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## PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950.

## Prices Control Order No. 408.

## Tobacco, Cigarettes and Cigarette Papers.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the Prices Control Regulations, 1949, I, Constantin Paul Mathea, Prices Control Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:—

## Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Control Order No. 408.

2. Prices Control Order No. 343 is hereby amended—

(a) by omitting from the Schedule thereto the following words and figures appearing under the subheading "Cut Tobacco"—

"Golden Hind Fine Cut 2 oz. 2 8½ 2 9½ 2 9½  
(Pouchpak)

"Golden Hind Pipe 2 oz. 2 8½ 2 9½ 2 9½"  
(Pouchpak)

and inserting in their stead under the same subheading the following words and figures:—

"Golden Hind Fine Cut 2 oz. 3 1 3 2 3 2"  
(Pouchpak)

"Golden Hind Pipe 2 oz. 3 1 3 2 3 2"  
(Pouchpak)

(b) by inserting in the Schedule thereto under the heading "Cut Tobacco," the items specified under that heading in the first column of the Schedule to this Order, and the maximum prices for such items specified in the second, third and fourth columns of such lastmentioned Schedule;

(c) by inserting in the Schedule thereto under the heading "Cigarettes," the items specified under that heading in the first column of the Schedule to this Order, and the maximum prices for such items specified in the second, third and fourth columns of such lastmentioned Schedule.

## The Schedule.

## Maximum Retail Prices.

(Additional items and maximum prices thereof to be inserted in the Schedule to Prices Control Order No. 343.

First Column.	Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Kind or Brand.	Sales in Perth Area.	Sales South of 26th Parallel of South Latitude.	Sales North of 26th Parallel of South Latitude.
<b>CUT TOBACCO.</b>			
Star Blue Ribbon Fine Cut Ready Rubbed (Pouchpak) 2 oz.	s. d. 3 10	s. d. 3 11	s. d. 3 11
Wilbrau Pipe (Pouchpak) 2 oz.	3 6	3 7	3 7
<b>CIGARETTES.</b>			
Airmail .... packet of 10	1 4	1 4	1 4½
Black and White Cork Tipped .... packet of 20	1 11	1 11	1 11½
Blue Master .... packet of 20	2 9	2 9	2 9½
Golden Fiction Cork Tipped .... packet of 20	2 8½	2 8½	2 9
Golden West .... packet of 10	1 4	1 4	1 4½
John Cotton No. 1 .... packet of 20	3 0	3 0	3 0½
John Wood's .... packet of 20	3 1	3 1	3 1½
John Wood's .... tin of 50	7 8	7 8	7 10
Savoy .... packet of 10	1 3	1 3	1 3½
Savoy .... packet of 20	2 6	2 6	2 6½
Sketch Cork Tipped and Plain .... packet of 20	2 7	2 7	2 7½
Sunripe Cork Tipped .... packet of 20	2 10	2 10	2 10½
Teddy .... packet of 10	1 2½	1 2½	1 3
Three Castles Yellow Label .... packet of 10	1 5	1 5	1 5½

Dated at Perth this 2nd day of April, 1951.

C. P. MATHEA,  
Prices Control Commissioner.

## PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950.

## Prices Control Order No. 409.

## Onions.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the Prices Control Regulations, 1949, I, Constantine Paul Mathea, Prices Control Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:—

## Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Control Order No. 409.

## Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 344 is hereby revoked.

## Definitions and Interpretations.

3. In this Order and the Schedules thereto, unless the contrary intention appears—

“cost per cwt. into retailer's store” means the sum of the following:—

- (a) The price per cwt. paid or payable by the retail seller for the onions computed on the basis of the full weight of the onions and bag and without any allowance for wastage;
- (b) cost of transport actually incurred in and properly attributable to conveying the onions from the point of delivery to the retail seller to that retail seller's store;

Provided that cost of transport shall not be allowed unless it is recorded on an invoice for the onions delivered to the seller:

“gross weight” means, in relation to the sale of onions by any grower or wholesaler, the aggregate weight of the container and the onions contained therein;

“Perth Metropolitan Area” means all that area comprised within a radius of 12 miles from the General Post Office, Perth;

“point of delivery” means, in relation to the sale of onions, by any grower or wholesaler, the place at which liability for payment of transport charges passed to the purchaser from the person from whom such onions were purchased;

“Grade I onions” means sound onions of similar varietal characteristics, weighing from 2 to 6 oz. each, free from abnormal doubles, root growths, sprouts, dirt or other foreign matter and blemishes caused by disease, insect injury or sunburns and free of peeled onions;

“Grade II onions” means onions of similar varietal characteristics, weighing from 2 to 6 oz. each and free from wet or dry rots, dirt, or other foreign matter, including onions in which peeled onions and slight blemishes can be removed by the ordinary process of peeling without appreciable increase in waste over that which would occur if the onions were perfect;

“large onions” means onions of similar varietal characteristics which comply with the standard of Grade I, except that the onions shall weigh over 6 oz. each;

“picklers” means sound onions complying with the standard of Grade I and weighing less than 2 oz. each;

“out of grade onions” means onions which do not conform with Grade I or Grade II or large onions or picklers.

## Sales by Growers.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which onions of the grade or kind set out in the first column of the First Schedule to this Order may be sold by the grower to be—

- (a) where delivery is made at the grower's premises—the price according to the gross weight, specified in the second or third column of that Schedule opposite each such grade or kind;

- (b) where delivery is made to the purchaser's premises in the Perth Metropolitan Area—the price according to the gross weight, specified in the second or third column of that Schedule opposite each such grade or kind, plus one shilling per cwt.;

- (c) where delivery is made at any place in the Perth Metropolitan Area other than the purchaser's premises—the price according to the gross weight, specified in the second or third column of that Schedule opposite each such grade or kind, plus one shilling per cwt., but less the cost of transporting such onions from the point of delivery to the purchaser to the purchaser's premises;

- (d) where delivery is made outside the Perth Metropolitan Area, at any place other than the grower's premises, the sum of—

- (i) the price according to the gross weight, specified in the second or third column of that Schedule opposite each such grade or kind, and
- (ii) the cost of transport actually incurred in and properly attributable to transporting such onions from the grower's premises to the point of delivery to the purchaser.

## Sales by Wholesale.

5. I fix and declare the maximum price at which onions of the grade or kind set out in the first column of the First Schedule to this Order may be sold by a wholesale seller other than a grower to be—

- (a) in respect of sales in the Perth Metropolitan Area, the sum of—

- (i) the price according to the gross weight, specified in the second or third column of the First Schedule to this Order opposite each such grade or kind, plus one shilling per cwt.; or—

the price paid or payable, plus the cost of transport, if any, actually incurred in and properly attributable to transporting such onions from the point of delivery to the wholesale seller to the wholesale seller's premises—  
whichever is the lesser;

- (ii) a margin at the rate of 2s. 3d. per cwt. if sold ex wholesale store, or at the rate of 2s. 6d. per cwt. if delivered free on rail; or at the rate of 2s. 9d. per cwt. if delivered to the purchaser's premises or free on wharf; or at the rate of 2s. 9d. per cwt. plus cost of transport from wharf to vessel if sold free on board;

- (b) in respect of sales outside the Perth Metropolitan Area, the sum of—

- (i) the price according to the gross weight, specified in the second or third column of the First Schedule to this Order opposite each such grade or kind or the price paid or payable, whichever is the lesser;

- (ii) the cost of transport actually incurred in and properly attributable to transporting the onions from the grower's premises to the wholesale seller's premises;

- (iii) a margin at the rate of 2s. 3d. per cwt.;

- (iv) the cost of transport, if any, incurred in and properly attributable to transporting the onions from the wholesale seller's premises to the point of delivery to the purchaser;

Provided that where the wholesaler purchases onions in containers of a gross weight exceeding 56 lb. each, including the container, and sells such

onions in containers of a gross weight of less than 56 lb. each, including the container, the price fixed by the provisions of this paragraph may be increased by 3d. per cwt.

Sales by Retail.

6. I fix and declare the maximum price at which onions may be sold by any person by retail to be—

- (a) in respect of sales within the Perth Metropolitan Area—4½d. per lb. or the price specified in the second column of the Second Schedule to this Order, according to the cost per cwt. into retailer's store set out in the first column of that Schedule, whichever is the lesser;
- (b) in respect of sales in any place other than the Perth Metropolitan Area, the price specified in the second column of the Second Schedule to this Order, according to the cost per cwt. into the retailer's store set out in the first column of that Schedule.

General.

7. Where onions are sold by any person in any manner other than in containers, I fix and declare the maximum price at which such onions may be sold to be the maximum price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order, less an amount calculated at the rate of 1s. 6d. per cwt.: Provided that the minimum amount by which such maximum price shall be reduced in respect of any quantity sold shall be 1s. 6d.

8. Where any onions, the maximum price for the sale of which is fixed by the provisions of this Order, are sold in containers, such maximum price shall be deemed to be fixed for the sale of those onions together with such containers.

9. Onions contained in any one parcel of onions shall be deemed to comply with the standard of the grade specified if at least ninety-five per centum thereof by weight comply with that standard.

Exhibition of Price Tickets.

10. Every person who sells or has for sale onions by retail shall exhibit in a prominent position in his place of business, or if he has more than one place of business, in each of his places of business, a notice or notices setting forth his selling price in relation to each lot of onions displayed by that person anywhere upon such place or places of business in the following manner, that is to say, by exhibiting a prices card specifying the selling price applicable to each lot of such onions displayed so as to properly associate such price with the lot of onions to which that price applies.

Variation of Maximum Price by Notice.

11. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which any onions specified in a notice in pursuance of this paragraph may be sold by any person to whom such notice is given to be such price as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to such person.

The First Schedule.

First Column.	Second Column.	Third Column.
Grade or Kind.	Where the gross weight exceeds 56 lb.	Where the gross weight does not exceed 56 lb.
	Per cwt. s. d.	Per cwt. s. d.
Brown or White Onions—		
Grade I Onions	28 6	29 0
Grade II Onions	24 0	24 6
Large Onions	26 3	26 9
Out of Grade Onions	22 6	23 0
Picklers	25 0	25 6

The Second Schedule.

First Column.	Second Column.
Cost per cwt. into Retailer's Store.	Price per lb.
s. d.	d.
Over 14 3 but not exceeding 17 6	2½
Over 17 6 but not exceeding 21 0	3
Over 21 0 but not exceeding 24 3	3½
Over 24 3 but not exceeding 27 9	4
Over 27 9 but not exceeding 33 3	4½
Over 33 3 but not exceeding 36 9	5
Over 36 9 but not exceeding 40 3	5½
Over 40 3 but not exceeding 43 9	6
Over 43 9 but not exceeding 47 3	6½
Over 47 3 but not exceeding 50 9	7
Over 50 9 but not exceeding 54 3	7½
Over 54 3 but not exceeding 57 9	8
Over 57 9 but not exceeding 61 3	8½
Over 61 3 but not exceeding 64 9	9
Over 64 9 but not exceeding 68 3	9½
Over 68 3 but not exceeding 71 9	10
Over 71 9 but not exceeding 75 3	10½
Over 75 3 but not exceeding 78 9	11
Over 78 9 but not exceeding 82 3	11½
Over 82 3 but not exceeding 85 9	12

Dated at Perth this 2nd day of April, 1951.

C. P. MATHEA,  
Prices Control Commissioner.

PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950.

Prices Control Order No. 410.

Meat and Offal Meat.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the Prices Control Regulations, 1949, I, Constantine Paul Mathea, Prices Control Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Control Order No. 410.

Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 283, as amended by Prices Control Orders Nos. 297, 312, 349, 358 and 406 is hereby revoked.

Definitions and Interpretations.

3. In this Order, unless the contrary intention appears—

“Perth Metropolitan Area” means all that area comprised within a radius of twenty-five miles from the General Post Office, Perth;

“South-West Land Division” means the South-West Land Division as defined in the Land Act, 1933-1938, but not including the Perth Metropolitan Area, as defined in this paragraph;

“Kalgoorlie-Boulder-Coolgardie Area” means all that area comprised within a radius of twenty-five miles from the principal post office at Kalgoorlie;

“seven days’ credit,” in relation to any sale of meat by retail, means any sale within any period of seven days where payment for all meat sold within that period is not made within that period.

General.

4. In this Order, reference to the weight of any meat shall be construed as a reference to the dressed weight of that meat.

5. For the purposes of this Order, if a person operates more than one place of business, he shall, in respect of each place of business, be deemed a separate seller.

6. Every person who sells by wholesale any meat or offal meat for which a maximum price is fixed by or under the provisions of this Order, shall deliver with that meat or offal meat an invoice or docket containing the following particulars:—

- (a) His name and place of business.
- (b) The name and address of the purchaser of that meat, or offal meat.
- (c) The date of the sale of that meat, or offal meat.
- (d) The class of that meat or offal meat described according to the classes of meat or offal meat specified in the Schedule to this Order, and whether any such meat is frozen or other than frozen.
- (e) The number in each lot of those classes of meat or offal meat sold.
- (f) In the case of any class of meat or offal meat for which a maximum price is expressed in this Order or the Schedules thereto to be fixed by reference to weight—the total weight of each lot of those classes of meat or offal meat sold.
- (g) The price per lb., per dozen, or per unit, as the case may be, at which each lot of those classes of meat or offal meat is sold.

7. Every person who sells by retail any meat for which a maximum price is fixed by or under the provisions of this Order and in relation to the sale of which meat, in pursuance of subparagraph (i) or (ii) of the proviso to paragraph 11 of this Order—

- (i) the purchaser is given credit; or
- (ii) where a delivery charge is made by the seller by retail, shall deliver with that meat an invoice or docket containing the following particulars:—
  - (a) His name and place of business.
  - (b) The name of the purchaser of that meat.
  - (c) The date of the sale of that meat.
  - (d) The cut or class of meat described according to the cuts or classes of meat specified in the Schedules to this Order.
  - (e) In the case of any cut or class of meat for which a maximum price is expressed in this Order or the Schedules thereto to be fixed by reference to weight—the total weight of each cut or class of meat sold.
  - (f) The price per lb. or per unit, as the case may be, at which each lot of those cuts or classes of meat is sold.
  - (g) The total price of each cut or class of meat sold.

#### Sales by Wholesale.

8. (1) Subject to subparagraph (2) of this paragraph, I fix and declare the maximum price at which the classes of meat or offal meat specified in the First and Second Schedules to this Order may be sold by wholesale to be the prices specified in those Schedules.

(2) I fix and declare the maximum price at which meat for which a delivered price is fixed for sales by wholesale may be sold by wholesale other than at a delivered price, to be such delivered price less an amount calculated at the rate of  $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per lb. for every 25 miles or part thereof by which the purchaser's premises are distant from the seller's premises.

#### Portions of a Carcass or Side.

9. Where any class of meat, a maximum price for the sale of which is fixed by paragraph 8 of this Order, is sold by wholesale in the form of portions or cuts of a carcass or side, the maximum price at which any portion or cut of that carcass or side may be sold shall be such amount that the

maximum price of that portion together with the portion of the carcass or side previously sold, shall equal the maximum price fixed for the sale of the whole carcass or side, as the case may be.

#### Other Sales by Wholesale.

10. I declare that where a person (in this paragraph referred to as "the agent") purchases livestock as agent, or purported agent, for another person (in this paragraph referred to as "the principal") and processes or treats the livestock and delivers meat resulting from the processing or treatment to the principal, the carrying out of the agency (or purported agency) and the performance of the other services by the agent shall, for the purpose of the Regulations and this Order, be deemed to be a sale by wholesale of the meat so delivered by the agent to the principal at a price equal to the sum of the amounts paid or payable by the principal to the agent in respect of the agency and services (including the price paid by the agent for the livestock purchased by him).

#### Sales by Retail.

11. I fix and declare the maximum price at which meat of the classes or cuts specified in the first column of the Third Schedule to this Order may be sold by retail to be—

- (a) in respect of sales in the Perth Metropolitan Area, the prices specified in the second column of such Schedule;
- (b) in respect of sales in the South-West Land Division, the prices specified in the third column of such Schedule;
- (c) in respect of sales in the Kalgoorlie-Boulder-Coolgardie Area, the prices specified in the fourth column of such Schedule.

Provided that the prices so specified shall—

- (i) in relation to any sale other than in the Perth Metropolitan Area, where delivery is made to a purchaser's premises which are at a distance greater than one mile from the seller's premises, and are outside the boundary of any town or city; or
- (ii) in relation to any sale in the Kalgoorlie-Boulder-Coolgardie Area, and the South-West Land Division, including the Perth Metropolitan Area, where more than seven days' credit is given to the purchaser by the seller by retail—

be subject in each case to a charge of one half-penny per pound: Provided also that such charge, as the case may be, is separately recorded on a docket delivered in relation to that meat.

#### Offal Meats—Sales by Retail.

12. I fix and declare the maximum price at which any class of offal meat specified in the Fourth Schedule to this Order may be sold by retail to be—

- (a) in respect of sales in the Perth Metropolitan Area, and the South-West Land Division, the prices specified in the second column of such schedule;
- (b) in respect of sales in the Kalgoorlie-Boulder-Coolgardie Area, the prices specified in the third column of such Schedule.

#### Variation of Maximum Prices by Notice.

13. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which meat or offal meat of any class specified in a notice in pursuance of this paragraph may be sold by any person to whom such notice is given to be such price as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to that person.

#### Exhibition of Price List.

14. (1) Every trader who sells or has for sale by retail any meat or offal meat, shall exhibit in a prominent place in his shop, or if he has more than one shop, in each of his shops, a notice setting forth the maximum price fixed from time to time by or under the provisions of this or any subsequent Order for sale by him of any class or cut of meat or offal meat in the form approved

by the Commissioner. I hereby approve the following form of such notice, that is to say—a notice not less than 18 inches long and not less than 12 inches wide, having printed thereon in clear printer's type all the classes or cuts of meat or offal meat which that trader sells or has for sale, and the maximum prices fixed by or under this Order in relation thereto.

(2) For the purpose of the last preceding subparagraph, the amount added for delivery or credit in pursuance of the foregoing provisions of this Order shall not be deemed to be part of the maximum price, but where any such charge is permitted in relation to the sale of meat by any person under those provisions, the following shall be endorsed in clear printer's type at the foot of the notice referred to in the last preceding subparagraph:—

Where delivery is made to a purchaser's premises outside this town (or city), which are distant more than one mile from these premises

and, where applicable—

where credit is given for more than seven days, the prices referred to in this list are subject to an addition of one half-penny per lb. in respect of each service.

The First Schedule.  
Wholesale.

Class of Meat.	Maximum price per lb., delivered.
Beef, Frozen—All weights and grades	s. d. 1 0½
Beef, other than Frozen—All weights and grades	1 2
Mutton, Frozen—Hoggett, Wether or Ewe	0 10½
Mutton, other than Frozen—Hoggett, Wether or Ewe	0 11

The Second Schedule.  
Offal Meat—Wholesale.

Class of Meat.	Maximum Price.
Beef—	s. d.
Ox Tongue	0 7½ lb.
Ox Tails	1 1 each
Thick Skirts	0 4½ lb.
Hearts	0 3 lb.
Kidneys	0 3 lb.
Brains	0 4 set
Liver	0 4 lb.
Cheeks	0 4 lb.
Tripes, cooked	0 5 lb.
Cow heels	0 4 each
Full set of offal	7 0 each
Sheep and Lamb—	
Tongues	2 0 doz.
Livers	3 0 doz.
Heart and Fry	4 0 doz.
Heart	1 0 doz.
Brains	2 0 doz.
Sweetbreads	1 0 lb.
Calves—	
Tongues, bobby	4 0 doz.
Liver	0 4 lb.
Hearts	0 3 lb.
Pig Offals—	
Tongues	0 2 each
Hearts	0 2 lb.
Feet	0 1 each
Heads	0 1 lb.
Kidneys	0 8 lb.
Checks	0 2 lb.

The Third Schedule.  
Maximum Retail Prices—Perth Metropolitan Area—  
South-West Land Division—Kalgoorlie-Boulder-Coolgardie Area.

First Column. Class of Meat.	Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
	Perth Metropolitan Area. Maximum Price per lb.	South-West Land Division. Maximum Price per lb.	Kalgoorlie-Boulder-Coolgardie Area. Maximum Price per lb.
Beef—All Grades—	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Fillet	3 2	3 2	3 3
Rump	2 11	2 11	3 0
Sirloin Beef	2 4	2 4	2 5
Sirloin Steak	2 9	2 9	2 9
Topside	2 6	2 6½	2 7
Round	2 2	2 3	2 3
Blade	2 2	2 2	2 3
Chuck	2 0	2 0½	2 0½
Gravy Beef	2 0	2 0½	2 0½
Silverside	2 1	2 1	2 2
Rolled Brisket	1 9	1 9½	1 10
Brisket, with bone	1 8	1 8½	1 9
Rolled Rib	2 2	2 3	2 3
Rib, with bone	1 10	1 10½	1 11
Sausage Meat	1 1	1 1	1 1
Mutton-Hoggett, Wether or Ewe—			
Leg, Full	1 7½	1 8	1 8
Leg, short	1 8½	1 9	1 9
Shortloin Chops	1 8	1 8	1 9
Chump Chops	1 7½	1 8	1 8
Forequarter Chops	1 5	1 5	1 6
Cutlets	1 7	1 7	1 8
Neck	0 11	0 11	1 0
Shoulder, without Neck and Shank	1 2	1 2	1 3
Shoulder, with Neck and Shank	1 1	1 1	1 2
Forequarter	1 1	1 1	1 2
Breasts	0 9	0 9½	0 9½
Shanks	0 8	0 8½	0 8½
Hindquarter	1 6	1 6	1 7
Carcases or sides	1 3	1 3	1 4

The Fourth Schedule.  
Offal Meats—Maximum Retail Prices.  
Perth Metropolitan Area—South-West Land  
Division—Kalgoorlie-Boulder-Coolgardie Area.

First Column. Class of Meat.	Second Column.	Third Column.
	South-West Land Division and Perth Metropolitan Area. Maximum Price.	Kalgoorlie-Boulder-Coolgardie Area. Maximum Price.
Beef—	s. d.	s. d.
Ox Tongue	0 8 lb.	0 8 lb.
Ox Tails	1 6 each	1 6 each
Thick Skirts	0 7 lb.	0 7 lb.
Hearts	0 5 lb.	0 5 lb.
Kidneys	1 0 lb.	1 0 lb.
Brains	0 6 set	0 6 set
Liver	0 6 lb.	0 6 lb.
Cheeks	0 6 lb.	0 6 lb.
Tripe, cooked	0 7½ lb.	0 8½ lb.
Cow Heels	0 6 each	0 6 each
Sheep and Lamb—		
Tongues	0 3 each	0 3 each
Livers	0 5 each	0 5 each
Hearts	0 2 each	0 2 each
Kidneys	0 2 each	0 2 each
Brains	0 3 set	0 3 set
Heads (with brains and tongue)	0 7 each	0 7 each
Sweetbreads	1 6 lb.	1 6 lb.
Hearts and Fry	0 6 each	0 6 each
Calves—		
Tongues, bobby	0 6 each	0 6 each
Liver	0 6 lb.	0 6 lb.
Hearts	0 5 lb.	0 5 lb.
Pigs—		
Tongues	0 3 each	0 3 each
Feet	0 2 each	0 2 each
Hearts	0 3 lb.	0 3 lb.
Cheeks	0 3 lb.	0 3 lb.
Heads	0 1½ lb.	0 1½ lb.
Kidneys	1 0 lb.	1 0 lb.

Dated at Perth this 2nd day of April, 1951.

C. P. MATHEA,  
Prices Control Commissioner.