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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

L. D.—CF. 26/39

THE DEFENCE (CONTROL OF EXPORTS) REGULATIONS.

Order.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by regulation 3 of the Defence (Control of Exports) Regulations, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this Order amend the Schedule to those regulations (as last amended by the Order published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,025 of October 28, 1942) by the addition of the following new items to that Schedule:—

“70. Torch-bulbs.

71. Dry-cell batteries for torches.”

A. CALDECOTT,
Governor.

November 6, 1942.

L. D.—CF. 91/42.

THE DEFENCE (MISCELLANEOUS) REGULATIONS.

ORDER made by the Governor under regulation 43D of the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulations.

By His Excellency's command,

H. A. C. DOBBS,
Acting Secretary to the Governor

Colombo, 5th November, 1942.

Order.

1. This Order may be cited as the Controlled Articles (Rubber) Order, 1942.

2. Crepe rubber and every other kind of unvulcanised rubber are hereby declared to be controlled articles within the meaning of regulation 43D of the Defence (Miscellaneous) Regulations for the purposes of the application of the provisions of that regulation to those articles.

3. No person shall—

- (a) use crepe rubber or any other kind of unvulcanised rubber in the production of any sole or heel for any boot, sandal, shoe or other article of foot-wear, or
- (b) manufacture any boot, sandal, shoe or other article of foot-wear fitted with any sole or heel in the production of which crepe rubber or any other kind of unvulcanised rubber has been used:

Provided that nothing in the preceding provisions of this paragraph shall apply, in any case where all the crepe rubber or other unvulcanised rubber used in the production of any sole or heel was, before the coming into operation of this Order specially cut and prepared for the purpose, or where any boot, sandal, shoe or other article of foot-wear fitted with such sole or heel as aforesaid is manufactured after that date.

NOTICE.

THE disappearance from circulation of a large part of the coinage is attributable at least partially to melting of coin for industrial purposes. It cannot be too strongly emphasised that melting of coin is a serious offence liable to severe punishment.

2. In order to discourage the melting of copper and bronze coins for industrial purposes the Treasury proposes to sell shortly a limited quantity of copper ingots at Re. 1 per pound to persons who satisfy the Treasury that they are small manufacturers of copper and brass articles. As a condition of sale the applicant will be required to sign an undertaking that he will not sell the copper, except in the form of goods manufactured by him, and will keep a record from which the purpose for which the copper is used can be checked.

3. Small manufacturers of copper and brass articles who desire to purchase copper from the Treasury under the above scheme should communicate with the undersigned without delay, when a form of application will be supplied.

C. E. JONES,
Deputy Financial Secretary.

The Treasury,
October 28, 1942.

BEEF.

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) revoke with effect from this date my Order on Beef and Mutton dated September 24, 1942, and published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,014 of September 26, 1942, in so far as it relates to the maximum prices fixed in respect of beef of the description and grade specified in the First Schedule thereto;
- (ii) fix the prices specified in columns 2, 3, and 4 of the First Schedule hereto to be the maximum price per pound above which beef, whether country or Australian, of the description and grade specified at the heads of those columns shall not be sold in the areas specified in the corresponding entry in column 1 of that Schedule;
- (iii) fix the prices specified in columns 2, 3, and 4 of the Second Schedule hereto to be the maximum price per pound above which country beef of the description and grade specified at the heads of those columns shall not be sold in the areas specified in the corresponding entry in column 1 of that Schedule;
- (iv) fix the prices specified in columns 5, 6, and 7 of the Second Schedule hereto, to be the maximum price per pound above which Australian beef of the description and grade specified at the heads of those columns shall not be sold in the areas specified in the corresponding entry in column 1 of that Schedule;
- (v) direct that for the purpose of this Order—

(a) “Country Beef” shall mean the flesh of the domesticated Indian or Sinhala cattle or of a cross between the Indian and Sinhala cattle or of a buffalo, and shall exclude all forms of edible offal;

- (b) "Australian Beef" shall mean all beef other than country beef as defined above, and shall exclude all forms of edible offal, meat imported in Cold Storage or sold from cold storage, tinned and preserved meat;
- (c) "Dead Weight" shall mean the weight of the carcase of any animal as prepared for sale at the slaughterhouse, *i.e.*, excluding head, hide, entrails, offal, hooves, and such parts as are customarily excluded;
- (vi.) direct that every trader who at any premises within the areas specified in column 1 of the Schedules hereto sells beef of the description and grade specified in the Schedules hereto, shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at those premises, a notice on which there shall be set out the maximum prices fixed by this Order in respect of beef of that description and grade;
- (vii.) direct that "Australian beef" shall be exposed for sale only in stalls where no meat of any other description and grade is exposed for sale;
- (viii.) direct that every trader who at any premises within the areas specified in column 1 of the Schedules hereto sells Australian beef of the description and grade specified in the Schedules hereto, shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at the stall where such beef is sold, a notice to the effect that only Australian beef of that description and grade is sold at that stall;
- (ix.) direct that every trader who sells beef of the description and grade mentioned in the Schedules hereto shall give the purchaser of that beef, on demand, a receipt in which there shall be set out—
 - (a) the date of the sale;
 - (b) the quantity of beef sold (by weight),
 - (c) the description of beef sold; and
 - (d) the price paid for the quantity of beef sold.

Signed at Colombo, at 10 A.M. on November 7, 1942.

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

Schedule I.

Column 1. Area.	Column 2. Beef (Australian or Country) with Bones, Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.	Column 3. Beef (Australian or Country) without Bones, Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.	Column 4. Beef (Australian or Country) (Dead Weight) Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.
Colombo Municipal area	0 25	0 30	0 22
Galle Municipal area			
Kotte Urban Council area			
Dehiwala-Mount Lavinia Urban Council area			
All areas in the North-Central Province			
All areas in the North-Western Province			
All areas in the Province of Sabaragamuwa	0 20	0 25	0 17
All areas in the Northern Province			
Hambantota District			
Trincomalee District			
Siyane korale east			
Siyane korale west			
Hapitigam korale and A. K. korale north in the Western Province	0 15	0 20	0 13
Batticaloa Revenue District			
All areas not specified above except areas in the Central Province and the Province of Uva			

Schedule II.

Column 1. Area.	Column 2. Country Beef with Bones, Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.	Column 3. Country Beef with Bones, Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.	Column 4. Country Beef (Dead Weight) Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.	Column 5. Australian Beef with Bones, Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.	Column 6. Australian Beef without Bones, Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.	Column 7. Australian Beef (Dead Weight) Maximum Price per lb. Rs. c.
Kandy Municipal Area	0 25	0 30	0 22	0 30	0 35	0 27
Nuwara Eliya Urban Council Area						
Badulla Urban Council Area						
Bandarawela Urban Council Area						
Haputale Sanitary Board Area						
Diyatalawa Town						
Kadurugamuwa Wasama, Udukinda Division	0 23	0 28	0 20	0 30	0 35	0 27
All areas in the Central and Uva Provinces not specified above						

Note.—These prices do not constitute fixed prices at which the above must be sold. They are the MAXIMUM prices above which sales cannot take place.

THE CONTROL OF PRICES ORDINANCE, NO. 39 OF 1939.

SUGAR.

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 price per bag (wholesale and retail) and the maximum retail price per pound above which sugar of the description and grade mentioned in the corresponding entry in column 1 of the Schedule shall not be sold within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo;
- (ii.) direct that paragraphs (iii.), (iv.), (v.) and (vi.) of the Order on Sugar dated June 22, 1942, issued by the Assistant Controller of Prices and published in *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 8,954 of June 23, 1942, shall apply in the case of sugar of the description and grade specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto as though those paragraphs were incorporated in this Order.

Signed at Colombo, at 6 P.M. on November 6, 1942.

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

Column 1. Description and Grade.	Schedule.		Column 3. Maximum Retail Price per Pound. Rs. c.
	Column 2. Maximum Price per Bag (Wholesale and Retail). Rs. c.		
Mauritius Sugar, high grade, white	.. 38 75 per bag of 178 lb. gross	..	0 24
Mauritius Sugar, high grade, white	.. 26 30 per bag of 121 lb. gross	..	0 24
Mauritius Sugar, raw, brown	.. 35 50 per bag of 178 lb. gross	..	0 22
Mauritius Sugar, raw, brown	.. 24 10 per bag of 121 lb. gross	..	0 22

Note.—These prices do not constitute fixed prices at which the above must be sold. They are the MAXIMUM prices above which sales cannot take place.

RICE FLOUR.

THE CONTROL OF PRICES ORDINANCE, NO. 39 OF 1939.

Order.

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Deputy Controller of Prices by section 3, read with section 2 (3), of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, I, Samson Felix Amerasinghe, Deputy Controller of Prices, Kegalla District, do, by this Order :—

- (1) fix the price which is for the time being fixed by Order of the Controller of Prices as the maximum retail price above which the article mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall not be sold within the Municipal limits of Colombo, increased by the amount specified in column 2 of the Second Schedule hereto, as the maximum retail price above which the article mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall not be sold in the area mentioned in the corresponding entry in column 1 of the Second Schedule hereto ;
- (2) direct that every trader who, at any premises within the areas specified in column 1 of the Second Schedule hereto, sells the article mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at those premises (store or boutique) a notice on which there shall be set out the maximum prices fixed by this Order in respect of this article ;
- (3) direct that no trader shall sell the article of the description and grade mentioned in the First Schedule hereto which is adulterated with any other article ;
- (4) direct that every trader who sells the article mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall give to the purchaser of that article, on demand, a receipt on which there shall be set out—
 - (a) the description and grade of the article sold ;
 - (b) the quantity of the article sold ;
 - (c) the price paid for the article sold ; and
 - (d) the date of the sale ;
- (5) direct that for the purpose of this Order—

any sale of the article mentioned in the First Schedule hereto for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail ;
- (6) direct that every trader, who sells or has at any time during the three months prior to this date sold the article mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and has for the time being no stocks of that article available for sale, shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at his premises (store or boutique) a notice to the effect that stocks of that article are not available for sale for the time being.

Signed at the Kegalla Kachcheri, on November 4, 1942, at 6 P.M.

S. F. AMERASINGHE,
Deputy Controller of Prices, Kegalla District.

First Schedule.

Column 1. Description and Grade.	Column 2. Unit of Sale.
Rice flour	Per pound

Second Schedule.

Column 1. Area.	Column 2. Increase over Maximum Retail Price prescribed for Colombo Municipal Area. Rs. c.
1. (a) Area within the administrative limits of the Urban Council of Kegalla ..	} 0 2
(b) Areas within the limits of the Sanitary Board Towns of—	
(1) Dehiowita ..	
(2) Rambukkana ..	
(3) Yatiyantota ..	
(c) The following village areas :—	
(1) Galboda korale ..	
(2) Kingoda korale ..	
(3) Mawata and Kanduhaha pattus ..	
(4) Kandupita pattu ..	
(5) Keeraweli pattu ..	
(6) Gandolaha and Otara pattus ..	
(d) The following parts of village areas :—	
(1) Dehigampal korale and Bulathkohupitiya bazaar area of Dehigampal korale and Lower Bulathgama village area ..	
(2) Panawal korale, Atulugam korale west and Deraniyagala bazaar area of Panawal and Atulugam korales village area ..	
2. (a) The village area of Tumpalata pattus ..	
(b) The following parts of village areas :—	
(1) Lower Bulathgama excluding Bulathkohupitiya bazaar area of Dehigampal korale and Lower Bulathgama village area ..	
(2) Atulugam korale east excluding Deraniyagala bazaar area of Panawal and Atulugam korales village area ..	