

(d) To print, publish or publicly express any statement, report or opinion which may tend to weaken or in any way detract from the united effort of the people of Canada in the prosecution of the war;

(e) To print, publish or publicly express any report of, or to purport to describe or to refer to the proceedings at any secret session of the House of Commons or Senate held in pursuance of a resolution passed by the said House or Senate, except such report thereof as may be officially communicated through the Director of Public Information.

(f) Without lawful authority to publish the contents of any confidential document belonging to, or any confidential information obtained from, any Government Department or any person in the service of His Majesty.

2. Any person found guilty of an offence hereunder shall upon summary conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) or to imprisonment for not more than five years or to both fine and imprisonment.

3. If the Governor in Council upon the report of the Secretary of State of Canada so directs, all copies of any publication which has been in his judgment, printed, issued, circulated or published in contravention hereof, shall be seized and destroyed by any person authorized so to do by the Secretary of State, and the presses, plant, machinery and material used or to be used in the printing, publication or circulation of any such publication containing matter in the judgment of the Secretary of State of Canada printed or published in contravention hereof, shall be seized and the premises where the same are printed or published may be closed indefinitely or for such period as the Secretary of State of Canada may direct.

4. For the purpose of carrying the above provision into effect the Secretary of State of Canada may issue his warrant to any such person under his hand and seal of office, directing any such publication to be seized or destroyed and any such presses, plant, machinery and material to be seized and the premises wherein the same are printed or published to be closed.

5. Any person so authorized as hereinbefore provided, may require the assistance of such persons and make use of such force as he may deem necessary for the execution of such warrant.

6. Nothing in the present Order and Regulation shall be deemed to affect the absolute privilege of members of Parliament or any statement made by any such member as such in the Senate or House of Commons of Canada.

RUDOLPHE BOUDREAU,
Clerk of the Privy Council.