Fisheries Act No. 25 of 2 December 1943

Article 2

In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires:

"Transjordan" includes that part of the sea which is contiguous to the coast of Transjordan and lies within a distance of three nautical miles from the low-water line.

Article 4

No one shall be permitted to engage in fishing unless he has obtained a fishing licence. A fee of 100 mills shall be charged for the issue of such licence in respect of each financial year.

Article 8

Any judicial, police or customs officer, and any other officer empowered thereto by the Prime Minister may, for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of this Act:

- (b) Go on board and search any vessel or boat believed to be engaged in fishing and examine any fish or fishing implements therein;
- (c) Where there are reasonable grounds for suspecting that an offence has been committed, take the alleged offender, the vessels or boat, the fishing implements and the catch without summons or warrant, to the most convenient police station or port, detain such vessels or boat and such fishing implements pending trial, sell the catch and impound the proceeds of the sale.