

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR
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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 197 OF 1991.

**BUSINESS TRADES AND PROFESSIONS
(REGISTRATION) ORDINANCE, 1989.**

**REGISTER OF BUSINESS TRADES AND PROFESSIONS
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1991.**

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 7 of the Business Trades And Professions (Registration) Ordinance, 1989, I have made the following regulations—

Title.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Register of Business Trades and professions (Amendment) Regulations 1991.

Amendment to regulation 10.

2. Regulation 10 of the Register of Business Trades and professions Regulations 1991 (hereinafter called “the principal Regulations”) is amended—

- (a) in sub-paragraph (2) by inserting after the expression “sub-regulation (1) may” the words “where he has reasonable grounds to suspect and for the purposes of establishing whether or not the provisions of these regulations have been complied with,”;
- (b) in sub-regulation (4) by omitting paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the following paragraph—

“(b) not reveal—

- (i) except for the purposes of enforcing any statutory or legal obligation, information;
- (ii) at any time, even after ceasing to be an Inspector, and manufacturing or commercial secrets or working process,

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which may come to his knowledge in the course of his duties.”.

New regulation 12.

3. The principal Regulations are amended by inserting a new regulation 12 in the following terms—

“Confidentiality.

12. (1) Every person being employed in the administration of the Ordinance or these regulations shall, subject to sub-regulation (3) and (4) regard information obtained in the exercise of the powers contained in these regulations as confidential.

(2) No person employed in carrying out the provisions of these regulations, shall be required to produce in any court any document or to divulge or communicate to any court any matter or thing coming under his notice in the performance of his duties under these regulations except as may be necessary for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of these regulations or any Ordinance or in order to institute a prosecution or in the course of a prosecution for any offence committed in relation to these regulations or any Ordinance.

(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in this regulation, a person employed in the administration of these regulations, shall, at the request of the Financial and Development Secretary provide to him such information relating to any matter referred to in this regulation as the Government of Gibraltar may require for the purposes of formulating the economic and fiscal policies of the Government.

(4) The provisions of this regulation shall not apply to the information contained in the Register.”.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1991.

M. FEETHAM,

Minister for Trade and Industry.