

Us in that behalf, make the following Regulations with regard to the said Ports of Harwich and Ipswich, and ships arriving from a foreign port and bound to the Port of Harwich, or to the Port of Ipswich and coming or being within the Port of Harwich and Declare that the said Regulations shall apply and have effect as regards the Port Sanitary Districts of Harwich and Ipswich, and shall be enforced and executed by the Authorities and Officers hereinafter mentioned:—

PART I.

Article I.—In this Order—

The expression "Ship" includes a vessel or boat;

The expression "Foreign Port" means a port or place situate elsewhere than in the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man;

The expression "Officer of Customs" includes any person acting under the authority of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs;

The expression "Master," used in relation to a ship, includes the officer, pilot, or other person for the time being in charge or command of the ship;

The expression "Local Authority" means a Council of a Municipal Borough or other Urban District or a Rural District Council, and in the Administrative County of London a Council of a Metropolitan Borough, or the Common Council of the City of London;

The expression "Ipswich Medical Officer of Health" means the Medical Officer of Health of the Ipswich Port Sanitary Authority;

The expression "Deputy Medical Officer of Health" means the Medical Practitioner appointed in pursuance of Article IV. of this Order;

The expression "Infected Ship" means a ship which at the time of its arrival from a foreign port has on board a case of Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague, or which has had on board a case of Cholera or Plague within a period of seven days, or of Yellow Fever within a period of eighteen days, prior to that time;

The expression "Suspected Ship" means a ship which has had on board during the voyage or during the stay of the ship in the port of departure or in a port in the course of the voyage a case of Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague, but which has not had on board a fresh case of Cholera or Plague within a period of seven days, or of Yellow Fever within a period of eighteen days, prior to the time of its arrival from a foreign port.

PART II.

Article II.—In the case of a ship arriving from a foreign port and bound to the Port of Harwich, and coming or being within the jurisdiction of the Harwich Port Sanitary Authority, the Regulations prescribed by the said General Order dated the Ninth day of September, One thousand nine hundred and seven, shall apply and have effect and shall be enforced and executed by the Authorities and Officers therein referred to.

PART III.

Article III.—In the case of a ship arriving from a foreign port and bound to the Port of Ipswich, which is brought up for Customs purposes within the Harwich Port Sanitary District, the following Regulations shall apply and have effect and shall be enforced and executed by the Authorities and Officers hereinafter mentioned.

Article IV.—The Ipswich Port Sanitary Authority shall forthwith appoint a legally qualified Medical Practitioner, who shall reside within the Borough of Harwich, in the County of Essex, and shall act in the execution of Part III of this Order.

Article V.—(1) The Officer of Customs who visits a ship on its arrival from a foreign port shall ascertain, so far as possible, whether the ship is an infected ship or a suspected ship, or whether the ship has come from or has, during the voyage, called at a port infected with Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague, and with that object, shall require the Master of the ship or the Surgeon, if the ship carries a Surgeon, to state whether there is or has been on board during the voyage any case or suspected case of Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague, or of any other fever or sickness, and if he have any reason to suppose that the ship is an infected ship or a suspected ship or has come from or has, during the voyage, called at any port infected with Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague, the Officer of Customs shall require the Master or the Surgeon, as the case may be, to give (in writing under his hand and in the form hereunto appended or in a form to the like effect) a true answer to the following question:—

Question.—Has any case or suspected case of Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague

occurred in the ship \_\_\_\_\_, of which you are \_\_\_\_\_, during the voyage from \_\_\_\_\_, or during the stay of the ship in that port or in any other port in the course of the voyage?

Answer.—\_\_\_\_\_ cases or suspected cases of \_\_\_\_\_ occurred on board the \_\_\_\_\_ during the voyage from \_\_\_\_\_ [or during the stay of the ship in the port of \_\_\_\_\_]:

or  
No case or suspected case of Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague occurred on board the \_\_\_\_\_ during the voyage from \_\_\_\_\_, or during the stay of the ship in that port or in any other port in the course of the voyage.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_,

Master [or Surgeon] of the \_\_\_\_\_

(2) The Officer of Customs who visits a ship on its arrival from a foreign port shall, if he find, or have reason to suppose, that the ship is an infected ship or a suspected ship, and may, if he find or have reason to suppose that the ship has come from or has, during the voyage, called at a port infected with Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague, detain the ship, and order the Master forthwith to moor or anchor it in such position as