

No. 546.

Hong Kong.

ORDINANCE No. 15 of 1922. (WILD BIRDS).

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 15 of the Wild Birds Ordinance, 1922, the Governor in Council further amends the regulations in the Schedule to the said Ordinance by rescinding regulation 5 and substituting the following regulation therefor:—

5. Game licences, the fee for which and the conditions of which shall be as stated therein, shall be in the following form:—



HONG KONG.

No.

GAME LICENCE.

(THE WILD BIRDS ORDINANCE, 1922).

Subject to the provisions of the Wild Birds Ordinance, 1922, and of the regulations made thereunder, permission is hereby granted to Mr. of to kill and take the following birds at the times specified:—

Snipe Woodcock Plover Curlew Teal Wild Duck Wild Geese	}	at any time.	Partridges Quail Pigeons Doves	}	{ From 16th October to 31st January, both days inclusive. From 15th September to last day of Febru- ary both days in- clusive.
--	---	-----------------	---	---	--

CONDITIONS.

1. This licence is valid from 1st September 193.... to the 31st August 193.....
2. The licensee must carry this licence with him when engaged on or setting out for or returning from any shooting expedition, and must produce it when required to do so by any Magistrate, Justice of the Peace or Police Officer.
3. This licence is not transferable.

Fee \$25.

Hong Kong

.....
Inspector General of Police.

RECEIVED the
sum here stated
in printed figures.

5

Game Licence

Code.	Reference No.
G.	

The attention of the licensee is drawn to the following provisions of the Wild Birds Ordinance, 1922, and of the Regulations made thereunder.

(a) This licence is subject to any regulations or other enactments in force for the time being.

(b) This licence may be revoked at any time by the Inspector General of Police in his discretion, if the holder thereof commits or attempts to commit any breach of the provisions of the Ordinance, or of any of the regulations made thereunder, or of any of the conditions of this licence, or shoots to the danger of the public.

(c) No person shall kill, wound or take any bird other than game or vermin.

(d) For the purposes of the Wild Birds Ordinance, 1922, "Game" means snipe, woodcock, plover, curlew, teal, wild duck, wild geese, partridges, quail, pigeons and doves.

"Vermin" means magpies, kites and hawks of all descriptions.

(e) No shooting of birds is permitted within two hundred yards of any inhabited house in Victoria, the Peak District, or the Kowloon Peninsula south of a line drawn from Kowloon City Police Station to Shamshuipo Police Station.

(f) No birds of any description, except magpies, hawks and kites may be killed, wounded or taken in any prohibited area.

The prohibited areas at the date of the issue of this licence are:—

(a) That part of the New Territories situated at or near Fanling which is bounded by a line drawn from Fanling railway station up to the crest of the ridge meeting the railway at this point continuing south-westwards along the crest of the ridge down to its junction with the path leading towards the Ha Tse Gap and along that path to where it meets the Tsiu Kang Stream; thence by the main Tsiu Kang Stream to where it meets the main road near Ho Tung Farm; thence by the main road to the level crossing near Fanling Village, thence by the railway line to Fanling railway station.

(b) The whole of the Island of Cheung Chau.

(c) The whole of the Island of Hong Kong.

NOTE:—No birds of any description, other than those specified in the licence, (and magpies, kites and hawks, which, being vermin, may be shot at any time without a licence may be killed, wounded or taken without a special licence from the Governor, this prohibition includes PHEASANTS.

LICENSEE IS EXEMPTED BY ME UNDER ORDINANCE
No. 2 OF 1933 IN RESPECT OF ONE SHOTGUN AND
500 ROUNDS OF SPORTING AMMUNITION.

.....
Inspector General of Police.

R. A. D. FORREST,
Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
17th June, 1936.