



# Aliens Restriction (Amendment) Act 1919

1919 CHAPTER 92 9 and 10 Geo 5

## FURTHER RESTRICTIONS OF ALIENS

### 3 Incitement to sedition, &c.

- (1) If any alien attempts or does any act calculated or likely to cause sedition or disaffection amongst any of His Majesty's Forces or the forces of His Majesty's allies, or amongst the civilian population, he shall be liable on conviction on indictment to penal servitude for a term not exceeding ten years, or on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.
- (2) If any alien promotes or attempts to promote industrial unrest in any industry in which he has not been bona fide engaged for at least two years immediately preceding in the United Kingdom, he shall be liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

#### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 S. 3 (1) amended as to penal servitude (E.W.) (S.) by [Criminal Justice Act 1948 \(c. 58\), s. 1\(1\)](#) and (N.I.) by [Criminal Justice Act \(Northern Ireland\) 1953 \(c. 14\), s. 1 \(1\)](#)

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#### Textual Amendments

- F1 S. 4 repealed by [Merchant Shipping Act 1979 \(c. 39, SIF 111\), s. 52 \(2\)](#), Sch. 7 Pt. II

### 5 Employment of aliens in ships of the mercantile marine.

- (1) No alien shall act as master, chief officer, or chief engineer of a British merchant ship registered in the United Kingdom, or as skipper or second hand of a fishing

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boat registered in the United Kingdom, except in the case of a ship or boat employed habitually in voyages between ports outside the United Kingdom:

Provided that this prohibition shall not apply to any alien who has acted as a master, chief officer, or chief engineer of a British ship, or as skipper or second hand of a British fishing boat, at any time during the war, and is certified by the Admiralty to have performed good and faithful service in that capacity.

- (2) No alien shall be employed in any capacity on board a British ship registered in the United Kingdom at a rate of pay less than the standard rate of pay for the time being current on British ships for his rating:

Provided that, where the Board of Trade are satisfied that aliens of any particular race . . . <sup>F2</sup> are habitually employed afloat in any capacity, or in any climate, for which they are specially fitted, nothing in this section shall prejudice the right of aliens of such race to be employed upon British ships at rates of pay which are not below those for the time being fixed as standard rates for British subjects of that race.

- (3) No alien shall be employed in any capacity on board a British ship registered in the United Kingdom unless he has produced to the officer before whom he is engaged satisfactory proof of his nationality.
- (4) Any person who engages an alien for employment on a British ship in contravention of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of an offence under this Act.

**Textual Amendments**  
F2 Words repealed by [Former Enemy Aliens \(Disabilities Removal\) Act 1925 \(c. 43\)](#), [Sch. 2](#)

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**  
C2 Certain functions of Admiralty now exercisable by a Secretary of State: [Defence \(Transfer of Functions\) Act 1964 \(c. 15\)](#), [s. 1 \(2\)](#)  
C3 Functions of Board of Trade under s. 5 (2) now exercisable by the Secretary of State: [S.I. 1939/1470](#), [art. 1 \(a\)](#), 1941/654, art. 2, 1946/375, art. 2 (1), 1965/145, art. 2, 1970/1537, arts. 2 (1) (a), 7 (4) and 1983/1127, art. 2 (4)

**6 Appointment of aliens to the Civil Service.**

After the passing of this Act no alien shall be appointed to any office or place in the Civil Service of the State.

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**  
C4 [S. 6](#) amended by [Aliens' Employment Act 1955 \(4 & 5 Eliz. 2 c. 18\)](#), [s. 1 \(1\)](#)

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**Textual Amendments**  
F3 [Ss. 2 \(2\), 7](#) repealed by [Statute Law \(Repeals\) Act 1971 \(c. 52\)](#), [Sch. Pt. V](#)

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**F4F5F6 8 Provisions as to aliens on juries.**

No alien shall sit upon a jury in any judicial or other proceedings if challenged by any party to such proceedings.

**Textual Amendments**

- F4** S. 8 repealed (E.W.) (prosp.) by [Criminal Justice Act 1972 \(c.71\)](#), [Sch. 6 Pt. I](#)
- F5** s.8 repealed (S.) by [Law Reform \(Miscellaneous Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Act 1980 \(c. 55,SIF 72:2\)](#), [s.28\(2\)](#), [Sch. 3](#)
- F6** s. 8 repealed (N.I.) by [S.I.1974/2143](#), art. 9(2), [Sch. 5](#)

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**Textual Amendments**

- F7** Ss. 9–11 repealed by [Statute Law Revision Act 1927 \(c. 42\)](#)

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**Textual Amendments**

- F8** S. 12 repealed by [Former Enemy Aliens \(Disabilities Removal\) Act 1925 \(c. 43\)](#), [Sch. 2](#)

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