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PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950.

Prices Control Order No. 553.

Potatoes.

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. 553.
2. Prices Control Order No. 519 is hereby amended—

- (a) by omitting the figures "£23 12s. 6d." from subparagraphs (a) and (b) of paragraph 4, from subparagraph (a) of paragraph 5 and from subparagraph (i) of paragraph 6 and inserting the figures "£26" in their stead;
- (b) by omitting the figures "£25 2s. 6d." from subparagraph (c) of paragraph 4 and from subparagraph (ii) of paragraph 6 and inserting the figures "£27 15s." in their stead;
- (c) by omitting the First Schedule to the Order and inserting in its stead the Schedule to this Order.

The Schedule.

(New Schedule—The First Schedule—Prices Control Order No. 519, as amended.)

Maximum Retail Prices—Perth Metropolitan Area.
Price in Pence for—

1 lb.	2 lb.	3 lb.	3½ lb.	7 lb.	14 lb.	28 lb.
d. 3½	d. 7	d. 10½	d. 12	d. 23½	d. 47	d. 94

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

C. P. MATHEA,
Prices Control Commissioner.

PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950.

Prices Control Order No. 554.

Vegetables.

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. 554.

Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 183 is hereby revoked.

Definitions.

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

"cost of transport" means cost of transport by rail (or if rail transport is not available, any other service which is available), but does not include any cost of transport which is not recorded on an invoice delivered by the seller;

"Perth Metropolitan Area" means all that area of Western Australia comprised within a radius of 12 miles from the General Post Office at Perth.

Sales by Wholesale other than by Growers.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which the goods specified in the First Schedule to this Order may be sold by wholesale by any person other than a grower to be the sum of—

- (a) the price paid or payable by the wholesale seller;
- (b) cost of transport actually incurred in and properly attributable to conveying the goods from the point of delivery to the wholesale seller to the point of delivery by him; and

(c) a margin at the following rate:—

- (i) where delivery is made in the Perth Metropolitan Area—10 per centum of (a); or
- (ii) where delivery is made outside the Perth Metropolitan Area—20 per centum of (a).

Maximum Retail Prices.

5. I fix and declare the maximum price at which the goods specified in the First Schedule to this Order may be sold by any person by retail to be the sum of the following:—

- (a) The price paid or payable by the retail seller;
- (b) cost of transport actually incurred by the retail seller and properly attributable to conveying the goods from the point of delivery to him to his premises; and
- (c) the margin as specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.

Exhibition of Price Tickets.

6. Every person who sells or has for sale any goods, a maximum price for the sale of which is fixed by or under the provisions of this Order, 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 prices in relation to each grade or variety of those goods, and in relation to each lot displayed by that person anywhere upon such place or places of business, in the following manner, that is to say, by exhibiting a separate price card or cards specifying the selling price applicable to each grade, variety or lot of such goods displayed so as to properly associate such price with the grade, variety or lot to which that price applies.

Variation of Maximum Prices by Notice.

7. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which any vegetables covered by this Order, 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.

The First Schedule.

- Beans.
- Beetroot.
- Cabbage.
- Carrots.
- Cauliflower.
- Celery.
- Cucumbers.
- Lettuce.
- Marrows.
- Parsnips.
- Peas.
- Pumpkins.
- Rhubarb.
- Silver Beet.
- Swede Turnips.
- Sweet Potatoes.
- Turnips, White.

The Second Schedule.

For Sales in—	During months of—	
	April, May, June, July, August, September, October and November.	December, January, February and March.
The Perth Metropolitan Area	Per cent. 33½	Per cent. 33½
That portion of Western Australia west of longitude 120° and south of latitude 30° but not including the Perth Metropolitan Area	33½	40
That portion of Western Australia east of longitude 120° and south of latitude 28°	50	50
That portion of Western Australia north of latitude 26°	50	50
That portion of Western Australia not otherwise specified	40	50

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

C. P. MATHEA,
Prices Control Commissioner.

PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950.

Prices Control Order No. 555.

Dripping.

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. 555.

Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 224 is hereby revoked. Prices Control Order No. 432, as amended by Prices Control Order No. 500, insofar as it relates to sales by retail of bulk dripping, is hereby revoked.

Definition.

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

“dripping” means any edible animal fat, or mixture of edible animal fats, other than butter, margarine or pure lard.

Maximum Prices.

4. I fix and declare the maximum prices (including, where any container is supplied therewith, the cost of such container) at which dripping may be sold, to be the prices specified in the Schedule to this Order.

Variation of Maximum Prices by Notice.

5. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which dripping 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.

The Schedule.

Dripping in—	Maximum Prices.		
	Sales to Wholesale Sellers.	Sales by Wholesale.	Sales by Retail.
(a) 4 gallon sealed tins....	Pence per lb. 6½	Pence per lb. 7½
(b) 4 gallon open type tins	6½	7
(c) 56 lb. boxes	6	6½
Bulk or loose dripping	8½

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

C. P. MATHEA,
Prices Control Commissioner.