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PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1952.

Prices Control Order No. 889.

Retail Prices of Sugar—Northern Areas.

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. 889.

Revocation.

2. Prices Control Order No. 830 is hereby revoked.

Definitions and Interpretations.

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

“Carnarvon area,” “Onslow area,” “Port Hedland area,” “Broome Area,” “Yampi area,” “Marble Bar area,” “Noonkanbah area,” “Turkey Creek area,” “Hall’s Creek area,” “Fitzroy Crossing area,” “Nullagine area,” and “Wittenoom Gorge area” means in each case all that area comprised within a radius of three miles from the principal post office at each of the places specified;

“Peak Hill area” means all that area comprised within a radius of three miles from the centre of the townsite of Peak Hill;

“Derby area” and “Wyndham area” means in each case all that area comprised within a radius of 12 miles from the principal post office at each of the places specified;

“Roy Hill area” means all that area comprised within a radius of 10 miles from the centre of the De Grey Location No. 5 Roy Hill;

“Roebourne area” means all that area comprised within a radius of 10 miles from the principal post office at Roebourne.

Sales by Retail.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which sugar of any of the kinds or grades specified in the first column of the Schedule to this Order may be sold by retail by any person whose place of business is situated within any of the areas set forth in paragraph 3 of this Order, to be the price specified for that kind or grade of sugar in the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth or ninth column of the Schedule in respect of the area in which the premises of such person are situated.

Exhibition of Price List.

5. Every retailer who sells or has for sale by retail any of the kinds or grades of sugar specified in the Schedule to this Order, the maximum price 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 such a manner as to be easily legible to persons contemplating making any purchase or conducting any business at his place or places of business, particulars of the maximum prices fixed by or under the provisions of this Order for the sale by him of those kinds or grades of sugar.

Variation of Maximum Prices by Notice.

6. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which any sugar, a maximum price for the sale of which is fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order and which is specified in a notice given 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.

First Column.	Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.	Fifth Column.	Sixth Column.	Seventh Column.	Eighth Column.	Ninth Column.
Kinds or Grades of Sugar.	Carnarvon Area.	Onslow Area, Roebourne Area, Port Hedland Area, Broome Area, Derby Area, Wyndham Area, Yampi Area.	Wittenoom Gorge Area.	Marble Bar Area, Turkey Creek Area.	Noonkanbah Area.	Nullagine Area, Peak Hill Area.	Fitzroy Crossing Area.	Hall's Creek Area, Roy Hill Area.
	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.
Refined Sugars—								
Tablet Sugar	1 0	1 1	1 2	1 2	1 2½	1 3	1 3	1 3½
Caster Sugar	0 10½	0 11½	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 1	1 1	1 1½
White Sugar—								
IA Grade	0 10	0 11	0 11½	0 11½	0 11½	1 0½	1 0½	1 1
LXD Grade	0 10	0 11	0 11½	0 11½	0 11½	1 0½	1 0½	1 1
Soft Sugar—								
No. 2 (IC) Grade, White	0 10	0 11	0 11½	0 11½	0 11½	1 0	1 0½	1 1
No. 3 Grade, Light Brown	0 9½	0 10½	0 11	0 11½	0 11½	1 0	1 0	1 0½
C.B.O. Sugar	0 10	0 11	0 11½	0 11½	0 11½	1 0	1 0½	1 1
Raw Sugar—								
Unrefined	0 9½	0 10½	0 11	0 11½	0 11½	1 0	1 0	1 0½

Dated at Perth this 3rd day of September, 1953.

C. P. MATHEA,
Prices Control Commissioner.