

as to matters with respect to which the Minister is empowered to require information to be given or returns to be made,

(a) such department, person or body shall, if so required by the Minister, exercise that power for the purpose of assisting the Minister in obtaining any such information, and

(b) any information obtained by such department, person or body, whether upon a requisition of the Minister or otherwise, may, notwithstanding anything in any other enactment or order, be furnished to the Minister.

9. All expenditures incurred under this Act shall be paid out of the monies provided by The War Appropriation Act, 1940, or otherwise by Parliament for the purposes of this Act.

10. In addition to the powers otherwise conferred by this Act, the Governor in Council may, from time to time, make such orders or regulations as may be deemed necessary or advisable to carry into effect the purposes of this Act, and any such orders or regulations shall have the same force and effect as if enacted herein.

11. Every order or regulation passed under the authority of this Act shall be laid before Parliament forthwith if Parliament is in session, and, if Parliament is not in session, within two weeks of the opening of the session next following the making of such order or regulation.

12. The Minister shall lay before Parliament, within thirty days after the commencement of each session thereof, a report containing a statement of the operations of the Department during the year then last preceding.

13. The Governor in Council may prescribe the penalties that may be imposed by fine or imprisonment or by fine and imprisonment for violations of this Act or of orders and regulations made thereunder, and may also prescribe whether such penalties shall be imposed upon summary conviction or upon indictment, but no such penalty shall exceed a fine of five thousand dollars or imprisonment for a term of five years, or both such fine and imprisonment.