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PART I.—GENERAL.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

POTATOES, ONIONS AND DRIED CHILLIES.

THE CONTROL OF PRICES ORDINANCE, No 39 OF 1939.

*Order.*

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Controller of Prices by section 3 of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, I, Reginald Sydney Vernon Poulter, Controller of Prices, do by this Order—

- (i.) rescind my Order dated December 1, 1941, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 8,821 of December 1, 1941, and my Order dated December 4, 1941, published in *Gazette* No 8,822 of December 5, 1941, in so far as they relate to the maximum prices fixed in respect of Potatoes and Bombay Onions respectively, of the description named and specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto ;
- (ii.) fix the prices specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Schedule hereto to be respectively, the maximum wholesale price and the maximum retail price above which the articles of the description and grade specified in the corresponding entries in column 1 of that Schedule shall not be sold by wholesale or by retail, as the case may be, within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo ;
- (iii.) direct that for the purposes of this Order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of any article mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale ;
  - (b) any sale of any quantity of any article mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail ;
- (iv) direct that no trader shall sell any article mentioned in the Schedule hereto which is adulterated with any other article or with any article of an inferior description and grade or quality ;
- (v) direct that any trader who, at any premises within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo, exposes for sale any article mentioned in the Schedule hereto, shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at those premises, a notice on which there shall be set out the maximum price fixed by this Order in respect of that article ;
- (vi.) direct that every trader who sells any article mentioned in the Schedule hereto, shall give the purchaser of that article a receipt in which there shall be set out—
  - (a) the date of the sale ,
  - (b) the quantity sold ;
  - (c) the price paid for the quantity sold ,
  - (d) the nature of the transaction, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail ; and
  - (e) the description and grade of the articles sold

Signed at Colombo at 6 15 P.M., December 9, 1941.

R. S. V. POUTER,  
Controller of Prices.

Column 1. Description and Grade.	Schedule.		Column 3. Retail Price. Rs. c.
	Column 2. Wholesale Price Rs. c.		
Indian Potatoes	14 0	per cwt.	0 14 per lb.
Bombay Onions (i.e., Indian onions of the variety popularly known as "Bombay Onions")	11 0	do.	0 12 do.
Dried Chillies	—	per candy of 525 lb.	0 20 do.
Red Onions	—	do.	0 7 do.

*Note.*—These prices do not constitute fixed prices at which the above article must be sold; but they are the MAXIMUM prices above which sales cannot take place.

**CURRYSTUFFS AND PULSES.**

**THE CONTROL OF PRICES ORDINANCE, No. 39 OF 1939.**

*Order.*

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Controller of Prices by section 3 of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, I, Reginald Sydney Vernon Poulter, Controller of Prices, do by this Order—

- (i.) fix the prices specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Schedule hereto to be respectively, the maximum wholesale price and the maximum retail price above which articles of the description and grade specified in the corresponding entries in column 1 of that Schedule shall not be sold by wholesale or by retail, as the case may be, within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo;
- (ii.) direct that for the purposes of this Order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of any article mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale;
  - (b) any sale of any quantity of any article mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail;
- (iii.) direct that no trader shall sell any article of any description and grade mentioned in the Schedule hereto which are adulterated with any other article or with an article of an inferior description and grade or quality;
- (iv.) direct that any trader who, at any premises within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo, exposes for sale any article of the description and grade mentioned in the Schedule hereto, shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at those premises, a notice on which there shall be set out the maximum price fixed by this Order in respect of that article of that description and grade;
- (v.) direct that every trader who sells any article of the description and grade mentioned in the Schedule hereto, shall give the purchaser of that article a receipt in which there shall be set out—
  - (a) the date of the sale;
  - (b) the quantity sold;
  - (c) the price paid for the quantity sold;
  - (d) the nature of the transaction, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail; and
  - (e) the description and grade of the article sold.

Signed at Colombo, at 6.15 P.M., December 9, 1941.

R. S. V. POULTER,  
Controller of Prices.

Column 1. Description and Grade	Schedule.		Column 3. Retail Price. Rs. c.
	Column 2. Wholesale Price Rs. c.		
<i>Currystuffs:—</i>			
Maldivo Fish (Kundira)	52 0	per cwt.	0 55 per pound
Maldivo Fish (Male)	43 0	do.	0 45 do.
Coriander	42 0	per candy of 525 lb	0 12 do.
Cumin Seed	200 0	do.	0 50 do.
Fennel Seed (Bombay)	72 0	do.	0 20 do.
Fennel Seed (Calcutta)	68 0	do.	0 18 do.
Garlic (India)	175 0	do.	0 38 do.
Ginger, Dry	—	do.	0 50 do.
Mathe Seed	46 0	do.	0 12 do.
Tamarind (seedless)	—	do.	0 8 do.
Tamarind (with seed)	—	do.	0 6 do.
Turmeric	—	do.	0 14 do.
<i>Pulses:—</i>			
Dhal (Kasaly No. 1)	15 0	per candy of 200 lb.	0 16 per measure
Dhal (Kasaly No. 2)	14 0	do.	0 15 do.
Dhal (Mysore No. 1)	17 0	do.	0 20 do.
Dhal (Mysore No. 2)	16 50	do.	0 18 do.
Green Gram—Moong (Bombay) No. 1	19 0	per cwt.	0 20 do.
Green Gram—Moong (Bombay) No. 2	16 0	do.	0 17 do.
Green Gram—Moong (Rangoon)	13 0	do.	0 14 do.

*Note.*—These prices do not constitute fixed prices at which the above articles must be sold; but they are the MAXIMUM prices above which sales cannot take place.

L. D.—CF 26/39

**THE DEFENCE (CONTROL OF EXPORTS) REGULATIONS.**

*Order.*

IN the exercise of the powers vested in me by paragraph (2) of regulation 3 of the Defence (Control of Exports) Regulations, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do hereby specify each of the countries mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of the application of the provisions of the aforesaid paragraph (2)

Colombo, December 10, 1941

A. CALDECOTT,  
Governor

*Schedule.*

Hong Kong, British North Borneo, Sarawak, British Pacific Islands.