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

Order.

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Assistant Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles) by section 3 read with section 2 (3) of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, I, Samuel Cyrus Jesudason, Assistant Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles), Badulla District, do, by this Order—

- (1) revoke with effect from this date the Order made by the Deputy Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles), Uva Province and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 9,093 of March 2, 1943, in so far as it relates to the maximum price of kerosene oil fixed for the Province of Uva ;
- (2) fix the prices specified in columns 3, 4, 5, and 6 of the schedule hereto to be respectively the agent's maximum price per gallon ex-depot, the agent's maximum price per gallon to Authorised Distributors, the maximum retail price per gallon and the retail price per bottle, above which kerosene oil of the brands specified in the corresponding entry in column 2 of the schedule hereto shall not be sold within the corresponding area specified in column 1 of the schedule hereto ;
- (3) direct that the maximum price which may be demanded by any person for any quantity of kerosene oil which is more or less than one gallon or one bottle, as the case may be, shall be determined by reference to the appropriate maximum price per gallon or bottle fixed by this Order ;
- (4) direct that any person who exposes for sale any kerosene oil of any brand specified in column 2 of the schedule hereto shall exhibit in a conspicuous place at those premises, a notice, on which there shall be set out the maximum prices fixed by this Order of that brand of kerosene oil ;
- (5) direct that no person shall sell any kerosene oil of any brand specified in column 2 of the schedule hereto which is adulterated with any other oil of an inferior description or quality ;
- (6) direct that every person who sells any kerosene oil of any brand specified in column 2 of the schedule hereto shall on demand give the purchaser of that kerosene oil a receipt on which shall be set out :—
 - (a) the quantity of kerosene oil sold ;
 - (b) the price paid ;
 - (c) the date of sale ;
- (7) direct that for the purpose of this order a bottle shall be deemed to be one sixth (1/6) of an imperial gallon ;
- (8) direct that the sale of any quantity below one bottle shall be restricted to half bottle and quarter bottle only intermediate quantity shall be prohibited and the price shall be calculated on the bottle rate in the case of sale by half or quarter bottle.

Signed at the Office of the Assistant Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles), Badulla District, at 9 A.M., on December 1, 1945.

S. C. JESUDASON,
Assistant Controller of Prices
(Miscellaneous Articles), Badulla.

Schedule.

Column 1.	Column 2.	Column 3.	Column 4.	Column 5.	Column 6.
	Brand of Kerosene oil	Agent's Maximum price per gallon ex-depot Rs. c.	Agent's Maximum price to Authorised Distributors Rs. c.	Maximum Retail price per gallon Rs. c.	Maximum Retail price per bottle Cts.
Urban Council Towns of Badulla and Bandarawela Sanitary Board towns of Haputale, Haldummulla and Koslanda; Village Committee area of Kumbalwela Korale; Haliela Town and Haliela village in Bogoda V. C. Area and Civil Area of Diyatalawa in Mahapalata V. C. Area	Any Brand of Kerosene oil ..	0 98 ..	1 0 ..	1 2 ..	18
Sanitary Board Towns of Passara, Lunugala and Welimada Village Committee areas of Bogoda excluding Haliela Town and Haliela village Ripola and Mahapalata excluding the civil area of Diyatalawa	Any Brand of Kerosene oil ..	0 99 ..	1 1 ..	1 4 ..	19
All Areas in Uva not specified above	Any Brand of Kerosene oil ..	1 1 ..	1 3 ..	1 6 ..	20

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

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

IT is hereby notified, in terms of sub-section (7) of section 3 of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, that the following order in the Schedule given below has been approved by me.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, December 20, 1945.

Schedule.

Date.	Commodity.	Authority Issuing.	Gazette in which it was published.
5.12.45.	Kerosene oil.	Controller of Prices (Misc. Articles)	No. 9,493 of 14.12.45

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

IT is hereby notified, in terms of sub-section (7) of section 3 of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, that the following order in the Schedule given below has been approved by me.

G. C. S. COREA,
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.
Colombo, December 13, 1945.

Schedule.

Date.	Commodity.	Authority issuing.	Gazette in which it was published.
26.11.45	Thread	Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles)	No. 9,490 of 30.11.45

KEROSENE OIL.

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, Walwin Arnold de Silva, Deputy Controller of Prices, Puttalam-Chilaw Districts, do, by this Order—

- (1) revoke with effect from this date the Order dated September 24, 1945, made by Mr. P. O. Fernando, Deputy Controller of Prices, Puttalam-Chilaw Districts and published in *Government Gazette* No. 9,468 of October 5, 1945 fixing the maximum prices of kerosene oil for the Puttalam-Chilaw Districts;
- (2) fix the prices specified in columns 3, 4 and 5 of the Schedule hereto to be, respectively, the maximum price per four-gallon tin, the maximum price per gallon, and the maximum price per bottle above which kerosene oil of the brand specified in the corresponding entry of column 2 of the Schedule hereto shall not be sold (by wholesale or by retail) within the corresponding areas specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto;
- (3) direct that when four gallons or any multiple of four gallons of kerosene oil of any description and grade specified in column 2 of the Schedule hereto are sold in four-gallon tins (within the areas specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto) the maximum price to be charged for the same shall be determined by reference to the appropriate maximum price specified in column 3 of the Schedule hereto;
- (4) Direct that every trader who exposes for sale any kerosene oil of the brand specified in column 2 of the Schedule to this Order at any premises within the corresponding areas mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at those premises a notice on which shall be set out the maximum price fixed by this Order in respect of that article;
- (5) direct that no such trader shall sell any kerosene oil of any brand specified in column 2 of the Schedule hereto which is adulterated with any other article or with any oil of an inferior description or quality;
- (6) direct that every trader who sells kerosene oil of any brand specified in column 2 of the Schedule hereto shall give to the purchaser of that kerosene oil, on demand, a receipt on which shall be set out—
 - (a) the brand of the kerosene oil sold;
 - (b) the quantity of kerosene oil sold,
 - (c) the price paid; and
 - (d) the date of sale;
- (7) direct that for the purposes of this Order a "bottle" shall be deemed to be one-sixth ($\frac{1}{6}$) of an imperial gallon;
- (8) direct that the sale of any quantity below one bottle shall be restricted to half bottle and quarter bottle only and of any intermediate quantity, shall be prohibited;

(9) direct that the price shall be calculated on the bottle rate in the case of sale by half or quarter bottles.

Signed at the Puttalam Kachcheri, at 3 P.M., on December 19, 1945.

W. A. DE SILVA,
Deputy Controller of Prices,
Puttalam-Chilaw Districts.

Schedule.

Column 1.	Column 2.	Column 3.	Column 4.	Column 5.
Areas.	Brand of kerosene oil	Maximum price per 4-gallon tin.	Maximum price per gallon (in Bulk).	Maximum price per bottle.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Cts.
Puttalam Urban Council Area	Rising Sun	4 60	0 92	18
	Key	4 60	0 92	18
	Elephant	4 60	0 92	18
	Monkey	4 65	0 93	18
	Any brand not specified above	4 60	0 92	18
Kalpitiya Division	Rising Sun	4 80	0 97	19
	Key	4 80	0 97	19
	Monkey	4 87	0 98	19
	Any other brand not specified above	4 80	0 97	19
	Rising Sun	4 60	0 94	18
Rest of Puttalam District	Key	4 60	0 94	18
	Elephant	4 60	0 94	18
	Monkey	4 65	0 95	18
	Any brand not specified above	4 60	0 94	18
	Rising Sun	4 40	0 87	17
Madampc and Chilaw Town	Key	4 40	0 87	17
	Elephant	4 40	0 87	17
	Monkey	4 45	0 88	17
	Any other brand not specified above	4 40	0 87	17
	Rising Sun	4 40	0 89	17
Rest of Pitagal Korale North	Key	4 40	0 89	17
	Elephant	4 40	0 89	17
	Monkey	4 45	0 90	17
	Any other brand not specified above	4 40	0 89	17
	Rising Sun	4 36	0 86	17
Nattandiya Town	Key	4 36	0 86	17
	Elephant	4 36	0 86	17
	Monkey	4 41	0 87	17
	Any other brand not specified above	4 36	0 86	17
	Rising Sun	4 36	0 88	17
Rest of Pitagal Korale South	Key	4 36	0 88	17
	Elephant	4 36	0 88	17
	Monkey	4 41	0 89	17
	Any other brand not specified above	4 36	0 88	17

N.B.—These prices do not constitute fixed prices at which the above must be sold; they are MAXIMUM prices above which sales cannot take place.

DRUMS (IMPORTED AND LOCALLY MADE).

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, as amended by paragraph (2) of the Defence (Control of Prices) (Supplementary Provisions) No. 2) Regulations, I, Herbert Kenneth de Kretser, Deputy Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles), do, by this Order—

Revoke with effect from this date Order dated—

- (a) November 18, 1943, published in *Government Gazette* No. 9,209 of December 3, 1943, in so far as it relates to the maximum prices fixed in respect of steel oil drums (locally made) 3.6 cwt. and screw bungs mentioned in the Schedule thereto.
- (b) December 2, 1943, published in *Government Gazette* No. 9,209 of December 3, 1943, in so far as it relates to the maximum prices fixed in respect of the articles mentioned in the Schedule thereto.

Signed at Colombo, at 10 A.M., on December 22, 1945.

KENNETH DE KRETSEK,
Deputy Controller of Prices (Misc. Articles).

KEROSENE OIL.

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

Order.

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Assistant Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles) by section 3 (read with section 2 (3)) of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 (Supplementary Provisions No. 2) Regulations, I, Daniel Avory, Assistant Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles), Kalutara District, do by this Order amend my Order dated December 1, 1945, published in *Government Gazette* No. 9,493 of December 14, 1945, (page 278 Part VIII) as follows :

- (1) In column 4 of the Schedule substitute, for the words "Wholesale Dealers maximum price to an Authorised Distributor", the words "Wholesale Dealer's maximum price per gallon to an Authorised Distributor."
- (2) In column 5 of the Schedule, substitute for the words "Maximum retail price per gallon", the words "Maximum retail price per bottle".

Signed at the Office of the Assistant Controller of Prices (Miscellaneous Articles), Kalutara District, at 9 A.M., on December 17, 1945.

D. AVORY,
Assistant Controller of Prices
(Miscellaneous Articles), Kalutara District.

Food Price Order No. ML 13. **WHOLEMEAL FLOUR.**

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

Order.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3, read with section 2 (3), of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, as amended by Defence (Control of Prices) (Supplementary Provisions No. 2) Regulations, I, Cathiravelu Sittampalam, Deputy Controller of Prices (Food) for the Matale District, do, by this Order—

- (i.) fix the prices specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Schedule hereto to be, respectively, the maximum

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wholesale price per 148 lb. net and the maximum retail price per lb. above which wholemeal flour shall not be sold in the areas mentioned in the corresponding entries in column 1 of the schedule hereto ;

- (ii) direct that for the purpose of this Order—

- (a) any sale of any quantity of wholemeal flour for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale of wholesale ;

- (b) any sale of any quantity of wholemeal flour for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail ;

- (iii) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by this Order no person shall sell any wholemeal flour which is adulterated with any article ;

- (iv.) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by this Order every trader, who has any wholemeal flour in his possession or under his control at any place, shall exhibit conspicuously at that place a notice in which there shall be set out the maximum prices fixed by this Order in that area ;

- (v.) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by this Order every person who sells any wholemeal flour by wholesale shall, and every person who sells any wholemeal flour by retail shall on demand, give the purchaser thereof a receipt in which there shall be set out—

- (a) the date of sale ;

- (b) the weight of the wholemeal flour sold ;

- (c) the price paid for the quantity of wholemeal flour sold ;

- (d) the nature of the transaction, i.e., whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail.

Signed at the Matale Kachcheri, at 4 P.M., on December 18, 1945

C. SITTAMPALAM,
Deputy Controller of Prices (Food),
Matale District.

Column 1.	Schedule.	Column 2.	Column 3.	Column 1.	Column 2.	Column 3.
Area.		Maximum Wholesale Price per 148 lb. net.	Maximum Retail Price per lb.	Area	Maximum Wholesale Price per 148 lb. net.	Maximum Retail Price per lb.
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Mandandawela, Matale, Nagolla		27 60	0 20	kotuwa, Paldeniya, Pusella, Tembil-deniya, Udangamuwa, Walawela, Wetasyaya, Walliwela, Wahacotte	28 35	0 20½
Aluvihare, Bowatte, Dambe, Dodandeniya, Dorakumbura, Dumbukola, Elwela, Hitgolla, Hulangamuwa, Kaikawela, Kainekke, Kanangamuwa, Kotuwagedera, Koombiyangoda, Kumburegammedde, Manaboda, Owala, Palapathwela (M. S.), Palleweraga, Puranwela, Paragahawela, Rattota, Tenne, Udaweragama, Udupihilla, Ukuwela, Warakamure, Wariyapola, Weragama		27 85	0 20½	Alutgama, Dullewa, Hunganwela, Kckulalla, Kirimetiya, Lenadora, Madipola, Neluwakanda, Nalanda, Palapathwela (M. N.), Pallehapuwida, Udahapuwida, Udasgiriya, Wehera, Wehigala, Wegodapola	28 60	0 21
Ambagastenne, Alupotuwela, Bandarapola, Beeridewela, Dikkumbura, Elkaduwa, Golahenwatte, Gurubebila, Hunuketaela, Hunukete, Kaudupelella, Kaduwela, Kalalpitiya, Kiula, Kongahamula, Kuruwewa, Marukona, Mat hakke, Nugapitiya, Owilla, Pallegama (M. P.), Pallama, Palletenne, Palleswedduma, Pallepola, Ratalawewa, Raitalawela, Tibbutuwewa, Udugama, Ulpotapitiya, Yatawatto		28 10	0 20½	Ambana, Dambulla, Galewela, Kadawata, Kongahawela, Medapihilla, Owilikanda, Paranagantenne, Wehigala	28 85	0 21
Alakolamada, Ambanpola, Dewarammulla, Deevilla, Gammaduwa, Gansarapola, Imbulpitiya, Karagahalanda, Kahawatte, Ketawala, Kandagollemada, Koholanwela, Millawana, Muwandeniya, Madawela, Mahawela, Maningamuwa, Nawaragoda, Naula, Nikagolla, Oligama, Patingas-				Beligamuwa, Dandubediruppe, Elaheera, Helambagahawatte, Inamaluwa, Kandalama, Pallegama (W. P.), Puwakpitiya, Sirangahawatte, Talakiriyagama, Walakumbura	29 10	0 21
				Digampaththa, Kibissa, Kumbukkandanwela, Nikawatawana, Opalgala, Palutawa, Polwattakanda, Sigiriya, Welangahawatte	29 35	0 21½
				Gedigaswalana, Kambarawa	29 60	0 21½
				Ilukkumbura, Mahalakotuwa, Etanwela, Pitawela, Ratninda,	31 0	0 22½
				Pallegama (L. P)	31 50	0 23
				Laggala	30 75	0 22½
				Galgedewela (L. P.)	33 30	0 24