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Emergency Powers (No. 35) Order, 1940. The Government, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by the Emergency Powers Act, 1939 (No. 28 of 1939), and of every and any other power them in this behalf enabling, hereby order as follows:-

1. This Order may be cited as the Emergency Powers (No. 35) Order, 1940.

2. (1) Any instrument in writing made by the President shall, whether such instrument is or is not required by statute to be under the official seal of the President, be sufficiently authenticated by the signature of the President.

(2) Any instrument in writing made by a Commission constituted under Article 14 of the Constitution which is for the time being exercising and performing the powers and functions of the President in accordance with that Article shall, whether such instrument is or is not required by statute to be under the official seal of the President, be sufficiently authenticated by the signature of one of the members of the said Commission.

3. (1) Any instrument in writing made by the Government

shall be sufficiently authenticated by the signature of the Taoiseach or the Tanaiste.

(2) A certificate signed by the Taoiseach or the Tanaiste that any instrument in writing, purporting to be made or issued by the Government, is so made or issued shall be conclusive evidence of the fact so certified.

4. Any instrument in writing made by a Minister shall, notwithstanding that such instrument is required by statute to be under the official seal of such Minister, be sufficiently authenticated by the signature of such Minister.

> GIVEN under the Official Seal of the Government this 10th day of July, 1940.

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EAMON DE VALÉRA

TAOISEACH