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PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1951.

Prices Control Order No. 688.

Ales, Lagers and Stouts—Perth Metropolitan Area.

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. 688.

Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 557 is hereby revoked.

Definitions.

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

- (a) "goods specified" means any of the goods specified in the Schedule to this Order;
- (b) "Perth Metropolitan Area" means all that area of Western Australia comprised within a radius of 15 miles of the General Post Office at Perth, other than that area comprised within a radius of three miles from the principal post office at Kalamunda;
- (c) "oz." means a fluid ounce or ounces, as the case may be;
- (d) (i) "small 5oz. glass" means any glass or similar container containing less than 5oz.;
- (ii) "5oz. glass" means any glass or similar container containing 5oz. or more, but less than 6oz.;
- (iii) "6oz. glass" means any glass or similar container containing 6oz. or more, but less than 9oz.;
- (iv) "9oz. glass" means any glass or similar container containing 9oz. or more, but less than 12oz.;

- (v) "12oz. pot or glass" means any glass or similar container containing 12oz.;
- (vi) "jug" means any jug or open container containing more than 12oz.;
- (vii) "price per oz." in relation to any sale by the "jug," as defined herein, means the price for each fluid ounce of the liquor so sold;
- (viii) "reputed quart" means 26oz.;
- (ix) "reputed pint" means 13 oz.;
- (x) "half bottle" means 13 oz.;
- (xi) "nip" means a bottle containing not less than 6½oz.;
- (xii) "demi-nip" means a bottle containing not less than 4½oz.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which any variety or quantity of the goods specified in the Schedule to this Order may be sold by any person in the Perth Metropolitan Area to be the price specified in that Schedule.

Sales in Dining-room or Lounge.

5. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum prices at which any quantity of the goods specified in the Schedule to this Order may be sold by any person in any hotel dining-room or lounge in the Perth Metropolitan Area to be the prices specified in the said Schedule for sales in saloon bar plus an amount equal to the difference between the hotel dining-room or lounge prices respectively charged by that person on the 17th day of September, 1948, for any such goods, and the saloon bar prices charged by that person for such goods on such date: Provided that if in the case of any sale, by reason of the absence of records such difference between the hotel dining-room or lounge prices and the saloon bar prices on the 17th day of September, 1948, cannot be ascertained, the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply, and such sale shall be deemed to have been made in the saloon bar.

Exhibition of Maximum Prices.

6. Every person who sells or has for sale by retail in the Perth Metropolitan Area any goods, the 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 and in each of his bars, lounges, dining-rooms or other places at such place or places of business where such goods are sold or had for sale, particulars of the maximum prices fixed by or under the provisions of this Order for the sale by him of such goods.

Variation of Maximum Prices by Notice.

7. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which any goods, a maximum price for the sale of which is fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order and which are specified in a notice given in pursuance of this paragraph, may be sold in the Perth Metropolitan Area 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 SCHEDULE.

Part 1.

Sales in Saloon Bar.

MAXIMUM PRICES.

	9 oz. Glass.	6 oz. Glass.	5 oz. Glass.	Small 5 oz. Glass.	Half-Bottle.	Nip.	Demi-Nip.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Shandy Gaff, Porter Gaff, Draught Western Australian Ale and Lager	0 10	0 8	0 7½	0 6½	....	....	....
Draught Western Australian Ale or Lager with dash of bottled Beer or Stout, Cordial, or half and half	0 11	0 9	0 8½	0 6½	....	....	....
Bottled Hannan's Lager	1 1½	0 9	0 9	0 6½	....	....	....
Bottled Western Australian Ale, Lager or Stout, other than Hannan's Lager	1 0½	0 8½	0 8½	0 6½	....	....	....
Bottled Western Australian Ale, Lager or Stout, other than Hannan's Lager, with dash of cordial	1 1½	0 9½	0 9½	0 6½	....	....	....
Bottled Cooper's Ale or Stout	1 3	0 10	0 8	....	....	....	....
Imported Bottled Stout (Guinness) .....	....	....	1 1	....	3 5	2 2	1 9

Part 2.

Sales, other than in Saloon Bar.

MAXIMUM PRICES.

	Jug.	12 oz. Pot or Glass.	9 oz. Glass.	6 oz. Glass.	5 oz. Glass.	Small 5 oz. Glass.	Half-Bottle.	Nip.	Demi-Nip.
	Price per oz. s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Shandy Gaff, Porter Gaff, Draught Western Australian Ale and Lager	0 1	1 0	0 10	0 7	0 6½	0 5½	....	....	....
Draught Western Australian Ale or Lager with dash of bottled Beer or Stout, Cordial, or half and half .....	....	1 1	0 11	0 8	0 7½	0 5½	....	....	....
Bottled Hannan's Lager .....	....	....	1 1½	0 9	0 9	0 5½	....	....	....
Bottled Western Australian Ale, Lager or Stout, other than Hannan's Lager .....	....	....	1 0½	0 8½	0 8½	0 5½	....	....	....
Bottled Western Australian Ale, Lager or Stout, other than Hannan's Lager, with dash of Cordial .....	....	....	1 1½	0 9½	0 9½	0 5½	....	....	....
Bottled Cooper's Ale or Stout .....	....	....	1 3	0 10	0 8	....	....	....	....
Imported Bottled Stout (Guinness) .....	....	....	....	....	1 1	....	3 5	2 2	1 9

Part 3.

MAXIMUM PRICES—Sales of Ale, Lager and Stout for Consumption other than on Seller's Premises.

	18 gallon Keg.	10 gallon Keg.	5 gallon Keg.	Reputed Quart.	Reputed Pint.	Half Bottle.	Nip.	Demi-Nip.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Draught Western Australian Ale, Lager or Stout	206 6	120 0	60 0	....	....	....	....	....
Bottled Western Australian Ale or Lager (Swan, Emu, Stirling) .....	....	....	....	2 6	1 7½	....	....	....
Bottled Hannan's Lager .....	....	....	....	2 11	1 10½	....	....	....
Bottled Western Australian Stout .....	....	....	....	2 7	1 8½	....	....	....
Bottled Cooper's Ale .....	....	....	....	2 11	....	....	....	....
Bottled Cooper's Stout .....	....	....	....	3 0	....	....	....	....
Imported Bottled Stout (Guinness) .....	....	....	....	....	....	3 0	1 11	1 6

Dated at Perth this 1st day of May, 1952.

C. P. MATHEA,
Prices Control Commissioner.