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## PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1951.

Prices Control Order No. 765.

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. 765.

Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 632 as amended by Prices Control Order No. 680 is hereby revoked.

Definitions and Interpretations.

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

“cost into store of the retail seller” means the sum of the following—

- (a) The price paid or payable by the retail seller for the potatoes computed on the basis of the full weight of the potatoes, bag and any earth contained therein, and without any allowance for waste;
- (b) cost of transport actually incurred and properly attributable to conveying the potatoes from the point of delivery to the retail seller to that retail seller's store;

“cost of transport” means any cost of transport which is recorded on an invoice for the potatoes delivered to the retail seller;

“potatoes” means potatoes (other than seed potatoes) sold under permit from the Western Australian Potato Marketing Board;

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

Sales by Growers.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by growers to be—

- (a) delivered ex railway truck, Perth Metropolitan Area, £28 10s. per ton;
- (b) for deliveries at places other than the Perth Metropolitan Area, Kalgoorlie, Boulder or Geraldton, £28 10s. per ton at grower's siding, plus the cost of transport actually incurred by the grower and properly attributable to conveying the potatoes from the grower's railway station or siding to the point of delivery to the purchaser;
- (c) delivered ex railway truck at Kalgoorlie, Boulder or Geraldton, £30 5s.

Sales by Wholesalers—Deliveries Within Perth Metropolitan Area.

5. I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by wholesale by any person other than a grower for delivery in the Perth Metropolitan Area to be the sum of—

- (a) £28 10s. per ton or the purchase price paid or payable by the wholesale seller, whichever is the lesser;
- (b) margin at the rate of 40s. per ton:  
Provided that, if the seller delivers the potatoes from his store—
  - (i) to a railway station or siding—the price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order may be increased by 7s. 6d. per ton; or
  - (ii) to the premises of the purchaser—the price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order may be increased by 12s. 6d. per ton.

Sales by Wholesale—Deliveries Outside Perth Metropolitan Area.

6. I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by wholesale by any person other than the grower to be—

- (i) in respect of sales for delivery other than in the Perth Metropolitan Area, Kalgoorlie, Boulder or Geraldton, £28 10s. per ton

or the purchase price paid or payable by the wholesale seller, whichever is the lesser; plus cost of transport actually incurred by the seller and properly attributable to conveying the potatoes by rail from the loading station to the railway station or siding nearest the purchaser's premises; or

- (ii) in respect of sales for delivery in Kalgoorlie, Boulder or Geraldton, £30 5s. per ton or the purchase price paid or payable by the wholesale seller, whichever is the lesser;
- (iii) plus in either case, a margin of—
- 15s. per ton for sales of truck lots where the purchase price is paid within 14 days of date of delivery, or
  - 20s. per ton for sales of truck lots where the purchase price is not paid within 14 days of date of delivery, or
  - 35s. per ton for sales of less than truck lots ex rail truck, or
  - 40s. per ton for sales of less than truck lots ex wholesale store.

Provided that if the seller delivers the potatoes from his store to the premises of the purchaser, the prices fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order may be increased by 7s. 6d. per ton.

#### Sales by Wholesale—Bag Lots.

7. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by any person by wholesale by the bag to be the maximum price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order for the sale of 149 lb. of potatoes, or the maximum price so fixed for the sale of the potatoes actually contained in the bag, whichever is the lesser.

#### Sales by Retail.

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

- in respect of the quantities specified in the Schedule to this Order—the price specified therein according to the cost into store of the retail seller set out in the first column of that Schedule;
- in respect of quantities other than those specified in the Schedule and less than 149 lb.—a price which bears the same proportion to the maximum price fixed for 14 lb. of potatoes by the provisions of subparagraph (a) of this paragraph, as the quantity bears to 14 lb.;
- in respect of quantities in bag lots of approximately 149 lb.—the cost into store of the retail seller plus 20 per centum thereof.

#### Exhibition of Price Tickets.

9. Every person who sells or has for sale potatoes 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 potatoes displayed by that person anywhere upon such place or places of business, in the following manner, that is to say, by exhibiting a price card specifying the selling price applicable to each lot of such potatoes, displayed so as to properly associate such price with the lots of potatoes to which that price applies.

#### Variation of Maximum Price by Notice.

10. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which any potatoes 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.

##### Maximum Retail Prices.

Cost into Store of the Retail Seller.		Price in Pence for :					
		1 lb.	2 lb.	3 lb.	3½ lb.	7 lb.	14 lb.
Per Ton.	Per Ton.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.						
Over 25 15 0 but not exceeding	26 15 0	3½	7	10	12	23	46
Over 26 15 0 but not exceeding	27 15 0	3½	7	10½	12½	24	48
Over 27 15 0 but not exceeding	28 15 0	4	7½	11	13	25	50
Over 28 15 0 but not exceeding	29 15 0	4	7½	11	13½	26	52
Over 29 15 0 but not exceeding	30 15 0	4	8	12	14	27	54
Over 30 15 0 but not exceeding	31 15 0	4	8	12	14½	28	56
Over 31 15 0 but not exceeding	32 15 0	4½	8½	13	15	29	58
Over 32 15 0 but not exceeding	33 15 0	4½	8½	13	15	30	60
Over 33 15 0 but not exceeding	34 15 0	4½	9	13½	15½	31	62
Over 34 15 0 but not exceeding	35 15 0	4½	9	14	16	32	64
Over 35 15 0 but not exceeding	36 15 0	5	9½	14½	16½	33	66
Over 36 15 0 but not exceeding	37 15 0	5	10	15	17	34	68
Over 37 15 0 but not exceeding	38 15 0	5	10	15	17½	35	70
Over 38 15 0 but not exceeding	39 15 0	5½	10½	15½	18	36	72
Over 39 15 0 but not exceeding	40 15 0	5½	10½	16	18½	37	74
Over 40 15 0 but not exceeding	41 15 0	5½	11	16½	19	38	76
Over 41 15 0 but not exceeding	42 15 0	5½	11	17	19½	39	78
Over 42 15 0 but not exceeding	43 15 0	6	11½	17	20	40	80
Over 43 15 0 but not exceeding	44 15 0	6	12	18	20½	41	82
Over 44 15 0 but not exceeding	45 15 0	6	12	18	21	42	84

Dated at Perth this 2nd day of October, 1952.

C. P. MATHEA,  
Prices Control Commissioner.

#### PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1951.

##### Prices Control Order No. 768.

##### 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. 768.

2. Prices Control Order No. 725 is hereby amended by omitting the Schedule thereto and inserting in its stead the Schedule to this Order.

The Schedule.  
(New Schedule—The Schedule—Prices Control Order No. 725 as amended.)

Dripping.	Maximum Prices.		
	Sales to Wholesalers.	Sales by Wholesale.	Sales by Retail.
	per lb.	per lb.	per lb.
4-gallon sealed tins	0 8½	0 9½	—
4-gallon open type tins	0 8	0 9½	—
56lb. boxes	0 8	0 9½	—
11b. prints	0 9½	0 11	—
Bulk or loose dripping	—	—	0 11

  

	per dozen.	
	s. d.	s. d.
16oz. tins	22 3	25 5
24oz. tins	28 6½	32 7½

Dated this 6th day of October, 1952.

C. P. MATHEA,  
Prices Control Commissioner.

PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1951.

Prices Control Order No. 767.

Ales, Lagers and Stouts—Onslow, Port Hedland and Broome Areas.

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. 767.

Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 587, as amended by Prices Control Order No. 718, is hereby revoked.

Definitions.

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

- (a) "Onslow, Port Hedland and Broome Areas" means all those areas of Western Australia comprised within a radius of three miles from the principal post office of each of the following towns:—Onslow, Port Hedland and Broome;
- (b) "oz." means a fluid ounce or ounces, as the case may be;
- (c) (i) "small 5 oz. glass" means any glass or similar container containing less than 5 oz.;
- (ii) "5 oz. glass" means any glass or similar container containing 5 oz. or more, but less than 6 oz.;
- (iii) "6 oz. glass" means any glass or similar container containing 6 oz. or more, but less than 9 oz.;
- (iv) "9 oz. glass" means any glass or similar container containing 9 oz. or more, but less than 12 oz.;
- (v) "12 oz. pot or glass" means any glass or similar container containing not less than 12 oz.;
- (vi) "bottle" means a reputed quart (26 oz.).

Maximum Prices—Quantities Specified in Schedule.

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 by retail in the Onslow, Port Hedland and Broome areas, 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 Onslow, Port Hedland and Broome areas, to be the prices specified in the said Schedule, plus an amount equal to the difference between the hotel dining-room or lounge prices respectively charged by that person on 17th day of September, 1948, for any such goods, and the 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 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 bar.

Exhibition of Maximum Prices.

6. Every person who sells or has for sale by retail in the Onslow, Port Hedland and Broome areas, 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-room 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 Onslow, Port Hedland and Broome Areas 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.

Draught Western Australian Ale and Lager—			
	£	s.	d.
Per 18 gallon keg	11	18	9
Per 10 gallon keg	6	17	9
Per 5 gallon keg	3	9	0

  

Shandy Gaff, Porter Gaff, Draught West-ern Australian Ale and Lager—			
	s.	d.	
Per 12 oz. pot or glass	1	2	
Per 9 oz. glass	1	0	
Per 6 oz. glass	0	10	
Per 5 oz. glass	0	9	
Per small 5 oz. glass	0	6	
With dash of bottled beer, stout or cordial, extra	0	1	

  

Bottled Western Australian Ale and Lager—			
	£	s.	d.
Per bottle	3	7	
Per 12 oz. pot or glass	1	7	
Per 9 oz. glass	1	4	
Per 6 oz. glass	0	11	
Per 5 oz. glass	0	10	
Per small 5 oz. glass	0	6	
With dash of cordial, extra	0	1	

  

Bottled Western Australian Stout—			
	£	s.	d.
Per bottle	3	8	
Per 12 oz. pot or glass	1	7	
Per 9 oz. glass	1	4	
Per 6 oz. glass	0	11	
Per 5 oz. glass	0	10	
Per small 5 oz. glass	0	6	
With dash of cordial, extra	0	1	

Dated at Perth this 6th day of October, 1952.

C. P. MATHEA,  
Prices Control Commissioner.