published in Papua and New Guinea Govt. Gaz. of 5th October, 1949.]

Native Labour Ordinance 1946.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by section 22 of the Native Labour Ordinance 1946, and all other powers me enabling, I, the Acting Director of Native Labour, hereby Prohibit, for a period of six months from date hereof, the Recruiting of Natives in the Villages, District or Division below mentioned:—

Villages.	District or Division.
Wutong, Yako, Krisa, Osol, Kiliweis, Isi, Siki, Auli, Imbrinis, Sumunmini, Musu, Varimo, Kilipau, Ossima, Imbio Pibi, Vanimo, Elau, Ilop, Awol, Ombula and Samararu	} Vanimo Area of Aitape Sub-District of the District of Sepik

Dated this eighth day of September, 1949.

W. R. HUMPHRIES,
Acting Director of Native Labour.

(1) Repealed by the *Native Labour Ordinances* 1950, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.

[Notice dated 22nd December, 1949, and published in Papua and New Guinea Govt. Gaz. of 6th January, 1950.]

TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA.

Native Labour Ordinance 1946.

I*N* pursuance of the powers conferred by section 22 (1) of the Native Labour Ordinance 1946, I, John Breen McKenna, the Acting Director, Department of Native Labour, do hereby prohibit until further notice the recruitment or engagement in any area, excluding the Central Highlands District, having an altitude of not less than 3,500 feet above sea level of any native for any employment in or removal to or from any area having an altitude of not less than 3,500 feet above sea level without my written permission having been first obtained in that behalf:

Provided that labourers from the Central Highlands District may be employed in any part of the Territory of Papua and New Guinea subject to the following conditions:—

- 1. The labourer has been vaccinated as required by the Director of Public Health.*
- 2. He will be employed only at a centre where a medical practitioner or medical assistant acceptable in writing to the Director of Public Health is stationed.*
- 3. The vaccination process commenced in the Central Highlands will be completed by the medical practitioner or medical assistant mentioned above.*
- 4. Each native will receive regularly and without fail one tablet of Paludrine three times weekly.*
- 5. Supplies of Penicillin will be kept at the centre of employment of Highland labour, to be used immediately on any sign of respiratory disease.*
- 6. Failure in any instance to fulfil these requirements will cause immediate cancellation of the contract and repatriation to an approved health centre at employer's expense.*
- 7. The native labourer will be returned to an approved health centre in the Central Highlands on the termination of his contract by the employer, whose responsibility will then cease.*
- 8. Any abnormal disease or sickness amongst these labourers will be immediately reported in writing to the Director of Public Health, or in the case of a death or if the sickness is undiagnosed or is a gazetted infectious case, it will be reported by radiogram.*

The recruiting of native labourers in the Central Highlands District shall only be effected by Officers of the Administration.

Employers desirous of employing labourers from the Central Highlands District, subject to the conditions contained herein, are required to advise the Director of Native Labour as to the labour required.

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On the completion of the immunization required, recruits will be advised of the employment available, and, if such employment is acceptable to the recruit the employer will be informed so that the necessary arrangements may be made by him to complete a contract and arrange movement accordingly.

The labourer shall be deemed to be recruited as from the date notified to the employer that he will be available for employment and if the labourer is not transported to his place of employment on this date the employer will be responsible for the labourer's maintenance until such time as the contract has been completed.

The employer shall return the labourer upon termination of the engagement under the contract to the Health Centre endorsed on the said contract.

This notice revokes the notice⁽¹⁾ dated the 17th day of October, 1947, and published on page 205 of Gazette No. 31 of the 13th November, 1947.

Dated at Port Moresby, this twenty-second day of December, One thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.⁽²⁾

JOHN B. McKENNA,

Acting Director, Department of Native Labour.

(1) Printed in *The Laws of the Territory of Papua-New Guinea 1945-1949 (Annotated)*, on p. 284.

(2) Repealed by the *Native Labour Ordinance 1950*, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.

[Notice dated 3rd February, 1950, and published in Papua and New Guinea Govt. Gaz. of 11th February, 1950.]

Native Labour Ordinance 1946.

RECRUITING OF NATIVES⁽¹⁾.

WHEREAS by notice in Gazette No. 13 of the second day of June, One thousand nine hundred and forty-eight, the Recruiting of Natives at any place within the area herein specified was prohibited until further notice:

And whereas it is now considered desirable that the Recruiting of Natives within the said area shall be permitted:

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section 22 of the Native Labour Ordinance 1946 and all other powers me enabling, I, the Acting Director of Native Labour, hereby give notice that the Recruiting of Natives at any place within the area herein specified is from and after the date of this notice permitted:

WESTERN DIVISION.

Districts of Gogodara, Ramu and the north bank Fly River of the Western Division within the area described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the parallel 7 degrees 57 minutes south with the meridian 143 degrees 33 minutes east, thence in a straight line north-easterly to the intersection of the parallel 7 degrees 44 minutes south with the meridian 143 degrees

(1) Repealed by the *Native Labour Ordinance 1950*, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.

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9 minutes east thence in a straight line south-easterly to the intersection of the parallel 8 degrees 2 minutes south with the meridian 143 degrees 54 minutes east thence in a straight line south-westerly to the intersection of the parallel 8 degrees 15 minutes south with the meridian 143 degrees 44 minutes east thence in a straight line westerly to the intersection of the parallel 8 degrees 19 minutes 30 seconds south with the meridian 142 degrees 52 minutes east thence in a straight line north-westerly to the point of commencement.

Dated this third day of February, 1950.

J. B. McKENNA,
Acting Director of Native Labour.

[Notice dated 3rd July, 1950, and published in Papua and New Guinea Govt. Gaz. of 17th July, 1950.]

TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA.

Native Labour Ordinance 1946 of the Territory of Papua-New Guinea.

RECRUITING OF NATIVES⁽¹⁾.

I*N* pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by section 22 of the Native Labour Ordinance 1946 of the Territory of Papua-New Guinea and by all other powers me enabling, I, the Acting Director of Native Labour, hereby amend the notice⁽²⁾ dated the fourteenth day of May, 1948, and published in the Territory of Papua-New Guinea Government Gazette No. 13 of the second day of June, 1948, which prohibits, inter alia, the recruiting of Natives in the District of New Ireland, by adding immediately after the words "New Ireland" the words "except Nissan Island".

Dated this third day of July, 1950.

W. R. HUMPHRIES,
Acting Director of Native Labour.

(1) Repealed by the *Native Labour Ordinance 1950*, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.
(2) Printed in *The Laws of the Territory of Papua-New Guinea 1945-1949 (Annotated)*, on p. 285.

[Notice dated 4th July, 1950, and published in Papua and New Guinea Govt. Gaz. of 17th July, 1950.]

Native Labour Ordinance 1946.

RECRUITING OF NATIVES⁽¹⁾.

I*N* pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by section 22 of the Native Labour Ordinance 1946, and all other powers me enabling,

(1) Repealed by the *Native Labour Ordinance 1950*, printed in this Volume on pp. 834-866.

PART D: NATIVES—

I, the Acting Director of Native Labour, hereby Prohibit, for a period of six months from date hereof, the Recruiting of Natives in the Villages, District or Division below mentioned:—

<i>Villages.</i>	<i>District or Division.</i>
<i>Supari, Womsak No. 1, Nilu, Butika, Dakabiga, Sahali, Nungalim, Magapitu</i>	} <i>Maprik Sub-District, Sepik District</i>

Dated this fourth day of July, 1950.

W. R. HUMPHRIES,
Acting Director of Native Labour.