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PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1951.

Prices Control Order No. 760.
Wax Matches.

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. 760.

Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 73 is hereby revoked.

Definition.

3. In this Order, "Perth Metropolitan Area" means—

All that area of Western Australia comprised within a radius of 15 miles from the General Post Office at Perth.

Sales by Wholesale by Persons other than Manufacturers.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which wax matches of the kinds and descriptions specified in the first column of the First Schedule to this Order may be sold by wholesale by a person who is not a manufacturer or a manufacturer's agent to be—

- (i) in respect of sales of case or carton lots, the price per gross specified in the second column of the First Schedule;
- (ii) in respect of sales of quantities of less than case or carton lots, the price specified in the third column of the First Schedule.

Provided that in respect of sales of wax matches made subject to a cash settlement discount of not less than 2½ per centum for payment within 30

days, the maximum price shall be the amount set out in the second or third column of the First Schedule as the case may be, plus the amount set out in the fourth column of such Schedule.

5. The maximum prices fixed by the provisions of paragraph 4 of this Order for the sale of wax matches are inclusive of delivery as follows:—

- (a) Where the purchaser's place of business is situated within the Perth Metropolitan Area—delivered "free into purchaser's store."
- (b) Where the purchaser's place of business is not situated within the Perth Metropolitan Area—delivered "free on rail" Perth Metropolitan Area, or "free on board" transshipping vessel.

Sales by Retail.

6. I fix and declare the maximum price at which wax matches of the kinds and descriptions specified in the first column of the Second Schedule to this Order may be sold by retail, to be—

- (i) in respect of sales by any person whose place of business is situated in the Perth Metropolitan Area—the price specified in the second column of such Schedule;
- (ii) in respect of sales by any person whose place of business is not situated in the Perth Metropolitan Area—the price specified in the third column of such Schedule.

Variation of Maximum Price by Notice.

7. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which wax matches specified in a notice in writing 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.

Maximum Wholesale Prices for Sales by Persons
other than Manufacturers.

First Column.	Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Kind and Description of Wax Matches.	Sales made in case or carton lots.	Sales made in less than case or carton lots.	Additions to prices where price includes discount.
	Per Gross. s. d.	Per Gross. s. d.	Per Gross. s. d.
Waterproof Wax Vestas in tins (average contents 150 matches per tin)	83 11	85 10	2 1½
Waxes in boxes (average contents 90 matches per box)	36 10	37 8	0 11

The Second Schedule.
Maximum Retail Prices.

First Column	Second Column.	Third Column.
Kind and Description of Wax Matches.	Maximum Retail Prices within the Perth Metropolitan Area.	Maximum Retail Prices in places other than the Perth Metropolitan Area.
	s. d.	s. d.
Waterproof Wax Vestas in tins (average contents 150 matches per tin)	0 9½ per tin	0 10 per tin
Waxes in boxes (average contents 90 matches per box)	0 4½ per box	0 4½ per box

Dated at Perth this 24th day of September, 1952.

C. P. MATHEA,
Prices Control Commissioner.