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PRICES CONTROL ACT, 1948-1952.

Prices Control Order No. 899.

Beer and Stout.

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. 899.

Revocations.

2. Prices Control Orders specified hereunder are hereby revoked:—

535, 536, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 590, 658, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 721, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 828.

Definitions.

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

“dash” means the addition of bottled beer, bottled stout or cordial, and also means half beer and half stout;

“goods specified” means any of the goods specified in the Schedule to this Order;

“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;

“outer suburban 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:—Bullsbrook, Parkerville, Mount Helena, Chidlow, Mundaring, Sawyers Valley, Mundaring Weir, Armadale, Mundijong, Serpentine, Kalamunda and Yanchee, and also includes Rottnest Island;

“Pinjarra 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:—

Harvey, Yarloop, Wokalup, Dwellingup, Waroona, North Dandalup and Mandurah, and that area comprised within a radius of five miles from the principal post office of the town of Pinjarra;

“Bunbury 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:—Bunbury, Dardanup, Boyanup, Picton Junction and Brunswick Junction;

“Collie and Darkan 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:—Collie and Darkan;

“Busselton 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:—Augusta, Busselton, Capel, Margaret River and Nannup;

“Bridgetown 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:—Bridgetown, Donnybrook, Mumballup, Kirup, Balingup, Greenbushes, Pemberton, Manjimup and Boyup Brook;

“York 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:—York, Greenhills, Beverley and Quairading;

“Narrogin 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:—Narrogin, Wagin, Boddington, Brookton, Pingelly, Popanyinning, Cuballing, Wandering, Highbury, Williams, Wickiepin, Yealering and Quindanning, and includes North Bannister;

“Dumbleyung 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:—Dumbleyung, Kukerin, Lake Grace and Newdegate;

“Katanning 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:—Katanning, Woodanilling, Kojonup, Broome Hill, Tambellup, Nyabing and Gnowangerup;

“Albany 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:—Albany, Cranbrook, Denmark, and Mt. Barker;

“Northam 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:—Northam, Toodyay, Spencer’s Brook and Baker’s Hill;

“Outer Northam 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:—Cunderdin, Tammin, Grass Valley, Bolgart, Meckering, Dowerin, Goomalling, and Jennacubbine;

“Wyalkatchem 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:—Wyalkatchem, Koorda, Bencubbin, Mukinbudin, Nungarin, Kununopping and Trayning;

“Merredin 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:—Merredin, Kellerberrin, Doodlakine, Hines Hill, Burracoppin and Carrabin;

“Bruce Rock 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:—Bruce Rock, Kwolyin, Corrigin, Ardath, Muntadgin, Naremben, Kulin and Kondinin;

“Moora 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:—Moora, Gingin and Mogumber;

“Dalwallinu 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:—Dalwallinu, Wongan Hills, Ballidu, Pithara, Wubin and Miling;

“Carnamah 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:—Carnamah, Coorow, Three Springs and Mingenew;

“Geraldton areas” means all those areas of Western Australia comprised within a radius of three miles from the principal post office at Geraldton;

“Northampton 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:—Northampton, Nabawa and Yuna;

“Morawa 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:—Morawa, Caron, Perenjori, Mullewa, Pindar and Wurarga;

“Murchison 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:—Yalgoo, Mt. Magnet, Lake Austin, Cue,

Meekatharra, Wiluna, Big Bell, and includes the towns of Day Dawn and Tuckanarra;

“Outer Kalgoorlie areas” means all those areas of Western Australia comprised within a radius of three miles from the principal post office at each of the following towns:—Coolgardie, Ora Banda and Broad Arrow;

“Northern Goldfields 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:—Kookynie, Leonora, Morgans, Murrin Murrin, Laverton, Beria, Gwalia, Malcolm and Comet Vale;

“Southern Cross 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:—Southern Cross, Bullfinch, Westonia, Marvel Loch, and includes the towns of Moorine Rock and Karalee;

“Norseman 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:—Norseman, Widgiemooltha and Salmon Gums;

“Esperance 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:—Esperance, Gibson and Grass Patch;

“oz.” means a fluid ounce or ounces, as the case may be;

“small 5 oz. glass” means any glass or similar container containing less than 5 oz.;

“bottle” means a reputed quart (26 oz.);

Maximum Prices—Quantities Specified in Schedule.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which any quantity of the goods specified in the Schedule to this Order may be sold by any person in any area specified in that Schedule, to be the price for that quantity set forth in the Schedule opposite to the name of that area.

Provided that any price fixed by paragraph 4 of this Order in relation to any bottled beer or stout which is sold for consumption other than on the seller’s premises, shall include any charge made for or in respect of any container or wrapping in or with which the goods are sold.

Maximum Prices—Quantities not Specified.

5. 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 in quantities other than those specified in that Schedule, to be the maximum price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order for the next smaller quantity of such goods specified in that Schedule, or if there is no smaller quantity specified, then such price (calculated to the nearest downward halfpenny) as bears the same ratio to the maximum price fixed for the next higher measure or quantity as the quantity actually sold bears to the next higher quantity.

Maximum Prices—Areas not Specified.

6. I fix and declare the maximum price at which any of the goods specified in this Order may be sold by any person other than in—

- (a) any area specified in this Order;
- (b) the Perth Metropolitan Area;
- (c) the Kalgoorlie area, or
- (d) any area North of the 26th parallel of South latitude,

to be such price as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to that person.

Maximum Prices—Sales in Dining-room
or Lounge.

7. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price 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 to be the price 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 the 17th day of September, 1948, for any such goods, and the bar price 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 price and the bar price 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.

8. Every person who sells or has for sale 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.

9. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order—

- (i) 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 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;
- (ii) where any notice in writing fixing the maximum price of any of the goods specified in this Order was given in pursuance of any Order, which was by virtue of the Prices Control Act, 1948-1952, in force immediately prior to the commencement of this Order, that notice in writing shall be deemed to have been given under this Order and shall continue in full force and effect.

THE SCHEDULE.

Areas.	Draught Western Australian Beer.				Shandy Gaff, Porter Gaff, Draught Western Australian Beer.				Bottled Western Australian Beer and Stout.										
	18 Gall. Keg.	10 Gall. Keg.	5 Gall. Keg.	20oz. Pot or Glass.	12oz. Pot or Glass.	11oz. Pot or Glass.	10oz. Pot or Glass.	9 oz. Glass.	8 oz. Glass.	7 oz. Glass.	5 oz. Glass.	Small 5 oz. Glass.	Bottled Beer.	Bottled Stout.	9 oz. Glass.	8 oz. Glass.	7 oz. Glass.	5 oz. Glass.	Small 5 oz. Glass.
Outer Suburban ...	s. d. 217 6	s. d. 126 3	s. d. 63 6	s. d. 1 9	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 0 1/2	s. d. 0 11	d. 10 1/2	d. 10	d. 7 1/2	d. 6	d. 6	s. d. 2 9	s. d. 2 10	s. d. 1 1	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 0	d. 6
Pinjara ...	223 3	130 0	65 6	1 10	...	...	...	...	10 1/2	7 1/2	6	6	2 11	3 0	1 1	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Bunbury ...	231 9	132 9	67 0	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 0	3 1	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Collie and Darkan ...	233 9	134 6	67 9	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 0	3 1	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Busselton ...	233 6	135 9	68 6	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Bridgetown ...	227 0	131 9	66 6	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	2 10 1/2	2 11 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Narrogin ...	233 0	135 3	68 3	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 0 1/2	3 1 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Dumbleyung ...	238 3	138 3	70 0	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 3	3 4	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Katanning ...	237 9	138 0	69 9	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 2	3 3	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Albany ...	239 3	139 0	70 6	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 2	3 3	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Northern ...	222 0	129 0	65 0	1 9	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 2	3 3	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Outer Northam ...	227 0	131 9	66 3	1 9	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	2 10 1/2	2 11 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Wyalkatchem ...	234 3	135 9	68 9	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Merredin ...	233 0	135 3	68 6	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Bruce Rock ...	235 6	136 9	69 0	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Mooro ...	224 6	130 3	65 9	1 9	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Dalwallinu ...	233 6	135 6	68 6	1 9	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Carnamah ...	235 0	136 6	68 9	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Geraldton ...	234 0	135 9	68 6	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	7 1/2	6	6	3 1	3 2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Northampton ...	242 0	140 6	71 6	1 10	1 1	...	...	...	...	9	6	6	3 1	3 2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Morawa ...	240 6	139 6	70 6	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	9 1/2	6	6	3 2 1/2	3 3 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Murchison ...	249 3	144 6	73 0	2 0	...	...	...	...	...	9 1/2	6	6	3 0	3 7	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Outer Kalgoorlie ...	226 9	131 3	66 0	1 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	3 6	3 5	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Northern Goldfields ...	241 3	139 9	70 3	2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	3 4	3 5	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Southern Goldfields ...	241 0	139 6	70 3	2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	3 4	3 5	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Southern Cross ...	240 3	139 0	70 0	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	9 1/2	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Norseman ...	240 3	139 0	70 0	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	10	6	6	3 1 1/2	3 2 1/2	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9
Esperance ...	246 9	142 9	72 0	2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	3 4	3 5	...	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	9

If served with dash or cordial, one penny may be added to the above prices.

Dated at Perth this 21st day of October, 1953.

C. P. MATHEA,
Prices Control Commissioner.