Dropping of persons and articles

32.—(1) Articles and animals (whether or not attached to a parachute) shall not be dropped, or permitted to drop, from an aircraft in flight so as to endanger persons or property.

(2) Articles, animals and persons (whether or not attached to a parachute) shall not be dropped, or permitted to drop, to the surface

from an aircraft flying over the Colony:

Provided that this pragraph shall not apply to the descent of persons by parachute from an aircraft in an emergency, or to the dropping of articles by, or with the authority of, the commander of the aircraft in the following circumstances:—

(a) the dropping of articles for the purpose of saving life;

(b) the jettisoning, in case of emergency, of fuel or other articles in the aircraft:

(c) the dropping of ballast in the form of fine sand or water;

(d) the dropping of articles solely for the purpose of navigating the aircraft in accordance with ordinary practice or with the provisions of this Order;

(e) the dropping at an aerodrome in accordance with prescribed regulations, of ropes, banners or similar articles towed

by aircraft.

(3) For the purposes of this Article dropping includes projecting

and lowering.

(4) Nothing in this Article shall prohibit the lowering of any person, animal or article from a helicopter to the surface, if the certificate of airworthiness issued or rendered valid in respect of the helicopter under the law of the country in which it is registered includes an express provision that it may be used for that purpose.

Carriage of munitions of war

33.—(1) An aircraft shall not carry any munitions of war.

(2) It shall be unlawful for any person to take or cause to be taken on board an aircraft, or to deliver or cause to be delivered for carriage thereon, any goods which he knows or has reason to believe or suspect to be munitions of war.

(3) For the purposes of this Article "munitions of war" means such

weapons and ammunition as are designed for use in warfare.

Carriage of dangerous goods

- 34.—(1) Dangerous goods shall not be carried in an aircraft except as follows:—
 - (a) goods carried in accordance with any regulations which the Governor may make to permit dangerous goods to be carried either in aircraft generally or in aircraft of any class specified in the regulations;

(b) goods carried with the written permission of the Governor, and in accordance with any conditions to which such permission

may be subject;

(c) goods carried in an aircraft with the consent of the operator thereof for the purpose of ensuring the proper navigation or safety of the aircraft or the well-being of any person on board;

(d) goods permitted to be carried under the laws of the country in which the aircraft is registered, if there is in force in relation to such country an agreement between Her Majesty's Govern-