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# PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950. Notice-Declaration No. 43.

I, ARTHUR VALENTINE RUTHERFORD ABBOTT, Attorney General and the Minister of the Crown for the time being charged with the administration of the Prices Control Act, 1948-1950, in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 14 of the said Act and the Prices Control Regulations, 1949, do hereby revoke the declarations made under the said Act and Regula-tions specified in the Schedule to this Declaration No. 43 and published in the *Government Gazette* on the date set forth in the schedule in the case of each declaration. declaration.

#### Schedule.

Declaration No. 36, the 28th day of March, 1950.
Declaration No. 37, the 19th day of May, 1950.
Declaration No. 38, the 16th day of June, 1950.
Declaration No. 39, the 11th day of September, 1950.
Declaration No. 40, the 11th day of September, 1950.
Declaration No. 41, the 3rd day of November, 1950.
Dated at Perth this 8th day December, 1950.

VAL. R. ABBOTT. Attorney General.

PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950.

# Notice-Declaration No. 44.

I, ARTHUR VALENTINE RUTHERFORD ABBOTT, I, ARTHUE VALENTINE RUTHERFORD ABBOTT, Attorney General and the Minister of the Crown for the time being charged with the administration of the Prices Control Act, 1948-1950, in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 14 of the said Act and the Prices Control Regulation, 1949, do hereby declare the goods specified in the Schedule to this Declaration No. 44 to be declared goods for the purposes of the said Act and Regulations.

Dated at Perth this 8th day of December, 1950.

VAL. R. ABBOTT, Attorney General.

# Schedule.

Groceries and Foodstuffs.

Biscuits, excepting dog biscuits.

Bran, pollard, sharps, branato and pollato, or any mixtures thereof.

Bread, including white bread, brown bread, wholemeal bread, whole wheatmeal bread, Vienna bread and starch reduced bread. Bread rolls, including Vienna rolls.

Butter.

Cheese and cheese spreads. Diabetic foods and food preparations.

Eggs in shell.

Fats, edible.

Fish, other than canned fish. Flour, wheaten, wheatmeal and self-raising.

- Foods primarily for breakfast use prepared from wheat, maize, oats or rice, whether in granulated, flaked, biscuit or any other form, including oatmeals of all types but not including flour and cornflour.
- Fruits, canned or preserved, excepting crystallised fruits. Golden syrup.

Grains, namely, wheat barley and oats.

Honey.

Hops.

Infants' and invalids' foods.

Jams. Jellies, other than jelly crystals and jelly powders. Malt and malt extracts.

Margarine.

Matches, other than book matches when used as an advertising medium.

Meals, served in any hotel, boarding house, lodging house, guest house, or hostel.

Meat meals and bone meals, and prepared stock and poultry foods.

Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen, namely-beef and mutton;

offal meat;

sausage meat.

Meats, cooked, and delicatessen smallgoods, namelypork sausages; beef sausages; beef polony; saveloys; cooked corned beef; pressed beef; beef brawn; ox tongue; black and white puddings. Methylated spirits. Milk, dried or in powder form, condensed or malted. Rice, including ground rice. Salt. Sausage casings. Soap, toilet or laundry, and soap extracts, flakes and powders. Soap substitutes and compounded detergents for household washing and household cleansing purposes. Starch. Sugar, of all kinds. Tea. Vegetables, namely, onions and potatoes. Vegetables, fresh, in the control or possession of persons other than the grower, namelybeans; beetroot; eabbage; earrots: eauliflower; eelery eucumbers; lettuee; marrows; parsnips; peas; pumpkins; rhubarb; silver beet; swede turnips; sweet potatoes; turnips, white. Whale meat meal, namely, meal processed, manu-factured or derived from the flesh, offal, bone or any part of the whale. Wheat, ground. Yeast. Liquors and Tobacco. Ale, beer, lager, stout, porter and any mixtures thereof or any mixtures thereof with aerated waters. Tobaeco manufactured. Cigarettes. Fuel and Ice. Coal. Coke. Firewood. Iee. Fibres, Yarus, Threads and Fabrics. Canvas and duck.

- Carpet fabrie.
- Cotton, artificial silk and silk threads used for dom-estic and manufacturing purposes, but not including cotton, artificial silk and silk threads used for the empurpose of hand erocheting, knitting and broidery. Elastie.
- Fabries and piecegoods of all kinds, whether knitted, lockstitched or woven, including waterproofed or rubberised fabries, and plastic and plastic coated fabrics.

Felts of wool or hair.

Fibres, natural or synthetie.

Hand knitting wool.

- Jute and hessian piecegoods. Linen, flax, hemp or ramic sewing threads and twists. Rubber cloth for car hoods.
- Rubber thread.

Tape, waterproof or textile strip. Tyre cord and tyre fabrie.

- Wool tops.

Yarns of all kinds and descriptions.

#### Clothing.

Clothing, garments and apparel of all kinds and descriptions, including elothing, garments and apparel made from plastic piecegoods and plastic coated piecegoods and also including bathing costumes and trunks;

diapers;

footwear, other than footwear made for the personal use and to the individual measurements of a customer; men's and boys' felt hats;

nursery squares;

pilchers;

sanitary napkins; shawls:

but not including-

- (a) foundation garments other than brassieres; (b) furs and articles of apparel made from furred
- skins;
- garters, arm bands, suspenders, belts and (e) braces
- (d) hairnet́s;
- (a) nairnets;
  (b) handkerchiefs;
  (c) handkerchiefs;
  (c) handkerchiefs;
  (c) nullinery and head wear other than men's and head wear other than
- boys' felt hats;
- boys feit hats;
  and also not including the following unless manufactured partly or wholly from wool, or from materials containing wool—

  (i) women's, maids' and girls' hosiery;
  (ii) neckwear, including ties and scarves;
  (iii) gloves and mittens.

Furniture, Furnishings and Household Drapery.

Counterpanes and quilts.

- Floar coverings of all kinds and descriptions (other than of rubber), including mats, matting, carpet and carpeting. Furniture of all kinds and descriptions (excluding
- from wicker, bamboo or cane).
- Mats and matting of coir or jute. Mats, floor and bath (other than of rubber), and druggets. Mattresses.
- Mosquito nets and netting.

Pillows (other than air-filled), pillow eases, bolsters and bolster eases.

Serviettes.

Sheets, including plastic and plastic coated sheets. Table cloths, including plastic and plastic coated table eloths.

Towels and tea towels.

- Travelling rugs. Underfelts and felt base.

### Glass.

Glass, namely-bent, bevelled, sand blasted or engraved, bottles, flasks, jars, vials and tubes, louvres, mirrors used in the manufacture of furniture, plate, sheet, figured, rolled, eathedral, milled rolled, rough east or wired east, sheet, plain or fancy.

Timber, Bricks and other Building Materials.

Ashestos.

- Bricks and building blocks, other than glass bricks and refractories.
- Builders' hardware of any material, other than builders' small hardware.
- Building boards, including cancite and masonite. Cast iron porcelain enamelware, and substitutes there-

for made from metal or plastie.

- Cement pipes. Concrete, ready-mixed. Earthenware and stoneware, other than ornamental or decorative.
- Electric cable, and electric wire, covered and uncovered, other than electrical resistance wire and electrical resistance tape.

Fibro-cement sheets and roofing sheets. Fibrous plaster sheets.

- Fibrous plaster and fibro-cement mouldings, cornices and eover battens.
- Fittings and equipment of a type used in the installation of water, drainage or sewerage systems in buildings.

Gravel.

Gypsum. Joinery and joinery stock.

Lime.

Limestone.

Manufactures of concrete, for building and constructional purposes.

Metal ceilings and metal ceiling sheets.

Palings. Plaster of paris.

Plywood, bondwood and corestock.

Portland cement. Roofing slates and sheets. Sand. Sandstone. Sleepers. Tiles, other than floor tiles and glazed wall tiles. Timber, whether in the form of logs, poles or piles, sawn or unsawn, seasoned or unseasoned, dressed or undressed. Veneers. Ventilators and air bricks. Metals, Raw and Processed. Basic iron and steel products (including such products of alloy steel), namely-pig iron, including basic foundry and malleable, cast iron; ingots; blooms, billets and slabs. Bars, sheet piling, angles, tees, channels, joists, girders and the like. Sheet, including tin mill, tinned and galvanised. Plate. Hoop and strip. Rods, castings and forgings. Wire, including barbed wire and other fencing wires. All types of fence, including welded and woven wire. Wire gauze. Non-ferrous metals, in primary or fabricated mill forms, such as lumps, slabs, ingots, sheet, strip, rod, wire, tube, angles, or other drawn or extruded forms, castings or powder, namelycopper; lead; scrap copper and lead; tin, zinc and spelter. Non-ferrous alloys, in primary or fabricated mill forms, such as lumps, slabs, ingots, sheet, strip, rod, wire, thbe, angles, or other drawn or extruded forms, castings or powders and scrap. Bolts, nuts, rivets, screws, hooks, eyes, rings, nails and tacks. Iron and steel materials for tram and railway lines, including rails, fishplates, tieplates and rods, switches, points, crossings and intersections, and fishbolts. Iron and steel tubes, pipes and fittings. Shafting, metal. Steel, rough-shaped for chaffcutter and similar kinds. Tinplate. Tubes and pipes, metal cased. Waterbore casings. Hides, Leather and Rubber. Footwear uppers. Hides and skins-cattle, yearling and calf. Hose, rubber or plastic. Latex. Leather. Rubber pads, soles, and heels. Rubber tyres and tubes. Rubber soling and heeling materials in any form, including "Kromhyd," Tufhide" and similar including

- materials ''Neolite.'' and substitutes therefor including
- Slipper forms and piece goods for use in the manufacture of boots, shoes or slippers.
- Soles and heels, other than rubber. Tyre rubber.

# Paper and Stationery.

Cigarette paper and papers.

Newspapers, daily.

- Roofing and sheathing paper, electric insulating paper and boards.
- Sarking paper, including sisalkraft. School exercise books and the like.
- Text books, primary school.

#### Drugs and Chemicals.

Arsenate of lead.

Arsenic.

- Carbide of calcium.
- Commercial alkalis, viz .:- Soda ash, caustic soda. Commercial sulphuric acid.

Drugs and chemicals of British Pharmacopoeia, Brit-ish Pharmacopoeia Codex., United States Pharma-copoeia and Australian Pharmaceutical Formulary Standard for pharmaceutical purposes, but excluding-

- (a) drugs and chemicals for veterinary use;
  (b) ethicals, other than insulin;
  (c) medical oxygen and other medical gases;

- (d) olive oil;
- (e) petroleum jel(f) proprietaries. petroleum jelly;

Iusulin.

Lactose.

- Manures and fertilisers, organic and inorganic, includ-ing:—Blood and bone fertilisers, muriate of potash, nitrate of soda, sulphate of potash, sulphate of animonia, superphosphate.
- Nicotine sulphate.

Pharmaceutical prescriptions.

Sulphate of copper.

Wood and coal tar.

Oils, Paints, Varnishes and Plasters.

Barytes.

Casein. Gelatine.

Glue. Kerosene.

Materials used in the manufacture of paints, varnishes, colours, enamels and lacquers.

Moulding powders.

Oils, mechanical, lubricating, linseed, rape seed, hemp seed, cotton seed and oils used in the manufacture of paint.

Paint and varnish removers.

- Paints and colours, including-
  - (a) colours in oils;
    (b) distempers;
    (c) enamels;

  - (e) (d)
  - kalsomine;
  - (e) lacquers;(f) water paints.

Patent drvers.

Petroleum and shale products, excluding aviation gasoline and petroleum jelly.

Power alcohol. Putty.

Resins, including synthetic resins.

Shellac, sandrac, mastic and other dry gums. Tallow, stearine and glycerine.

- Turpentine substitutes.

- White lead.
- Whiting and paris white.

# Packages and Containers.

Bags, sacks, packs and bales, including calico bags. Cans, canisters, and tins. Cartons and cardboard boxes. Cases (including shooks), but not including secondhand fruit cases. Casks (including staves). Drums. Meat wraps.

Metal kegs, casks and vats.

Paper bags.

Vats, boxes and crates.

Miscellaneous. Battery boxes.

Lead acid storage batteries and components thereof. Oxygen and oxy-acetylene gas.

Pyrites.

Water tanks.

(The subheadings shown in the above Schedule are to facilitate reference to goods which are the subject of this Declaration. They shall not be read or construed as limiting or defining the scope of any of the items under the subheadings or of the goods included in such items.)

- - Thinners.
    - Turpentine.
    - Varnishes and oil stains.
    - Waterproofing compounds.

# PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1950.

Prices Control Order No. 318.

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. 318.

Definitions and Interpretations.

2. In this Order, unless the contrary intention appears

- \*'prevailing price'' means, in relation to the sale by any person of any of the goods specified in the Schedule to this Order, the price at which that person sold such goods on the 24th day of November, 1950, upon substantially the same terms and conditions, or if no such sale was made by that person on that date upon substantially the same terms and conditions, then the last preceding date upon which such then the last preceding date upon which such sale was made by that person upon substantially the same terms and conditions;
- "cost" means, in relation to the sale of any goods specified in this Order by any person, the sum of money or other valuable considera-tion paid or furnished or agreed to be paid or furnished for or in respect of those goods by that person that person.

# Maximum Prices for Goods of a Kind Previously Sold.

3. Notwithstanding the provisions of any Order issued prior to this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which any of the goods specified in the Schedule to this Order may be sold by any person to be the prevailing price of such goods.

# Maximum Prices for Goods of a Kind Not Previously Sold.

4. Notwithstanding the provisions of any Order issued prior to this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which any person who did not on or before the 24th at which any person who did not on or before the 24th day of November, 1950, sell any of the goods specified in the Schedule hereto, to be the cost of the goods to that person: Provided that upon application by any person the maximum price at which those goods may be sold by that person shall be such price as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to that person. Variation of Maximum Prices by Notice.

5. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which any of the goods specified in this Order and 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.

Foods primarily for breakfast use prepared from wheat, maize, oats or rice whether in granulated, flaked, biscuit or any other form, including oatmeals of all types but not including flour and cornflour.

Men's and boys' felt hats.

Serviettes.

Sheets, plastic or plastic coated. Table cloths, plastic or plastic coated.

Latex.

Rubber soling and heeling materials in any form, including "Kromhyd", "Tufhide" and similar including materials "Neolite". and substitutes therefor including

Moulding powders.

Turpentine.

Turpentine substitutes.

Materials used in the manufacture of paints, varnishes, colours, enamels and lacquers.

Oils used in the manufacture of paint.

Paint and varnish removers. Paints and colours, including-

- (a) colours in oils;(b) distempers;
- (c) enamels;
  (d) kalsomine;

(e) lacquers;

(f) water paints.

Patent dryers. Putty.

Resins, including synthetic resins.

Shellac, sandrac, mastic and other dry gums.

Thinners.

Varnishes and oil stains.

Waterproofing compounds.

White lead.

Dated at Perth this 8th day of December, 1950.

C. P. MATHEA. Prices Control Commissioner.