

No. 17 OF 1944.

A LAW TO AMEND THE NEWSPAPER, BOOKS AND PRINTING
PRESSES LAWS, 1934 TO 1936.C. C. WOOLLEY,]
Governor.

[17th May, 1944.

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor and
Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Cyprus as
follows :—

Short title.

26 of 1934
49 of 1934
36 of 1936.

1. This Law may be cited as the Newspaper, Books and
Printing Presses (Amendment) Law, 1944, and shall be
read as one with the Newspaper, Books and Printing
Presses Laws, 1934 to 1936, (hereinafter referred to as “ the
principal Law ”), and the principal Law and this Law may
together be cited as the Newspaper, Books and Printing
Presses Laws, 1934 to 1944.

Amendment
of section 34
of the prin-
cipal Law.

2. Section 34 of the principal Law is hereby amended
as follows :—

(a) by the deletion therefrom of sub-section (2) and the
substitution therefor of the following sub-section :—

“ (2) Every Order made under sub-section (1)
of this section shall remain in force for a period
of twelve months from the date of its publication
in the *Gazette* and no longer unless renewed for
such further period or periods, not exceeding
twelve months at any one time, as the Governor
in Council may direct by order published in
the *Gazette*.”

(b) by the addition thereto of the following sub-
section :—

“ (3) Any person who, during the continuance
in force of an order made under sub-section (1)
of this section, has in his possession or who sells
or distributes any such prohibited newspaper
shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable
to a fine not exceeding twenty-five pounds and
every copy of such newspaper shall be forfeited.”

17th May, 1944.

H. M. FOOT,
Colonial Secretary.