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The Governor in Council in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 3 of the Emergency Powers (Disasters) Act makes the following Order:

Citation	1. This Order may be cited as the Emergency Powers (Disasters) (Enrollment of Special Constables) order, 19 .
Persons to be sworn as special constables	2. The Governor in Council may cause a person whose name appears on a list prepared for the purpose by the Commissioner of Police, to be sworn in as a special constable by any magistrate or justice of the peace in aid of the Police Force and the person shall be employed as a special constable for such time during the present period of public emergency as the Governor in Council may determine.
Powers etc. of a special constable Cap. 142	3. (1) A person referred to in paragraph 2 has, while employed as a special constable, the powers, authorities, privileges, responsibilities, immunities and shall perform the duties of a member of the Police force under the Police Act. (2) The Police Act relating to discipline applies to every person employed as a special constable. (3) Any reference in any Order made under section 3 of the Emergency Powers (Disasters) Act to a member of the Police Force includes a reference to a special constable sworn in under this Order.
Penalty for obstructing special constable	4. A person who <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) assaults, obstructs or resists; (b) fails or neglects when called upon to aid; (c) uses any abusive or insulting language to; or (c) aids or incites any person to assault, obstruct or resist, <p>a special constable in the execution of his duty or a person acting in aid of the special constable, is guilty of an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of fifty dollars or to imprisonment for a term of one month.</p>

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5. A special constable shall be paid such wages, travelling allowance and out of pocket expenses as the Governor in Council may determine.

May by the Governor in Council this
day Of , 19 .

Clerk of the Executive Council.