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### Appointments, &c., by the Governor-General

No. 1285 of 1950

G. G. O. No. C. 162/49.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL has been pleased, under section 51 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution and Independence) Orders in Council, 1946 and 1947, to appoint Mr. NALIN MOONESINGHE, C.C.S., to act as Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Transport and Works, in addition to his duties as Commissioner of Motor Transport, with effect from December 19, 1950, until further orders, during the absence out of the Island of Mr. J. N. ARUMUGAM, Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Transport and Works.

By His Excellency's command,  
A. C. M. HINGLEY,  
Acting Secretary to the Governor-General,  
Governor-General's Office,  
Colombo, December 5 1950.

The following officers of the Ceylon Cadet Corps cease to be seconded for duty with the Junior Cadets with effect from September 1, 1950, and are posted to the Senior Division of the Corps with effect from the same date:—

- Lieutenant J. H. S. VAN GEYZEL,
- Lieutenant M. D. L. FERNANDO,
- Lieutenant K. P. G. NILAME,
- Lieutenant V. de W. WICKREMATNE,
- Second Lieutenant T. ARTHUR,
- Second Lieutenant A. M. OMAR MUHLAR,
- Second Lieutenant W. S. SUMATHIRATNE,
- Second Lieutenant P. THIAGARAJAH,
- Second Lieutenant S. B. ELLAGALA

By His Excellency's command,  
K. VAITHIANATHAN,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Defence and External Affairs,  
Colombo 1, November 29, 1950

No. 1286 of 1950

No. D. 1/7.

### C.V.F.—Ceylon Army—Promotions and Cessation of Secondments approved by His Excellency the Governor-General

#### PROMOTIONS

To be Major with effect from September 1, 1950.

Captain C. P. DE A. ABEYASINGHE, C.C.C.

To be Captains with effect from September 1, 1950

- Lieutenant D. M. ATHULATHMUDALI, C.C.C.
- Lieutenant A. WEERASINGHE, C.C.C.
- Lieutenant L. V. BERENGER, C.C.C.
- Lieutenant NOOR HAMITH, C.C.C.

#### CESSEATION OF SECONDMENTS

Major H. A. HARDY, E.D., C.C.C., ceases to be seconded for duty with the Junior Cadets with effect from December 1, 1950, and is posted to the Senior Division of the Ceylon Cadet Corps with the rank of Major with effect from the same date.

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### C. V. F.—Ceylon Army—Resignations accepted by His Excellency the Governor-General

Major M. G. DOVER, E.D., C. G. A (Reserve), with effect from November 30, 1950.

Captain R. E. REIMERS, C.L.I., with effect from November 1, 1950.

Lieutenant S. H. S. GUNARATNE, C.L.I., with effect from November 1, 1950.

Lieutenant G. W. LIYANAGE, C.L.I., with effect from November 28, 1950.

Lieutenant T. B. SAMAHON, C.M.C., with effect from November 29, 1950.

By His Excellency's command,

K. VAITHIANATHAN,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Defence and External Affairs,  
Colombo 1, December 1, 1950.

## Appointments, &c., by the Public Service Commission

No. 1288 of 1950

A. 215/49.

THE Public Service Commission has been pleased to order the promotion of Mr. K. ALVAPILLAI from Class II to Class I, Grade II of the Ceylon Civil Service, with effect from October 10, 1950.

M. CHANDRASOMA,  
Secretary, Public Service Commission.

Office of the Public Service Commission,  
P. O. Box No. 500,  
Colombo 1, December 6, 1950.

No. 1289 of 1950

THE Public Service Commission has been pleased to order the following appointments:—

A. 25/47.

Mr. N. W. ATUKORALA, M.B.E., Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, to be Secretary to the Prime Minister with effect from October 1, 1950

A. 21/50.

Mr. C. W. NICHOLAS to be Warden, Department of Wild Life, with effect from December 1, 1950.

A. 112/50.

Dr. C. C. JOHN to be Deputy Director of Fisheries (Development), Department of Fisheries, with effect from October 30, 1950.

M. CHANDRASOMA  
Secretary, Public Service Commission.  
Office of the Public Service Commission,  
P. O. Box No. 500,  
Colombo 1, December 6, 1950.

## Appointments, &c., by the Judicial Service Commission

No. 1290 of 1950

No. CJP/D. 6/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. N. SINNETAMBY to act as District Judge, Colombo, with effect from 30th November, 1950, until further orders.

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE,  
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.  
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,  
P. O. Box 573,  
Colombo, 5th December, 1950.

No. 1291 of 1950

No. JAA/11/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. V. MANICAVASAGAR to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Colombo, on the 11th December, 1950.

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE,  
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.  
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,  
P. O. Box 573,  
Colombo, 5th December, 1950.

No. 1292 of 1950

No. JSC. Pp. 21/50.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to make the following appointments with effect from 1st December, 1950, until further orders:—

Mr. M. M. MAHAROOF to be Additional District Judge, Galle, Additional Commissioner of Requests and Additional Magistrate, Galle, and Additional Municipal Magistrate, Galle.

Mr. D. J. R. GUNAWARDENE to be Magistrate and Commissioner of Requests, Galle, Municipal Magistrate, Galle, and Additional District Judge, Galle.

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE,  
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.  
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,  
P. O. Box 573,  
Colombo, 5th December, 1950.

No. 1293 of 1950

No. JAA/6/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. O. L. DE KRETSER to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional District Judge, Balapitiya, on the 8th December, 1950, to enable judgment to be delivered in D. C. Balapitiya Case No. P. 249.

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE,  
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.  
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,  
P. O. Box 573,  
Colombo, 2nd December, 1950

No. 1294 of 1950

No. C/JM. 11/50

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. A. D. J. GUNAWARDENE, Supernumerary Officer in Class III of the Ceylon Judicial Service, to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Gampaha, and Additional District Judge, Gampaha, with effect from 1st December, 1950, until further orders.

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE,  
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.  
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,  
P. O. Box 573,  
Colombo 12, December 2nd, 1950

No. 1295 of 1950

No. JAA/20/48

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. E. B. S. COREA to be, in addition to his other duties, Additional Magistrate, Gampaha, and Additional District Judge, Gampaha, on the 9th December, 1950, to enable sentence to be passed in M. C. Gampaha Case No. 58328.

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE,  
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.  
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,  
P. O. Box 573,  
Colombo, 2nd December, 1950.

No. 1296 of 1950

No. CJP/M. 2/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has been pleased to appoint Mr. P. MALALGODA to be Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Badulla-Haldumulla, and Additional District Judge, Badulla, with effect from 1st December, 1950, until further orders.

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE,  
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.  
Office of the Judicial Service Commission,  
P. O. Box 573,  
Colombo, 5th December, 1950.

No. 1297 of 1950

No. JRL. 20/48.

THE Judicial Service Commission has, under section 3 (1) of the Rural Courts Ordinance, No. 12 of 1945, been pleased to appoint Mr. E. E. V. GOONESEKERA, Proctor, to act as President, Rural Court, Dewameddi Hatpattu, and Additional President, Rural Court, Wann Hatpattu and Katugampola Hatpattu, Kurunegala District, during the absence of Mr. G. P. KARANGODA on 14th December, 1950.

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE,  
Secretary, Judicial Service Commission.

Office of the Judicial Service Commission,  
P. O. Box 573,  
Colombo, December 4th, 1950.

No. 1298 of 1950

BY virtue of the powers delegated to me in that behalf by the Honourable the Minister of Justice, the following appointments have been made:—

No. JL/44/48.

Mr. K. W. E. PERERA to be Additional District Judge, Panadura, and Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Panadura, from the 6th to 13th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. D. H. PANDITA GUNAWARDENE

No. JAA/19A/48.

Mr. J. A. OBEYSEKERA to be Additional District Judge, Gampaha, on the 16th December, 1950, to hear D. C. Gampaha Case No. 1158/14126/N—Partition.

No. JAA/49/48.

Mr. K. JEYAKODY to be Additional District Judge, Point Pedro, on the 2nd December, 1950, to hear D. C. Point Pedro Case No. 2582

No. JAA/56/48.

Mr. D. RAJARATNAM to be Additional District Judge, Trincomalee, and Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Trincomalee, on the 29th November, 1st and 2nd December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. G. THOMAS.

No. JL/68/48.

Mr. D. RAJARATNAM to be Additional District Judge, Trincomalee, Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Trincomalee, from the 8th to 11th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. G. THOMAS.

No. JL/19/48.

Mr. E. B. WEERAKOON to be Additional Magistrate, Colombo, Additional Municipal Magistrate, Colombo, Additional Commissioner of Requests, Colombo, and Additional District Judge, Colombo, on the 7th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. T. Q. FERNANDO.

Mr. J. N. C. TIRUCHELVAM to be Additional Magistrate Colombo, Additional Municipal Magistrate, Colombo, Additional Commissioner of Requests, Colombo, and Additional District Judge, Colombo, on the 8th and 9th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. T. Q. FERNANDO

No. JAA/8/48.

Mr. P. G. DE SILVA to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Avissawella, and Additional District Judge, Avissawella, on the 1st December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. E. B. S. COREA.

No. JAA/8/48.

Mr. P. G. DE SILVA to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Avissawella, and Additional District Judge, Avissawella, on the 9th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. E. B. S. COREA.

No. JL/34/48.

Mr. B. R. G. WIJEYEKOON to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Dumbara, and Additional District Judge, Kandy, at Panwila, on the 15th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. N. KRISHNADASAN.

No. JAA/40/48.

Mr. M. Y. SALLAY to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Matale, and Additional District Judge, Kandy, on the 9th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. N. A. DE S. WIJESEKERA.

No. JAA/40/48.

Mr. B. R. G. WIJEYEKOON to be Additional Magistrate, Matale, on the 18th December, 1950, to hear M. C. Matale Case No. 16513.

No. JAA/55/48.

Mr. H. D. RATNATUNGA to be Additional Magistrate, Tangalla, and Additional District Judge, Tangalla, on the 13th December, 1950, to hear M. C. Tangalla Cases Nos. 4639 and 4374, on the 16th December, 1950, to hear M. C. Walasmulla Case No. 4993 and on the 3rd January, 1951, to hear M. C. Tangalla Case No. 3517.

No. JAA/50/48.

Mr. M. ESURAPADHAM to be Additional Magistrate, Point Pedro, on the 6th December, 1950, to hear M. C. Point Pedro Case No. 18016.

No. JL/41/48.

Mr. M. ESURAPADHAM to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Point Pedro, and Additional District Judge, Point Pedro, on the 11th and 12th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. W. W. MUTTURAJAH.

No. JL/1A/48

Mr. E. A. PIERIS to be Additional Magistrate and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Kegalla, and Additional District Judge, Kegalla, from 13th to 16th December, 1950, during the absence of Mr. P. S. W. ABEYWARDENE

T. P. P. GOONETILLEKE.

Secretary, Judicial Service Commission

Office of the Judicial Service Commission,

P. O. Box 573.

Colombo, December 5, 1950.

## Other Appointments

No. 1299 of 1950

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. PAUL SYKES has assumed duties as Trade Commissioner for Canada in Ceylon.

K. VAITHIANATHAN,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of External Affairs.

No. 1300 of 1950

No. AM/10/4.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by His Excellency the Governor-General to him in that behalf, the Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. V. PONNUSAMY to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Magistrate for the judicial district of Nuwara Eliya with effect from the 27th November, 1950.

R. R. SELVADURAI,  
Permanent Secretary to the  
Ministry of Justice

Colombo, 28th November, 1950.

No. 1301 of 1950

No. AJ/13/28.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by His Excellency the Governor-General to him in that behalf, the Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. MURUGESAR RAMALINGAM to be, while holding the post of Office Assistant to the Government Agent, Northern Province, a Justice of the Peace for the judicial district of Jaffna with effect from the 27th November, 1950.

R. R. SELVADURAI,  
Permanent Secretary to the  
Ministry of Justice

Colombo, 28th November, 1950.

o. 1302 of 1950

No. AM/29/1.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated by His Excellency the Governor-General to him in that behalf, the Minister of Justice has appointed Mr. A. W. COREA to be a Justice of the Peace and Unofficial Magistrate for the judicial district of Chilaw with effect from the 30th November, 1950.

R. R. SELVADURAI,  
Permanent Secretary to the  
Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 1st December, 1950

No. 1303 of 1950

No. AI/9/6.

THE Honourable the Minister of Justice has, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), appointed Mr. S. VETTIVELU to act as Inquirer for Pallavarayankadu, Pooneryn, Jaffna District, from the 14th December, 1950, until the resumption of duties by Mr. K. ARULAMPALAM.

R. R. SELVADURAI,  
Permanent Secretary to the  
Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 2nd December, 1950

No. 1304 of 1950

No. AI/11/4.

THE Honourable the Minister of Justice has, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), appointed Mr. K. A. JOSEPH to act as Inquirer for Mannar Island Division, Mannar District, from the 7th December, 1950, until the resumption of duties by Mr. C. ALEXANDER.

R. R. SELVADURAI,  
Permanent Secretary to the  
Ministry of Justice

Colombo, 2nd December, 1950

No. 1305 of 1950

No. AI 13/2.

THE Honourable the Minister of Justice has, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), appointed Mr. K. PONNAMPALAM to act as Inquirer for Kaddukulampattu, Trincomalee District, from the 24th November, 1950, until the resumption of duties by Mr. S. MOHAMADU MOHIDEEN.

R. R. SELVADURAI,  
Permanent Secretary to the  
Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 29th November, 1950.

No. 1306 of 1950

AI. 16/4.

THE Honourable the Minister of Justice has, under section 120 of the Criminal Procedure Code (Cap. 16), appointed Mr. K. M. M. IBRAHIM to act as Inquirer for Egoda Pattu, Anuradhapura District, from the 21st November, 1950, until the resumption of duties by Mr. S. P. KATHTHAMUTHU.

R. R. SELVADURAI,  
Permanent Secretary to the  
Ministry of Justice.

Colombo, 27th November, 1950.

No. 1307 of 1950

THE Honourable the Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development has, under section 4 (4) of the Muslim Marriage and Divorce Registration Ordinance (Chapter 99), as modified by the Proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, appointed Mr. MOHAMED CASSIM KARJAPPER of Division No. 3, Sainthamaruthu, to act as Kathi for the division of Manmunai pattu North, Eruvil-Poraitivu and Manmunai pattu South in Batticaloa District from November 25, 1950, until the resumption of duties by the permanent Kathi, Mr. S. M. S. M. MOWLIANA, on leave.

R. Y. DANIEL,  
for Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development  
Colombo, December 5, 1950.

No. 1308 of 1950

No. HLG/D (TP. 121)

THE Honourable the Minister of Health and Local Government has been pleased, under section 3 (1) (j) of the Town and Country Planning Ordinance, No. 13 of 1946, to appoint the following persons to be members of the Central Planning Commission:—

- (1) Dr. KUMARAN RUTNAM.
- (2) Mr. ANTHONY J. M. DE SILVA.
- (3) Sir WILFRED DE SOYSA.
- (4) Mr. D. H. S. NANAYAKKARA.

P. O. FERNANDO,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government.  
Colombo, November 27, 1950

No. 1309 of 1950

No. AD. 8.

THE Honourable the Minister of Health and Local Government has been pleased, under section 11 of the Thoroughfares Ordinance (Chapter 148), as modified by the Proclamation, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, to appoint Senator BARNES RATWATTE DISAWA, Mr. CYRIL E. ATTYGALLE, M.P., Mr. E. W. MATHEW, M.P., Mr. H. D. ROSS and Mrs. FLORENCE SENANAYAKE, M.P., to be Members of the Provincial Road Committee, Province of Sabaragamuwa, for the year 1951.

P. O. FERNANDO,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government  
Colombo, November 24, 1950

## Appointments, &c., of Registrars

No. 1310 of 1950

THE Registrar-General has been pleased to make the following appointments with effect from December 1, 1950:—

(1) Mr. JAYASENA BANDARA DAWLAGALA, Clerk in Grade II of the Executive Clerical Class of the General Clerical Service, to be Additional Registrar of Lands for the Matale District.

(2) Mr. ENDORIS DIAS WICKRAMARATNE GUNASEKERA, Clerk in Grade II of the Executive Clerical Class of the General Clerical Service, to be Additional Registrar of Lands for the Kegalla District.

R. M. DAVIES,  
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo 1, November 30, 1950.

## Government Notifications

L. D.—B. 129/47.

### The Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946

ORDER made by the Public Service Commission under section 61 of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946.

Colombo, 30th November, 1950.

M. CHANDRASOMA,  
Secretary,  
Public Service Commission.

#### Order

The power to hold an inquiry into the charges preferred against the officer mentioned in column I of the Schedule hereto and which are described in column II of that Schedule is hereby delegated to the officer specified in column III of that Schedule.

#### SCHEDULE

I Officer against whom charges preferred	II Description of charges	III Officer authorised to hold inquiry
Mr. R. S. Kandasamy, Interpreter, District Court, Hatton, in Executive Clerical Class, Grade II	(1) Sometime in February, 1950, he did demand a loan of Rs. 250 from Ameer Rahman Bhai, who had come to the District Court, Hatton, with Mr. S. S. Deen, Clerk, to Mr. F. V. H. La'Brooy, Proctor, to obtain summons in D. C. Hatton Case No. 3,867; (2) On February 21, 1950, he did demand and received an unauthorised gratification of Rs. 5 for the purpose of expediting an issue of summons in C. R. Hatton Case No. 6,607; (3) On March 7, 1950, he did ask the said Mr. Deen for "consideration" to be obtained from the plaintiffs, Muthurajan & Co., in two Court of Requests cases, being an unauthorised gratification for prompt issue of summons in the said cases	Mr. N. L. Jansz, Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Justice

No. D. 1/20/B.

#### REGULATION

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased, in terms of the Regulations published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 8,029 of January 26, 1934, to award the Efficiency Medal (Ceylon), and/or Clasps thereto, to the following officers and other Ranks of the Ceylon Volunteer Force of the Ceylon Army:—

#### CEYLON LIGHT INFANTRY

##### Efficiency Medal

375.	Captain F. E. Kellar (Reserve)
754.	Lieutenant W. Balfour (Resigned).
10906	C. S. M. C. J. John.
11069.	C. S. M. S. P. Masillamony (Discharged).
11021.	Sgt. P. Somasundaram.
11112.	Sgt. P. E. Sheddon (Discharged).
10970.	Sgt. B. A. Rosairo (Discharged).
11010.	Pte. F. R. Koch.

##### 1st Clasp

8367 Sgt. J. Clayton (Reserve).

##### 2nd Clasp

10194. C. Q. M. S. J. R. M. Holsinger (Discharged).

#### CEYLON MEDICAL CORPS

##### Efficiency Medal and 1st Clasp

645. R. Q. M. S. M. T. Ousmand (Discharged).

By His Excellency's command,

K. VAITHIANATHAN,  
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Defence and External Affairs.

Colombo 1, November 29, 1950

L. D.—B. 91/49.

### The Army Act, No. 17 of 1949

REGULATION made by the Minister of Defence and External Affairs under section 155 of the Army Act, No. 17 of 1949.

K. VAITHIANATHAN,  
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Defence and External Affairs.

Colombo, December 4, 1950.

The regulations cited as the Army Pay Code and published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 10,028 of October 10, 1949, as amended by regulation published in *Gazette* No. 10,040 of November 4, 1949, are hereby further amended as follows:—

(1) by the substitution, for regulation 25, of the following new regulation—

" 25. So long as the cost of living index number exceeds 150 but does not exceed 350, a cost of living allowance shall be payable—

(a) at such of the rates specified in the Schedule hereto as is appropriate to him, to every soldier who is in receipt of full pay and who does not receive a marriage allowance; and

(b) at double such rate to every soldier who is in receipt of full pay and a marriage allowance"; and

(2) by the substitution, for the Schedule occurring at the end of those regulations, of the following new Schedule:—

Regulation 25—

#### Schedule

Index No.	Private Rate per Day	L/Corporals. Rate per Day	Corporals and above Rate per Day	
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.
below 350	0 60	1 0	1 10	1 10
below 330	0 55	0 90	1 0	1 0
below 310	0 50	0 80	0 90	0 90
below 290	0 45	0 70	0 80	0 80
below 270	0 40	0 60	0 70	0 70
below 250	0 35	0 50	0 60	0 60
below 230	0 30	0 40	0 50	0 50
below 210	0 25	0 30	0 40	0 40
below 190	0 20	0 20	0 25	0 25
below 170	0 10	0 10	0 15	0 15
below 150	—	—	—	—

No. 74/7/13 (MF).

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officer passed the First Examination for Civil Servants on October 16, 1950:—

Name of Officer	Percentage of Marks			
	Law	Accounts	Tamil	Ceylon History and Geography
G. G. D. S. P. Gunatilleke	70	40	46	72

T. D. PERERA,  
Secretary to the Treasury.

Ministry of Finance,  
Colombo, December 1, 1950.

No. 74/7/13 (MF).

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned officer passed the Second Examination for Civil Servants on October 16, 1950:—

Name of Officer	Percentage of Marks				
	Sinhalese	Tamil	Law	Accounts	Public Service Commission Rules and Manual of Procedure
J. L. E. Fernando	81	65	50	75	54

T. D. PERERA,  
Secretary to the Treasury.

Ministry of Finance,  
Colombo, December 1, 1950.

(D. S. 221/50)

No. 40/1/9 (ET/DB).

PURSUANT to the 2nd section of the Minutes on Pensions, it is hereby notified that the holder of the office specified below is entitled to pension:—

*National Savings Movement*  
Publicity and Lay-out Officer.

T. D. PERERA,  
Secretary to the Treasury.

General Treasury,  
Colombo, December 4, 1950.

(D. S. 221/50)

No. 741/10/140 (ET/DB).

PURSUANT to the 2nd section of the Minutes on Pensions, it is hereby notified that the holder of the office specified below is entitled to pension:—

*Colombo Port Commission*  
Roneo Operator.

T. D. PERERA,  
Secretary to the Treasury.

General Treasury,  
Colombo, December 2, 1950.

No. 13/1/105 (MF).

**The Public Officers (Security) Ordinance (Chapter 251)**

IT is hereby notified that Mr. D. St. C. B. Jansze, Senior Crown Counsel, has been appointed by the Attorney-General in terms of Rule 6 (2) of the Ceylon Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association to be a member of the Board of Managers of the Ceylon Public Service Mutual Guarantee Association with effect from November 3, 1950, in place of Mr. H. W. R. Weerasooriya.

A. G. RANASINHA,

Deputy Secretary to the Treasury and Chairman,  
Board of Managers, Ceylon Public Service Mutual  
Guarantee Association.  
Colombo, December 4, 1950.

L. D.—B. 55/45.

E. C.—L. P. 139.

**The Excise Ordinance***Excise Notification No. 414*

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 7 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 42), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Edwin Aloysius Perera Wijeyeratne, Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development, do by this Notification, with effect from January 1, 1951—

- (1) appoint the officers mentioned in column I of Schedule A hereto to perform, in the districts or areas specified in the corresponding entries in column II of that Schedule, the acts and duties mentioned in sections 32, 34 and 45 (a) of the said Ordinance;
- (2) order that the powers and duties mentioned in section 36 of the said Ordinance, assigned to Inspectors of the Excise Department under section 7 (d) of the Ordinance (by Excise Notification No. 1 published in *Gazette* No. 6,536 of December 13, 1912) shall be exercised by the officers referred to in paragraph (1) within the aforesaid districts or areas;
- (3) amend the Excise Notification No. 1 published in *Gazette* No. 6,536 of December 13, 1912, by the omission of paragraphs 3B (1) 3B (2); and
- (4) rescind the Excise Notification specified in Schedule B hereto.

E. A. P. WIJYERATNE,  
Minister of Home Affairs and  
Rural Development.

Colombo, 22nd November, 1950.

## SCHEDULE A

I Officers	II Districts or areas
(a) All officers of the Police Force	Throughout the whole Island
(b) All Chief Headmen, Divisional Revenue Officers, Divisional Headmen, Village Headmen and Peace Officers.	Within their respective districts or areas

## SCHEDULE B.

1. Excise Notification No. 37 published in *Gazette* No. 6,648 of August 14, 1914.
2. Excise Notification No. 368 published in *Gazette* No. 8,867 of February 20, 1942, and
3. Excise Notification No. 372 published in *Gazette* No. 8,932 of May 22, 1942.

**The Local Option Rules**

*Order regarding the postponement of date of holding the Local Option Poll for closing the toddy taverns Vadduvakkal, Puthumathalan, Alampil and Chilawatte in the Vavuniya District*

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by rule 4A of the Local Option Rules, published by Excise Notification No. 146 in *Gazette* No. 7,478 of August 14, 1925, as amended by any subsequent rule published by a like Notification, and as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Edwin Aloysius Perera Wijeyeratne, Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development, do by this Order postpone to January 20, 1951, the Local Option Poll which, under rule 6 of the aforesaid rules had been fixed for December 9, 1950, by notification published in *Gazette* No. 10,170 of November 3, 1950, for the purpose of deciding whether or not licences for the sale of toddy at Vadduvakkal, Puthumathalan, Alampil and Chilawatte in the Vavuniya District shall be regranted or withheld.

E. A. P. WIJYERATNE,  
Minister of Home Affairs and Rural  
Development.

Colombo 7, December 7, 1950

## The Land Acquisition Ordinance (Chapter 203)

Order No. 38 of 1950

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 12 (1) of the Land Acquisition Ordinance (Chapter 203), as amended by section 2 of Ordinance No. 51 of 1947, and adapted by the Order in the proclamation under section 88 (1) of the Ceylon (Constitution) Order in Council, 1946, published in the *Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947), I hereby direct each Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent mentioned in column 1 of the schedule hereto or any other officer of the Crown authorised by him in that behalf to take possession, for and on behalf of His Majesty of the land respectively described in the corresponding entries in column 2 of that schedule.

Colombo, December 1, 1950.

DUDLEY SENANAYAKE,  
Minister of Agriculture and Lands.

## SCHEDULE

Column 1	Column 2
	The land shown as—
J 1333/Q 3271—The Government Agent, Western Province	.. Lot No. 1 in preliminary plan No. A 2,710
F 4190/LP 5913—The Government Agent, Southern Province	.. Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 and 9 in preliminary plan No. A 993
J 1153/LA 6832—The Government Agent, North-Western Province	.. Lot No. 101 in supplement No. 1 to final village plan No. 809
J 1209/LD 3003—The Government Agent, Eastern Province	.. Lots Nos. 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 in preliminary plan No. A 918
J 1441/LW 3275—The Government Agent, Province of Uva	.. Lot No. 33 in supplement No. 2 to final village plan No. 327
J 1759/LA 2039/LD/9—The Assistant Government Agent, Hambantota	.. Lots Nos. 73, 74, 82, 83, 84 and 87 in supplement No. 1 to final village plan No. 257
F 3705	
F 2877/LC 3108—The Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara	.. Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in preliminary plan No. A 1,386
J 58/LH 672—The Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara	.. Lot No. 1 in preliminary plan, No. A 2,531
J 58/LD 4135—The Government Agent, Central Province	.. Lot No. 1 in preliminary plan No. A 1,526
J 8/LB 1290—The Assistant Government Agent, Matara	.. Lots Nos. 1, 2, and 3 in preliminary plan No. A 1,081
J 655/LH 579—The Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara	.. Lot No. 1 in preliminary plan No. A 2,484

## The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946

IT is hereby notified that the Minister for Agriculture and Lands has, by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 60 (1) of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, confirmed the Scheme relating to the Maha Kumbukwewa irrigation work in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, prepared under Part V of the same Ordinance and approved at a meeting duly held on September 23, 1950, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors under the irrigable area of that irrigation work.

S. F. AMERASINGHE,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Agriculture and Lands

Colombo, November 28, 1950.

Ordinance and approved at a meeting duly held on August 25, 1950, by the prescribed majority of the proprietors under the irrigable area of that irrigation work.

S. F. AMERASINGHE,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Agriculture and Lands.

Colombo, November 28, 1950.

L. D.—O. 27/49.

## Surveyors (Amendment) Act, No. 28 of 1950

ORDER made by the Minister of Agriculture and Lands under section 2 (2) of the Surveyors (Amendment) Act, No. 28 of 1950.

S. F. AMERASINGHE,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Agriculture and Lands.

Colombo, 1st December, 1950.

## The Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946

IT is hereby notified that the Minister for Agriculture and Lands has, by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 60 (1) of the Irrigation Ordinance, No. 32 of 1946, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, confirmed the Scheme relating to the Unantenna Uda Ela irrigation work in the Nuwara Eliya District of the Central Province, prepared under Part V of the same

## ORDER

January 1, 1951, is hereby appointed as the date on which the amendment made in section 5 of the Surveyors Ordinance (Chapter 92) by sub-section (1) of section 2 of the Surveyors (Amendment) Act, No. 28 of 1950, shall come into force.

L. D.—B. 89/50.

**The Control of Prices Act, No. 29 of 1950**

REGULATIONS made by the Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings under section 6 of the Control of Prices Act, No. 29 of 1950.

G. DE SOYZA,  
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Food and Co-operative Undertakings.

Colombo, 13th November, 1950.

REGULATIONS

1. (1) These Regulations may be cited as the Control of Prices Regulations, 1950, and shall come into operation on the appointed date.

(2) In these regulations—

“ Act ” means the Control of Prices Act, No. 29 of 1950;

“ appointed date ” means December 9, 1950;

“ Controller ” means the Controller of Prices (Food) appointed under section 2 (1) (a) of the Act;

“ Order ” means an Order in respect of an article of food or drink made under section 4 of the Act; and

“ price-controlled article ” means an article of food or drink in respect of which an Order is in operation.

(3) The expression “ authorised officer ” when used in any of these regulations—

(a) means the Controller, or any Deputy or Assistant Controller of Prices (Food) appointed under section 2 (1) (a) of the Act; and

(b) includes any other officer or person appointed by the Controller by notification published in the *Gazette* to be an authorised officer for the purposes of the regulation in which the expression occurs.

2. Where at any time after the appointed date an Order is made in respect of any article of food or drink, every person carrying on business as an importer of or a wholesale trader in that article shall, within such period as may be specified in the Order, furnish to the Controller a return specifying—

(a) the stocks of that article which are in his possession or under his control at the time the return is made;

(b) each store or other place at which such stocks are kept.

3. The Controller shall, upon receipt from any person of a return under regulation 2, register that person as an importer or wholesale trader, as the case may be, and register each store or other place (hereinafter referred to as a “ registered store ”) at which stocks of any price-controlled article are kept or to be kept by that person: Provided, however, that the Controller may refuse to register any premises or place which may appear to him to be unsuitable for use as a store.

4. Every person who desires to keep any stock or quantity of any price-controlled article at any store or other place which is not a registered store, shall furnish to the Controller a return specifying such store or other place, and the Controller may in respect of such store or other place exercise the powers conferred on him by Regulation 3.

5. (1) The Controller may at any time, by notice published in the *Gazette* and in at least one daily newspaper circulating in Ceylon require every person who has in his possession or under his control any quantity of any price-controlled article in excess of a quantity specified in the notice, to furnish to the Controller before a date so specified, a return setting out the quantity of such article in his possession or under his control and the premises at which such quantity is kept.

(2) It shall be the duty of every person to whom any notice under paragraph (1) applies to comply with the requirements of the notice

6. (i) For the purpose of determining whether an Order is to be made in respect of any article of food or drink or for any other purpose connected with or incidental to the carrying out of the provisions of the Act or of these regulations, the Controller may at any time by notice served on any person—

(a) require that person to furnish a return specifying the stocks of such article in the possession or under the control of that person, or any other information relating to the business carried on by that person in such article;

(b) summon that person for the purpose of being examined with regard to any business carried on by him or by any other person in such article of food or drink;

(c) require that person to produce for inspection any such books, registers or other documents as the Controller may specify relating to the business carried on by that person in such article of food or drink.

(2) It shall be the duty of every person on whom a notice is served under paragraph (1) to comply with the requirements of the notice

(3) For the purpose of determining whether an Order is to be made in respect of any article of food or drink under the Act or for any other purpose connected with or incidental to the carrying out of the provisions of the Act or of these regulations, the Controller may summon witnesses, administer oaths, and examine any books, registers or other documents relating to any business carried on by any person in such article.

7. In the exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 (1) (b) of the Act, the Controller may in any Order made in respect of any article of food or drink include, among others, any one or more of the following conditions:—

(i) a condition that no wholesale or retail trader shall at any one time store at any premises any quantity of the article exceeding such quantity as the Controller may for the time being specify as the maximum quantity which may be stored by a wholesale trader or by a retail trader, as the case may be;

(ii) a condition that the article shall not be sold except at such places or premises as are mentioned or described in the Order;

(iii) a condition that the article shall not be sold except between such hours as the Controller may fix;

(iv) a condition that no article shall be sold which is of a standard inferior to such standard as may be specified by the Controller;

(v) a condition that every trader who has no stocks available for sale shall exhibit at his premises a notice to the effect that stocks are not available for sale for the time being;

(vi) a condition that every trader shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at every place at which or on every vehicle or vessel from which such article is sold or delivered a notice on which shall be set out the maximum price for the time being fixed in respect of that article.

8. It shall be the duty of every trader who carries on business in any article of food or drink to comply with every condition inserted under regulation 7 in any Order made in respect of that article or with any other condition which may be inserted in such Order in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 4 (1) (b) of the Act.

9. (1) The manner in which public notice of an Order may be given under paragraph (c) of section 4 (4) of the Act, whether in lieu of or in addition to the modes of giving notice which are mentioned in paragraphs (a) and (b) of section 4 (4), shall be by publishing the Order in two consecutive issues of a daily newspaper circulating in the area in respect of which the Order is made.

(2) Any notice required by these regulations to be served on any person may be served either personally or by being sent by post to that person at his residence or



his usual place of business, and every notice so sent shall be deemed to have been served at the time at which it would have been received in the ordinary course of post.

10. (1) No importer of or wholesale trader in any price-controlled article shall remove any such article, or cause or permit any such article to be removed from his registered store to any other premises, except under the authority of a permit in writing issued by an authorised officer or otherwise than in accordance with such conditions as that officer may in his discretion attach to such permit:

Provided that no such permit shall be required for the purpose of authorising the removal—

- (a) of any such article from a registered store of any importer or trader to any other registered store of that importer or trader,
- (b) of any such article *bona fide* sold by any importer or wholesale trader to any other person.

(2) No importer of or wholesale trader in any price-controlled article shall keep any stocks of such article in any place other than a registered store, unless the removal of such stocks to that place has been authorised by permit issued under paragraph (1).

(3) No person to whom any notice published under regulation 5 (1) applies shall remove any quantity of any price-controlled article to which such notice relates from the premises specified in the return furnished by him under that regulation, except under the authority of a permit in writing issued by an authorised officer or otherwise than in accordance with such conditions as that officer may in his discretion attach to such permit.

(4) The occupier or other person in charge of any premises shall not keep or permit to be kept in those premises any price-controlled article removed in contravention of the provisions of paragraph (1) or paragraph (3).

(5) An authorised officer may refuse to issue a permit under paragraph (1) or paragraph (3) for the removal of any price-controlled article if he considers such refusal necessary or expedient for the purpose of maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community.

11. (1) Every person who sells any price-controlled article by wholesale shall deliver to the buyer a receipt setting out the quantity of the article sold and the amount paid as the purchase price therefor.

(2) Every person who sells any price-controlled article by retail shall, upon demand made by the buyer, deliver to the buyer a receipt setting out the quantity of the article sold and the amount paid as the purchase price therefor.

12. In any case where a person makes an offer to enter into a transaction for a consideration to be given as a whole in respect both of a sale of any price-controlled article and of some other matter (whether or not being, or including, a sale of any other price-controlled article), the person making the offer shall state in writing the price which he assigns to each such article, if he is required so to do by any person to whom the offer is made; and where the transaction is completed in any such case, each such article shall be deemed for the purposes of the Act to have been sold at the price so stated in respect of that article.

13. (1) For the purpose of preventing the hoarding of any price-controlled article, it shall be lawful for the Controller, if he has reasonable grounds for suspecting that any person has in his possession or under his control any quantity of that article in excess of a reasonable quantity—

- (a) to enter and inspect, or authorise in writing any officer or person specified in such writing to enter and inspect, any place or premises in which such quantity is kept or suspected to be kept, and
- (b) to seize or authorise such officer or person as aforesaid to seize, such part of that quantity as may be in excess of the reasonable quantity.

(2) For the purposes of paragraph (1), the quantity of any article of food or drink which shall be deemed to be

a reasonable quantity to be kept in the possession or under the control of any person shall be such quantity as the Controller may in his discretion consider to be sufficient for a reasonable period to satisfy normal requirements, having regard to the number of persons for whose use or consumption the article is kept by that person

(3) Where any quantity of any article of food or drink is seized under paragraph (1), the Controller shall, within a reasonable time of such seizure, pay to the person from whose possession or control the article is taken a price determined with due regard to the maximum price prescribed in respect of that article by the Order in force at the time of such seizure and the condition of the article at that time.

(4) Any article seized under paragraph (1) may be sold by the Controller in such manner as he may think fit.

14. (1) Where any person is suspected to have contravened the provisions of any Order or of any of these regulations, it shall be lawful for the Controller or any authorised officer to enter the premises in which, and to seize any article of food or drink in respect of which, that contravention is suspected to have occurred.

(2) Every article so seized shall, within 24 hours of the time of the seizure, be produced before the Magistrate of the division in which the seizure was made; and the Magistrate may, if the article is perishable or liable to rapid deterioration, or if the Magistrate is, for any other reason, of opinion that the article should be disposed of immediately, direct that the article shall be sold by or under the authority of the Controller, and shall in every other case give such directions relating to the temporary custody of the article as may appear to him to be expedient.

(3) Where no prosecution is instituted after the seizure of any article of food or drink under paragraph (1) or where the person prosecuted is found not to be guilty of contravening any Order or any of these regulations, the article so seized shall be returned to the person from whose custody it was removed.

Provided that in any case where any such article has been sold as hereinbefore provided, or where that person so requests, the Controller shall pay to that person the value of the article determined with due regard to the maximum price prescribed in respect of that article by the Order in force at the time of the seizure and the condition of the article at that time.

15. Upon the sale of any article of food or drink by or under the authority of the Controller under regulation 13 or under regulation 14, the proceeds of such sale shall be paid by the Controller to the credit of a special account, and all payments required or authorised by either of those regulations and all payments in respect of the expenses of or incidental to the seizure and sale of any article thereunder shall be made by him out of that account.

16. (1) Where any court under section 8 of the Act orders the forfeiture of any article of food or drink, the court may make order that the forfeited article shall be—

- (a) transmitted to the Government Storekeeper for the use of the Government; or
- (b) transmitted to the Government Storekeeper or to any other specified officer for the purpose of being sold, or
- (c) destroyed in such manner as the court may direct.

(2) The proceeds of the sale of any article of food or drink forfeited by order of any court shall be credited to general revenue.

17. Every importer of and every wholesale trader in a price-controlled article shall keep and maintain in such form as may be prescribed or approved by the Controller such books and registers relating to his business in such articles as the Controller may require.

18. Every return furnished to the Controller under these Regulations shall be verified by a declaration that the statements contained therein are true and accurate.

19. The Control of Prices Regulations, 1942, shall, with effect from the appointed date, be rescinded.

L. D.—B. 88/50.

**The Food Control Act, No. 25 of 1950**

REGULATIONS made by the Minister of Food and Co-operative Undertakings under section 6 of the Food Control Act, No. 25 of 1950.

G. DE SOYZA,

Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Food and Co-operative Undertakings.

Colombo, 13th November, 1950.

REGULATIONS

*Short Title*

These regulations may be cited as the Food Control Regulations, 1950, and shall come into operation on December 9, 1950, (such date being hereinafter referred to as the "appointed date").

*A.—Returns, Information, &c.*

1. Every person who is required so to do by notice in writing under the hand of the Food Controller shall furnish to the Food Controller, on or before such date as may be specified in the notice, a return in such form as the Food Controller may direct, setting out such particulars as may be required by the Food Controller in respect of any specified cattle, food or article of food in the possession of or under the control of such person or ordered, acquired or purchased by him or on his behalf at any time.

2. (1) Every householder shall, whenever required to do so by the Food Controller or any officer authorised in writing in that behalf, furnish on such form as may be provided by the Food Controller or such officer for the purpose, a return specifying the number of persons usually resident in his house and the name, sex, age, race and occupation of every such person together with all such other particulars (including particulars as to any food produced, purchased, distributed or consumed by each such person) as may be required to be set out in such form.

(2) The superintendent of every estate shall, whenever required to do so by the Food Controller or any officer authorised in writing in that behalf, furnish on such form as may be provided by the Food Controller or such officer for the purpose, a return specifying the number of persons resident on that estate and the name, sex, age, race and occupation of every such person together with all such other particulars (including particulars as to any food produced, purchased, distributed or consumed by each such person) as may be required to be set out in such form.

3. (a) Every person in charge of any hospital or prison or of any public, charitable, religious or educational institution; and

(b) every keeper, secretary or manager of any hotel, lodging-house, club, restaurant or eating-house shall, whenever required to do so by the Food Controller or any officer authorised in writing in that behalf, furnish, on such form as may be provided by the Food Controller or such officer for the purpose, a return, specifying the number of persons who are inmates or who are usually resident, in such hospital, prison, institution, hotel, lodging-house, club, restaurant or eating-house and the name, sex, age, race and occupation of every such person together with all such particulars (including particulars as to any food produced, purchased, distributed or consumed by any such person) as may be required to be set out in such form.

4. (1) It shall be the duty of the owner or cultivator of every land which is cultivated with paddy during any season to furnish to the proper authority, whenever required to do so by him, on such return as may be provided for the purpose, the following information:—

- (a) the date on which it is proposed to reap the harvest on that land;
- (b) the name, situation and extent of the land;
- (c) the names and addresses of the person or persons entitled to take or receive any part of the produce of the land, under any contract or agreement or otherwise; and
- (d) the share or shares of the produce to which such person or persons may be entitled.

(2) The proper authority shall have the power—

- (a) to enter and inspect any land which is cultivated with paddy or any threshing floor on which the harvest is stacked;
- (b) to do all such things as may be necessary to assess the quantity of paddy that is likely to be produced on that land or threshed on such threshing floor;
- (c) to enter and inspect any barn or other place where paddy is or is suspected to be stored and to assess the quantity of any stock of paddy found therein; and
- (d) to require any person present at the time of such inspection or assessment to furnish information as to the names and addresses of the persons who are known to be entitled to shares in such paddy and the respective shares claimed by such persons.

(3) In this regulation, "proper authority" means the Government Agent of the province or the Assistant Government Agent of the district in which the paddy land, threshing floor, barn or place referred to in the preceding provisions of this regulation is situated or the Food Controller or any officer authorised in writing in that behalf by the Food Controller.

5. Every person occupying any premises shall allow the Food Controller or any officer authorised in writing in that behalf such access thereto as the Food Controller or such officer may require for the purposes of these regulations and, as having regard to the customs of the country, may be reasonable; and shall allow such officer to paint, mark or affix on such premises such letters or marks as the Food Controller or such officer may deem necessary for the purpose of facilitating the collection of particulars under these regulations.

6. (1) For testing the accuracy of any return furnished under these regulations, or for collecting information necessary for the purposes of these regulations, the Food Controller, or any officer authorised in writing by him—

- (a) may question any person; and
- (b) examine any article, book, account or document in his possession.

(2) Every person of whom a question is asked under the preceding paragraph shall answer such question to the best of his knowledge.

7. (1) Every return required under these regulations shall be furnished before such date as may be specified for the purpose in the form on which the return is made or in any notice requiring the return to be furnished and shall be delivered or transmitted to the Food Controller or to any officer authorised in that behalf by him in accordance with such directions as may be contained in that form or notice or as may be given in that behalf by the Food Controller or such officer.

(2) Every return furnished under these regulations shall be verified by a declaration, signed by the person furnishing the return to the effect that the particulars set out in the return are, to the best of his knowledge and belief true and accurate.

*B—Effect of Orders prohibiting or regulating Transport or Removal*

1. (1) Where an Order is in operation prohibiting the transport or removal of any cattle, food or article of food to or from any place or area, or directing that the transport or removal of any cattle, food or article of food from any place or area shall be subject to regulation by the Food Controller, the Food Controller may by notice under his hand require any person who has any such supplies in his possession, to deliver such quantity of such supplies as may be specified in the notice—

- (a) to the Food Controller or to any Deputy Food Controller or to any other person on behalf of the Controller or Deputy Food Controller; or
- (b) upon payment of the purchase price for such quantity, to any other person named in the notice.

(2) Where any person fails to comply with any notice issued under paragraph (1), the Food Controller, or any person authorised in writing under the hand of

the Food Controller, may seize and remove from the possession of that person, the quantity of supplies in respect of which the notice was issued.

2. (1) Where the Food Controller, or a peace officer, or any person authorised thereto in writing by the Food Controller has reason to suspect that any cattle, food or article of food, is being transported or removed in any vehicle or vessel in contravention of any Order for the time being in operation, he may—

- (a) give such orders, directions or signals or use such devices or take such other measures as may be necessary to stop the vehicle or vessel or to cause it to be halted; and
- (b) inspect and search the vehicle or vessel.

(2) Where the Food Controller has reason to suspect that any road or waterway is being used for the transport of any cattle, food or article of food in contravention of any Order for the time being in operation, he may erect across the road or waterway or any part thereof a barrier or barriers of such nature and description as to him may seem necessary for the purpose of stopping vehicles or vessels using such road or waterway or causing such vehicles or vessels to be halted.

(3) Where any barrier has been erected under paragraph (2) across any road or waterway or any part thereof, the Food Controller or a peace officer or any person authorised thereto in writing by the Food Controller may—

- (a) give such orders, directions or signals as may be necessary to cause any vehicle or vessel using such road or waterway to stop or to be halted at such barrier; and
- (b) inspect and search every vehicle or vessel stopped or halted at such barrier, for the purpose of ascertaining whether any cattle, food or article of food is being transported or removed in such vehicle or vessel in contravention of any Order for the time being in operation.

(4) Where any order, direction or signal is given under any of the preceding provisions of this regulation for the purpose of stopping any vehicle or vessel, the driver or other person for the time being in charge of such vehicle or vessel shall forthwith stop the vehicle or vessel or cause it to be halted in accordance with such order, direction or signal.

3. Where the Food Controller or a peace officer has reason to suspect that any cattle, food or article of food has been transported or removed to any place or premises in contravention of any Order for the time being in operation, the Food Controller or any peace officer or any other person authorised thereto in writing by the Food Controller may enter, inspect and search such place or premises

4. Any food or article of food which is being or has been transported or removed in contravention of any Order for the time being in operation may be seized by the Food Controller or by any peace officer, or any other person acting under the written authority of the Controller and removed to such place as the Controller may determine; and where such food or article of food is found in any vehicle, the Food Controller or such peace officer, or person acting under the written authority of the Controller may require the vehicle to be driven to the place to which the food or article of food is to be removed.

#### *C.—Effect of Orders regulating Importation into the Island*

1. Where an Order is in operation directing that any cattle, food or article of food shall not be imported into Ceylon, except under and in accordance with import licences issued by the Food Controller, regulations 2 to 11 hereunder shall have effect.

2. (1) Every application for an import licence shall be made to the Food Controller substantially in the Form I, in the Schedule hereto and shall set out the particulars required to be furnished in that form.

(2) Every import licence shall be substantially in the Form II, in the Schedule hereto.

(3) The Food Controller may refuse to issue an import licence to any person.

3. (1) The Food Controller shall specify in every import licence the minimum quantity of any cattle, food or article of food which shall, during a period to be specified in the licence, be imported by the holder thereof; and it shall be the duty of the holder to import into Ceylon during that period a quantity which shall not be less than the minimum quantity so specified:

Provided that no person shall be deemed to have contravened the provisions of this regulation if it is proved that the failure to import such minimum quantity was not due to any act, omission or default on the part of such person.

(2) The holder of an import licence shall not transfer the licence to any other person.

4. The holder of an import licence shall whenever he enters into any agreement or arrangement for the importation into Ceylon of any such cattle, food or article of food cause an entry to be made, in a register kept for the purpose, of the quantity of such cattle, food or article of food which will be imported in pursuance of the agreement or arrangement, and of the date or dates, or probable date or dates, on which that quantity will be imported into Ceylon

Every register kept under this regulation shall be produced for inspection on demand made by the Food Controller or by any person authorised by him.

5. The holder of an import licence shall not remove or cause or permit the removal of any cattle, food or article of food, as the case may be, imported under the licence, from the Customs premises except in accordance with such directions as may be issued by the Food Controller in regard to the manner in which and the places to which, such cattle, food or article of food, as the case may be, shall be so removed.

6. The holder of an import licence shall not sell or deliver for any purpose, whether for that of sale or otherwise, any such cattle, food or article of food—

- (a) to any person who is not the holder of a permit issued by the Food Controller under regulation 9; or
- (b) in any quantity exceeding that specified in such permit:

Provided, however, that nothing in this regulation shall apply in the case of any sale or delivery to the Food Controller, or to any other person at the direction of the Food Controller.

7. The holder of an import licence authorising the importation of any cattle, food or article of food shall—

- (a) comply with every order issued in writing under the hand of the Food Controller and shall, whenever required to do so by any such order, sell or deliver to the Food Controller, or sell to any other specified person such quantity as may be specified in the order of any such cattle, food or article of food, as the case may be;
- (b) enter or cause to be entered in a register kept in such manner as the Food Controller may direct, the following particulars in respect of every sale or delivery made by him of any such cattle, food or article of food:—
  - (i) date of sale or delivery;
  - (ii) quantity sold or delivered;
  - (iii) name of person to whom such quantity was sold or delivered;
  - (iv) the price paid or agreed to be paid in respect of such sale or delivery;

(c) permit the Food Controller or any person authorised by him to inspect on demand the register kept under paragraph (b).

8. No import licence shall be deemed to authorise the importation of any cattle, food or article of food in contravention of the provisions of any other written law relating to such importation.

9. (1) The Food Controller may from time to time, on application made by any merchant or other person, issue to such merchant or person permits in the Form III, in the Schedule hereto authorising the purchase from

holders of import licences of such quantities, as may be specified in such permits, of any such cattle, food or article of food, as the case may be

(2) The holder of every permit issued under paragraph (1) shall comply with all such directions as the Food Controller may issue in regard to the purchase of cattle, food or articles of food under the permit and the disposal thereof after such purchase.

10 Where the Food Controller is satisfied that the holder of an import licence has committed a breach of any condition lawfully inserted in the licence, he may cancel that licence.

11. Any person aggrieved by the refusal of the Food Controller to grant an import licence or by the cancellation of any import licence may appeal to the Minister against such refusal or cancellation; and the decision of the Minister upon any such appeal shall be final and conclusive.

#### SCHEDULE

##### FORM I

##### Food Control

##### Application for Import Licence

I/We \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby request that I/We may be granted licence to import \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_.

The minimum quantity of \_\_\_\_\_ which I/We propose to import under the licence is \_\_\_\_\_.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

##### FORM II

##### Food Control

##### Import Licence

Messrs./Mr \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ are/is authorised to import into Ceylon.

Minimum quantity to be imported under this licence during the period from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Food Controller.

##### FORM III

##### Food Control

##### Permit

Messrs./Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ are/is authorised to purchase from an importer on or before \_\_\_\_\_ the following:—

Nature of Foodstuff	Quantity	Weight

Food Controller.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Food Controller

The quantity above mentioned has been duly sold to Messrs./Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Importer.

*Note.*—The permit must be returned to the Food Controller within one week from the date of sale.

#### D.—Effect of Orders assuming Control of Granaries, &c

1. Where an Order is in operation assuming control of any granary, warehouse or store, such granary, warehouse or store and all cattle, food and articles of food kept or found therein shall be under the control of the Food Controller, and no person shall enter such granary, warehouse or store except with the consent of the Food Controller or of some officer or person authorised by the Food Controller to give such consent; and neither the owner or person entitled to the possession of any such cattle, food or articles of food, nor any other person, shall remove any such cattle, food or articles of food from such granary, warehouse or store, as the case may be, except under a permit substantially in the Form set out in the Schedule hereto.

2. Every permit issued under regulation 1 shall be surrendered to an officer authorised for the purpose by the Food Controller, when the cattle, food or articles of food, in respect of which the permit is issued, is or are removed under the permit

#### SCHEDULE

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Food Control Regulations, 1950  
Outward Permit

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Pass\*

by rail/cart/lorry

Order No. \_\_\_\_\_

Deputy Food Controller.

\* Specify quantity and description of cattle, food or article of food.

#### E—Effect of Orders for Allocation and Rationing of Supplies

##### PART I

##### Requisition of Supplies

1. Where an Order for the allocation of supplies of any food or article of food to distributors or merchants is in operation, the Food Controller may for the purpose of giving effect to the Order, by notice under his hand require any person who has any such supplies in his possession, to deliver such quantity of such supplies as may be specified in the notice—

- to the Food Controller or to any Deputy Food Controller or to any other person on behalf of the Controller or Deputy Controller; or
- upon payment of the purchase price for such quantity, to any other person named in the notice.

2. Where any person fails to comply with any notice issued under regulation 1, the Food Controller or any person authorised in writing under the hand of the Controller, may seize and remove from the possession of that person, the quantity of supplies in respect of which the notice was issued.

3. Where an Order is in operation for the allocation of supplies of any cattle, food or article of food, the officer in charge of any railway station or goods shed at which any quantity of such supplies arrives after transport by rail—

- shall forthwith inform the Deputy Food Controller, for the district or area in which that station or goods shed is situated, of the quantity of such supplies which have arrived and of the name of the consignee of the supplies; and
- shall not cause or permit the whole or any part of that quantity to be removed from the station or goods shed except in compliance with any order which may be issued in that behalf by the Deputy Food Controller, or upon production of a permit from the Deputy Food Controller authorising such removal.

##### PART II

##### Estate Supplies\*

1. Where an Order is in operation directing the Food Controller to allocate supplies of any food or article of food to distributors or merchants and to organize and administer a system of rationing such supplies, the regulations in this Part, together with any other regulation applicable to the distribution of supplies in estates, shall have effect for the purposes of the allocation and rationing of such supplies in estates.

2. The superintendent of every estate shall, before the expiry of a period of seven days from the date of the publication of the Order in the *Gazette*, furnish to the Deputy Food Controller a return showing—

- the quantity of such food or article of food in his possession or under his control on the date when the return is made; and
- the number of persons resident on the estate on the date when the return is made.

3. (1) The superintendent of any estate shall not purchase or otherwise obtain possession of any such food or article of food except under the authority of a ration card issued under this Part, or in any quantity exceeding that specified in the ration card.

Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall be deemed to apply in the case of any produce grown on the estate.

(2) Every ration card issued by the Deputy Food Controller shall specify the quantity of such food or articles of food authorised to be purchased thereon.

(3) The Deputy Food Controller may limit the period of validity of any ration card issued by him under this regulation.

(4) Where a ration card is issued to any superintendent under this regulation authorising the purchase of any quantity of any food or article of food, the Deputy Food Controller shall by order direct any merchant or person to sell such quantity upon production of the ration card; and such merchant or person shall comply with such order.

4. The superintendent of every estate shall maintain a list specifying the number of persons resident on that estate and the name, age, and occupation of every such person and shall, whenever required to do so by the Food Controller, or any person authorised by him, produce such list for inspection.

5. (1) The superintendent of every estate shall be the distributor of such supplies to all persons resident on that estate and shall sell or issue such supplies to such persons in accordance with the provisions of this Part.

(2) No superintendent shall sell or issue any supplies obtained in accordance with the provisions of regulation 3 to any person who is not resident on that estate or who is under the age of one year.

6. No person who is a resident of any estate shall purchase or obtain possession of any such supplies otherwise than from the superintendent of that estate.

7. The Food Controller may by notice published in the *Gazette* declare the weekly ration of any such food or article of food which may be sold or issued, by way of sale or otherwise to persons who have attained the age of one year and are resident on estates, and may by such notice declare different rations in respect of different classes of persons, and no Superintendent shall during any week sell or issue to any person resident on the estate any quantity, in excess or less than the quantity declared as aforesaid to be the weekly ration of any such food or article of food obtained under regulation 3.

8. (1) Every superintendent shall on or before the fifth day of each month furnish to the Deputy Food Controller a return in such form as may be provided by him for the purpose containing the following particulars:—

- (a) the quantity of any food or article of food in his possession or under his control on the last day of the preceding month;
- (b) the quantity of such food or article of food in the possession of persons resident on the estate;
- (c) the quantity of such food or article of food purchased by him during the preceding month;
- (d) the quantity of such food or article of food sold or issued during the preceding month to persons resident on the estate;
- (e) the number of men, women, and children over one year of age, respectively, to whom such food or article of food has been sold or issued during the preceding month; and
- (f) the number of persons resident on the estate on the last day of the preceding month.

(2) The superintendent of every estate shall, whenever called upon to do so by the Deputy Food Controller furnish to him such other information as may be required relating to the persons resident on the estate and to the food supplies available for the estate.

9. The Food Controller or any officer acting under the written authority of the Food Controller may at any time enter any estate and may make such inquiries or inspections as may be necessary for the purpose of verifying any particulars in any return furnished under this Part in respect of that estate.

10. (1) A Deputy Food Controller or any officer acting under his written authority shall be permitted at all reasonable times by the superintendent of an estate to take stock of supplies of any food or article of food on the estate which has been sold to the superintendent for purposes of distribution under these regulations.

(2) If at any stock-taking under paragraph (1), there is found to be a deficiency in supplies which cannot be accounted for by reference to the supplies in the custody of the superintendent of the estate and valid ration cards and similar documents in his possession, a Deputy Food Controller may request the superintendent to pay for such deficiency as compensation the market value at the time of stock-taking of the supplies that cannot be accounted for less the amount payable by the superintendent for such supplies if he purchases the supplies at the said time from the merchant or other person directed by the Deputy Food Controller to sell such supplies to the superintendent; and every superintendent so requested shall pay the aforesaid compensation to the Deputy Food Controller.

\* See regulation 9 in Part V under this Head.

### PART III

#### *Supplies and distribution in places other than Estates*

1. Where an Order is in operation directing the Food Controller to allocate supplies of any food or article of food to distributors or merchants and to organize and administer a system of rationing such supplies, the regulations in this Part shall have effect for the purpose of the allocation and rationing of such supplies to persons resident in all places other than estates to which the regulations in Part II apply.

2. In this Part—

“importer” means a merchant or other fit and proper person authorised by the Deputy Food Controller under regulation 5 to be a distributor of supplies of any controlled commodity to authorised distributors, depots or wholesale dealers; and

“period of control” means the period during which an Order is in force for the allocation and rationing of supplies of any food or article of food.

3. The Deputy Food Controller for any district or area may establish such number of supply stations as he may consider necessary in order that supplies of any controlled commodity may be distributed in accordance with these regulations for the purpose of sale to the inhabitants of that district or area.

4. (1) The Food Controller may from time to time by notice published in the *Gazette* declare the weekly ration in respect of any urban area or non-urban area in which rationing is in force of any controlled commodity which may be sold for consumption by an individual over one year of age during the period of control and may by such notice declare different rations in respect of different classes of persons.

(2) As soon as possible after an order referred to in regulation 1 has been made, the Deputy Food Controller for any district or area shall, where a system of rationing supplies by coupons has been introduced in such district or area, save as otherwise provided in regulations 6 and 7, issue a ration book or cause a ration book to be issued to every inhabitant of that district or area who has attained the age of one year, in order to enable such inhabitants to procure supplies of a controlled commodity during the period of control:

Provided, however, that where the Deputy Food Controller is satisfied that a sufficient quantity of food will be available for consumption by any inhabitant and that it is not necessary to issue a ration book to him, the Deputy Food Controller may refuse to issue a ration book to that inhabitant.

Provided further, that where the Deputy Food Controller is satisfied at any time after the issue of a ration book to any inhabitant that such inhabitant has in his possession a sufficient quantity of food for his consumption, the Deputy Food Controller may demand the surrender of any ration book issued to such inhabitant.



(3) Every ration book issued under this regulation in respect of any controlled commodity shall contain coupons upon the surrender of which supplies of the commodity may be purchased or obtained in accordance with these regulations. Every such coupon shall bear a number specifying the week, and an indication of the area, for which the coupon will be valid.

(4) It shall be the duty of the Deputy Food Controller for each district or area to issue or cause to be issued a document (hereinafter referred to as a "token ration book") to each person, being an inhabitant of that district or area—

- (a) to whom he has refused to issue a ration book under paragraph 2 of this regulation; or
- (b) by whom a rice ration book has been surrendered under any of these regulations.

Provided, however, that nothing in the preceding provisions of this regulation shall require or be deemed or construed to require a Deputy Food Controller to issue a token ration book to any person who is a member of His Majesty's Military, Naval or Air Forces.

(5) Every person who issues any ration book under this Part shall specify therein the name of the inhabitant to whom the book is issued, and shall enter in the book such other particulars as the Controller may direct.

(6) Where the Food Controller is satisfied that a scheme of rationing any controlled commodity by means of ration books can be administered in any district or area he shall, by notification published in the *Gazette*, declare that on such date as may be specified in the notification, the scheme of rationing that controlled commodity by means of ration books shall come into force in that district or area.

(7) Until a scheme of rationing any controlled commodity by means of ration books is brought into force in any district or area by notification published under paragraph (6), the Deputy Food Controller for that district or area may ration such controlled commodity by any other means and, during such period of rationing by such other means, no authorised distributor of supplies of that commodity or person in charge of a depot in that district or area shall—

- (a) sell or deliver to any person any quantity of that commodity in excess of the ration declared under paragraph (1); or
- (b) sell or deliver any quantity of that commodity to any person other than a person to whom he is authorised to sell or deliver that commodity by the Deputy Food Controller; or
- (c) without lawful excuse refuse to sell to a person referred to in clause (b) any quantity of that commodity which that person is entitled to purchase from such distributor or person in charge of a depot if the purchase price for that quantity is tendered by that person.

(8) The provisions of these regulations relating to the matters under-mentioned and the provisions of any other written law relating to those matters shall, mutatis mutandis, apply in the case of token ration books as they apply in the case of ration books:—

- (a) the action to be taken with regard to the ration books of persons who are inmates of or who enter any prison, hospital or other institution;
- (b) the action to be taken upon the change of residence by the holder of a ration book;
- (c) the issue by a Deputy Food Controller of new ration books in special cases;
- (d) the action to be taken with regard to the surrender of ration books on leaving the Island or in the case of death; and
- (e) the duties and prohibitions affecting the holders of ration books.

5. (1) The Deputy Food Controller for any district or area may, in order that supplies of any controlled commodity be made available for sale, in accordance with these regulations, to the inhabitants of that district or area—

- (a) establish such number of depots as he may consider necessary;

(b) authorise a sufficient number of persons to be authorised distributors and may specify in the case of each such distributor the supply station from which, and the name of the wholesale dealer or importer, as the case may be, from whom such supplies may be obtained by that distributor;

(c) authorise such number of wholesale dealers as he may consider expedient to sell supplies of any controlled commodity to specified authorised distributors or persons in charge of depots;

(d) require wholesale dealers and authorised distributors to notify to him the places at which their stocks of any controlled commodity will be kept, and where a person is both a wholesale dealer and an authorised distributor require such person to keep his stock of any controlled commodity as a wholesale dealer and as an authorised distributor in separate places; and

(e) authorise such number of importers as he may consider expedient to sell supplies of any controlled commodity to specified authorised distributors, persons in charge of depots or wholesale dealers.

(2) The Deputy Food Controller for any district or area, in respect of which depots have been established or persons have been authorised to be distributors of supplies of any controlled commodity under paragraph (1) shall specify or cause to be specified in every ration book issued to every inhabitant of that district or area the address of the depot or the name of the authorised distributor from whom such supplies may be purchased by that inhabitant.

6 A Deputy Food Controller for any district or area may, at any time, in such exceptional circumstances as may be laid down in writing by the Food Controller, in lieu of a ration book or coupons, issue to any person a permit authorising him to take delivery, from an authorised distributor, a person in charge of a depot or a wholesale dealer, named in the permit, such quantity of any controlled commodity as may be specified therein for his own use.

7 (1) In the case of any prison, hospital or other institution at which meals are usually supplied to not less than ten persons, the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area in which such prison, hospital or institution is situated may, in lieu of issuing ration books under regulation 4 to those persons, issue from time to time to the person in charge of the institution a permit authorising that person or his authorised agent to take delivery from an authorised distributor, person in charge of a depot or wholesale dealer named in the permit of such quantity of any controlled commodity as may be specified therein. When ration books have already been issued to the inmates of such prison, hospital or institution, before entering such prison, hospital or institution, the person in charge shall collect and keep in his custody the ration books already issued.

(2) Any person who obtains supplies of any controlled commodity under a permit issued under paragraph (1) shall take such steps as may be necessary to ensure that every person to whom meals are usually supplied in the prison, hospital or institution, as the case may be, receives each week in the form of meals a quantity of the commodity equivalent to the ration declared under regulation 4 (1).

(3) Where any person who is the holder of a ration book is received into any such prison, hospital or institution and resides or is detained therein, he shall surrender the ration book to the person in charge thereof and such person shall—

- (a) where any quantity of the controlled commodity is supplied to such person remove from the book the coupon entitling that person to receive that quantity and deal with such coupon in such manner as the Food Controller may direct; and
- (b) return the ration book to that person when he leaves the prison, hospital or institution.

8 The Deputy Food Controller for any district or area in which a Hindu temple is situated may from time to time, upon application made by the manager of the

temple, issue to the manager a permit authorising him to take delivery from an authorised distributor, person in charge of a depot or wholesale dealer named in the permit of such quantity of any controlled commodity as may be specified therein, for use for religious purposes in the temple.

9. (1) The Deputy Food Controller for any district or area may from time to time sell or issue or cause to be issued to any authorised distributor, person in charge of a depot or wholesale dealer such quantities of supplies of any controlled commodity, in addition to the quantities delivered under any other regulation, as may be necessary for the purpose of enabling such distributor, person in charge of a depot or dealer to sell or deliver supplies to persons to whom permits have been issued under this Part.

(2) No permit shall be issued under this Part, unless the Deputy Food Controller is satisfied that the distributor or person in charge of a depot or dealer named in the permit will have in his possession a sufficient quantity of supplies to enable him to sell to the holder of the permit the quantity of supplies specified therein.

(3) Upon production to any distributor, person in charge of a depot or dealer of a permit issued under this Part authorising the holder thereof to take delivery of a specified quantity of supplies and upon payment of the purchase price therefor, such distributor, person in charge of a depot or dealer shall be bound to sell and deliver such specified quantity to the holder of the permit:

Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to prevent such distributor, or dealer from delivering any quantity not exceeding the quantity specified in the permit without requiring payment of the purchase price therefor.

(4) Any distributor, person in charge of a depot or dealer who sells or delivers any quantity of supplies of a controlled commodity upon production of a permit shall take possession of the permit and shall produce it on demand when required to do so by the Deputy Food Controller or by any person authorised by him for the purpose.

10. (1) No authorised distributor, person in charge of a depot, wholesale dealer or importer and no person employed by an authorised distributor, person in charge of a depot, wholesale dealer or importer to sell any controlled commodity shall—

- (a) sell or deliver any controlled commodity except in accordance with these regulations,
- (b) sell any controlled commodity at a price exceeding the maximum price fixed for that commodity under the Control of Prices Act No. 29 of 1950;
- (c) without lawful cause refuse to sell to any person any quantity of any controlled commodity which that person is entitled under these regulations to purchase from such distributor, person in charge of a depot, wholesale dealer or importer, if the purchase price for that quantity is tendered by that person and if that person surrenders a valid permit, order or coupon, entitling him to purchase that quantity.

(2) No authorised distributor or wholesale dealer shall purchase or take delivery of any supplies of any controlled commodity, except in accordance with these regulations.

(3) No authorised distributor or person in charge of a depot shall, in any week, sell or deliver to any person, who is entitled under these regulations to take delivery of his ration from him, any quantity of any controlled commodity—

- (a) in excess of the ration declared under regulation 4 (1);
- (b) except upon surrender of a coupon which is valid for that week and which is removed from the ration book by or in the presence of the distributor or person in charge of the depot, or upon the surrender of a valid permit to him.

(4) No wholesale dealer shall sell or deliver under these regulations to any authorised distributor any quantity

of supplies of any controlled commodity exceeding the quantity represented by the permits, orders or coupons, as the case may be, surrendered to him by such distributor.

(5) No importer shall sell or deliver under these regulations to any authorised distributor or wholesale dealer any quantity of supplies of any controlled commodity exceeding the quantity represented by the permits, orders or coupons, as the case may be, surrendered to him by such distributor or wholesale dealer.

(6) Every authorised distributor, wholesale dealer or importer, shall keep such books or registers and make such entries therein as the Food Controller may require and shall forthwith produce such books or registers for inspection on demand made by the Food Controller or by any person authorised by him for the purpose.

(7) Every authorised distributor, wholesale dealer or importer shall comply with all such directions as may be issued by the Food Controller for the purpose of carrying out effectively the provisions of the Act, and the regulations framed thereunder and securing that supplies of any controlled commodity are distributed in accordance with those provisions.

(8) No authorised distributor shall keep in his business premises the ration book of any person other than himself or a member of his household.

(9) No authorised distributor, wholesale dealer or importer shall take or accept any coupon or permit from any person who does not buy or take delivery of the quantity of the controlled commodity represented by such coupon or permit.

(10) No authorised distributor or wholesale dealer shall change the place at which his stock of any controlled commodity is kept, without the prior approval of the Deputy Food Controller.

(11) Where an authorised distributor or a wholesale dealer of a controlled commodity ceases to act as such for the purpose of these regulations, by reason of the revocation of his authorisation, cessation of business, death or otherwise, he or in the case of death the person having custody of the supplies of such commodity, shall surrender to the Deputy Food Controller all supplies of such commodity delivered for the purposes of distribution and in his possession as well as all valid coupons, permits and other similar documents obtained in the course of the distribution of such supplies and in his custody.

(12) On surrender to the Deputy Food Controller of any supplies of a controlled commodity under paragraph (1), he shall pay, to the authorised distributor or wholesale dealer or in the case of death to the person having custody of such supplies, the amount payable for such supplies by the distributor or wholesale dealer if he purchases the supplies at the time of surrender from the person directed by the Deputy Food Controller to sell such supplies to such distributor or wholesale dealer.

(13) If, after the supplies and documents referred to in the preceding provisions of this regulation have been surrendered, there is a deficiency in the supplies which cannot be accounted for by the authorised distributor, wholesale dealer or person in custody of the supplies, as the case may be, such distributor, dealer or person shall pay for such deficiency as compensation the market value at the time of surrender of the supplies that cannot be accounted for, less the amount payable for such supplies by the distributor or dealer if he purchases the supplies at the said time from the person directed by the Deputy Food Controller to sell the supplies to such distributor or dealer.

11. (1) Where any person who has been resident in any district or area to which the provisions of an Order for the rationing of supplies of any controlled commodity have not been applied, commences to reside in a district or area to which the provisions of the Order apply, the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area in which the new place of residence is situated may refuse to issue a ration book to that person if he fails to produce a certificate of identity signed by a Justice of the Peace, a Chief Headman or a Minor Headman.

(2) Where the holder of a ration book changes his place of residence and desires to purchase supplies of a controlled commodity from a distributor or person in charge of a depot other than the distributor or person in charge of a depot whose name is specified or entered in that ration book under these regulations, the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area in which the new place of residence is situated may, if he thinks fit and upon surrender of the ration book issue to that person a ration book entitling him to purchase or obtain such supplies from a new authorised distributor or person in charge of a depot specified in the book; and the Deputy Food Controller shall in every such case direct such new distributor or person in charge of a depot to sell supplies of the commodity to that person in accordance with these regulations.

12. (1) If a depot established by the Deputy Food Controller for any district or area is closed down or if the authority granted to any authorised distributor is revoked under section 8 of the Act, or if he is satisfied that any authorised distributor has ceased to carry on business as a dealer in any controlled commodity or if the Deputy Food Controller wishes to change the authorised distributor from whom or the depot from which an inhabitant of the district or area obtains his supplies, the Deputy Food Controller may require the holders of ration books in which the address of that depot or the name of that authorised distributor has been specified or entered under these regulations to surrender the ration books, and may issue to every such holder a new ration book entitling him to purchase or obtain such supplies from a new depot or authorised distributor specified in the book; and the Deputy Food Controller shall in every such case direct such person in charge of the new depot or such new distributor to sell supplies of the commodity to the holder of the book in accordance with these regulations.

(2) Where the Deputy Food Controller for any district or area is satisfied that any ration book issued by him to any person has been lost or damaged, he may issue to that person a new ration book entitling him to purchase or obtain supplies of a controlled commodity. The Deputy Food Controller may in any such case call for such evidence as he may consider necessary in proof of such loss or damage.

13. The holder of a ration book—

- (a) shall not, except to make up the difference between a non-urban ration and an urban ration for the purchaser's household, purchase or take delivery of any quantity of such supplies from any person other than the authorised distributor or person in charge of a depot, as the case may be, whose name is specified or entered in the book;
- (b) shall, when he purchases or obtains any quantity of such supplies from an authorised distributor or person in charge of a depot, as the case may be, produce the ration book to the distributor or person in charge of a depot and permit him to remove from the book the coupon or coupons entitling the holder to purchase or obtain that quantity;
- (c) shall not purchase or obtain during any week any quantity of such supplies in excess of the weekly ration declared under regulation 4 (1);
- (d) shall not use any coupon for the purpose of purchasing or obtaining any supplies except during the week for which the coupon is valid;
- (e) shall not surrender any coupon to any authorised distributor, wholesale dealer or importer unless at the time of such surrender he buys or takes delivery of the quantity of the controlled commodity represented by such coupon;
- (f) shall, when called upon by the Food Controller or by any Deputy Food Controller or any other person duly authorised in that behalf, produce the ration book for inspection, and shall surrender the ration book if required to do so under regulation 12.

14. (1) No person shall make application for the issue in his name of more than one ration book, or be the holder of more than one ration book.

(2) No person shall have in his possession any ration book other than a ration book issued under these regulations to himself or to a member of the same household as himself:

Provided that nothing in the preceding provisions of this paragraph shall be deemed to prohibit the possession by the officer in charge of any prison, hospital or other institution to which regulation 7 in this Part applies. of any ration book collected by or surrendered to such officer under that regulation.

(3) No person shall have in his possession any coupon which has been removed from a ration book:

Provided that no person shall be deemed to be guilty of an offence by reason of the possession of any coupon so removed if he proves to the satisfaction of the court—

- (a) that he was an authorised distributor or person in charge of a depot, and that the coupon was delivered to him by or on behalf of the holder of a ration book in accordance with these regulations; or
- (b) that he was a wholesale dealer, and that the coupon had been surrendered to him by an authorised distributor in accordance with these regulations.

(4) No person shall sell or transfer any ration book or coupon to any other person.

(5) No person shall deliver or surrender any ration book to any other person:

Provided, however, that nothing in the preceding provisions of this paragraph shall be deemed to prohibit—

- (a) the delivery or surrender of any ration book in compliance with any requirement duly made under these regulations or any other written law; or
- (b) the delivery of any ration book by the holder thereof to any member of the same household as himself for the purpose of enabling supplies of any controlled commodity to be obtained for and on his behalf.

(6) No person shall deliver or surrender any coupon which has been removed from a ration book to any other person, unless such delivery or surrender is authorised by these regulations or is made in compliance with any requirement duly made under these regulations or any other written law.

(7) No person shall use any ration book which has not been issued to him under these regulations unless it was delivered to him by a member of the same household as himself for the purpose of enabling supplies of any controlled commodity to be obtained for and on behalf of such member.

(8) No person shall alter or deface any ration book or make any entry therein except in accordance with these regulations.

15. Where any person, other than an authorised distributor, person in charge of a depot, wholesale dealer or importer, has in his possession in any premises any quantity of any controlled commodity, he shall not sell or otherwise deliver possession of any part of such quantity except in accordance with these regulations and with such directions as may be issued to him by the Food Controller or by the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area in which such premises are situated.

16. (1) The Food Controller or any peace officer or any other person acting under the written authority of the Controller may enter any premises belonging to or in the occupation of any authorised distributor, retail trader, or wholesale dealer, or any other premises in which stocks of any controlled commodity are kept, or suspected to be kept and may carry out such inspection or examination, as may be necessary, of such premises and of any articles, books, accounts or documents kept therein for the purpose of ascertaining the quantity of any controlled commodity which is kept in those premises.

(2) The Food Controller or any peace officer or any other person acting under the written authority of the Controller may enter any dwelling-house suspected of containing ration books other than ration books issued under these regulations to the inmates of that house.



## PART IV

*Special provisions applicable to Dealers and Distributors, &c.*

1. During a period of rationing of any controlled commodity by any means other than by means of ration books—

- (a) every authorised distributor or person in charge of a depot shall, each week, on demand made by or on behalf of any inhabitant who has been assigned by the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area to that authorised distributor or depot for the purpose of obtaining supplies of that controlled commodity, and on payment of the purchase price, sell and deliver such quantity of the commodity, not exceeding the weekly ration declared under regulation 4 (1), as such inhabitant may require:

Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall be deemed to prevent an authorised distributor from delivering such quantity without requiring payment of the purchase price therefor;

- (b) every authorised distributor who has been informed under regulation 5 (1) that supplies of any controlled commodity may be obtained by him from a supply station or an importer shall, when he desires to obtain such supplies, make application in that behalf to the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area or any person authorised by him; and the Deputy Food Controller or person authorised by him may, upon payment to him of the purchase price, issue to that distributor an order addressed to the officer in charge of a supply station or to an importer directing that officer or importer, as the case may be, to deliver to the distributor such quantity of such supplies as may be specified in the order;

- (c) every authorised distributor who has been informed under regulation 5 (1) that supplies of any controlled commodity may be obtained by him from a specified wholesale dealer shall, when he desires to obtain such supplies, make application in that behalf to the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area or any person authorised by him; and the Deputy Food Controller or person authorised by him may issue to the distributor an order addressed to the wholesale dealer specified directing the wholesale dealer, on payment to him of the purchase price, to deliver to the distributor such quantity of such supplies as may be specified in the order;

- (d) (i) every wholesale dealer shall, on production of an order referred to in paragraph (c) addressed to him, and on payment being made to him of the purchase price, deliver to the authorised distributor such quantity of the controlled commodity as is specified in the order.

Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall be deemed to prevent a wholesale dealer from delivering such quantity without requiring payment of the purchase price therefor;

- (ii) every importer shall, on production of an order referred to in paragraph (b) addressed to him, deliver to the authorised distributor such quantity of the controlled commodity as is specified in the order;
- (e) every wholesale dealer shall, when he desires to obtain supplies of a controlled commodity, make application in that behalf to the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area or any person authorised by him; and the Deputy Food Controller or person authorised by him may, upon delivery of orders referred to in paragraph (c) and upon payment of the purchase price, issue to the wholesale dealer an order addressed to the officer in charge of a supply station or to an importer directing that officer or importer, as the case may be, to deliver to the wholesale dealer such quantity of such supplies as may be specified in the order;

- (f) every importer shall, on production of an order referred to in paragraph (e) addressed to him, deliver to the wholesale dealer such quantity of the controlled commodity as is specified in the order.

2. During a period of rationing of any controlled commodity by means of ration books—

- (a) every authorised distributor shall, when the ration book is first produced to him by the holder thereof, affix his signature in the space provided for the purpose in the cover of the ration book;

- (b) every authorised distributor or person in charge of a depot shall, each week, on demand made by or on behalf of the holder of a ration book which entitles the holder to purchase any controlled commodity from that distributor or person in charge of a depot and on payment of the purchase price, sell and deliver such quantity of the commodity, not exceeding the weekly ration declared under regulation 4 (1) as the holder may require:

Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall be deemed to prevent an authorised distributor from delivering such quantity without requiring payment of the purchase price therefor;

- (c) every authorised distributor or person in charge of a depot shall, upon the sale of any quantity of any controlled commodity to the holder of a ration book or to any person on behalf of such holder, remove or cause to be removed from that book the coupon entitling the holder to purchase that quantity and no distributor or person in charge of a depot shall deliver any quantity of such commodity unless the coupon is removed from the ration book in his presence;

- (d) every authorised distributor who has been informed under regulation 5 (1) that supplies of any controlled commodity may be obtained by him from a supply station or an importer shall, when he desires to obtain such supplies, make application in that behalf to the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area or any person authorised by him; and the Deputy Food Controller or person authorised by him may, upon delivery of ration cards, permits and coupons received by the distributor under any regulation specified under Head E and upon payment to him of the purchase price, issue to the distributor an order addressed to the officer in charge of a supply station or to an importer directing that officer or importer, as the case may be, to deliver to the distributor such quantity of such supplies as may be specified in the order;

- (e) every authorised distributor who has been informed under regulation 5 (1) that supplies of any controlled commodity may be obtained by him from a specified wholesale dealer shall, when he desires to obtain supplies, surrender to the wholesale dealer ration cards, permits and coupons received by the distributor under any regulation specified under the said Head and representing the quantity of such supplies which he requires;

- (f) (i) every wholesale dealer shall, on surrender of the ration cards, permits and coupons referred to in paragraph (e) and on payment to him of the purchase price, sell and deliver the quantity of supplies represented by those ration cards, permits and coupons to the distributor:

Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to prevent a wholesale dealer from delivering such quantity without requiring payment of the purchase price therefor;

- (ii) every importer shall on production of an order referred to in paragraph (d), deliver the quantity of such supplies specified in the order to the distributor;

- (g) every wholesale dealer shall, when he desires to obtain supplies of a controlled commodity,

make application in that behalf to the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area or any person authorised by him; and the Deputy Food Controller or person authorised by him may, upon delivery of ration cards, permits and coupons and upon payment of the purchase price, issue to the wholesale dealer an order addressed to the officer in charge of a supply station or to an importer directing that officer or importer, as the case may be, to deliver to the wholesale dealer such quantity of such supplies as may be specified in the order;

(h) every importer shall, on production of an order referred to in paragraph (g), deliver to the wholesale dealer such quantity of the controlled commodity as is specified in the order.

3. Every wholesale dealer or authorised distributor dealing in any controlled commodity shall exhibit prominently on a notice board kept for the purpose in his premises a notice substantially in the Form A set out in the Schedule hereto.

4. No wholesale dealer or authorised distributor shall accept defaced, damaged or forged coupons or ration books.

5. No wholesale dealer shall issue any controlled commodity to any authorised distributor, unless such distributor produces each week the stock register, referred to in regulation 12 of this Part and showing the quantity of such commodity in his possession. The wholesale dealer shall sign and date such register whenever he makes the weekly issue.

6. Every wholesale dealer shall, whenever he sells any controlled commodity, issue a receipt giving the following particulars:—

- (a) the name of the person to whom the commodity is sold;
- (b) the date of sale;
- (c) the price charged;
- (d) the total quantity of the controlled commodity sold, and in case such commodity is rice, the quantity and variety sold;
- (e) if the sale was authorised by permit, the number of the permit and the designation of the authority issuing the permit.

7. No wholesale dealer or authorised distributor appointed to distribute rice to any person in any week shall distribute rice of any variety other than the variety supplied to him for purposes of distribution for that week.

8. Where a wholesale dealer has been provided with a quantity of rice of a certain variety to be kept as a reserve stock to meet an emergency, he shall not use that quantity or change such variety without the written permission of the Deputy Food Controller.

9. Where a wholesale dealer or authorised distributor has received any coupons or a permit or a ration card from any person and issued to such person the appropriate quantity of the controlled commodity, he shall not retain in his premises that quantity or any part thereof.

10. No wholesale dealer or authorised distributor shall, except with the written permission of the Deputy Food Controller, close his establishment—

- (a) in the case of any day other than Saturday or Sunday, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.;
- (b) in the case of Saturday, between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

11. Every authorised distributor shall furnish to the wholesale dealer when he surrenders coupons for the purpose of obtaining supplies a statement duly signed by him indicating the number of coupons which he is surrendering and the quantity of the controlled commodity in his possession at the time of surrender.

12. Every authorised distributor shall keep and maintain a Register of Issues and a Register of Stocks which registers shall be substantially in the Forms B and C in the Schedule hereto.

13. Every authorised distributor when he attends the store of his wholesale dealer each week for procuring supplies of any controlled commodity shall produce the Register of Stocks referred to in regulation 12, so that such dealer may know the quantity of the controlled commodity the distributor has in his possession and issue to him the difference between his weekly requirements and that quantity. Every such distributor shall get the dealer to sign and date the register as proof of having produced the register before the dealer.

14. As soon as may be after an authorised distributor learns of the departure from his own area or death, of a ration book holder to whom he has been supplying a controlled commodity, he shall inform the Deputy Food Controller.

15. (1) Where a ration book is produced before an authorised distributor for the first time, he shall examine it carefully and see that the holder has placed his signature or thumb mark in the space provided therein for the purpose and that the ration book bears his name as the authorised distributor. After satisfying himself on these matters, he shall detach the slip marked "B" and sign the ration book in the space left therein for his signature.

(2) No authorised distributor shall issue supplies of a controlled commodity to the holder of a ration book whose "B" slip he does not possess.

SCHEDULE

Form A

Regulation 3

Ration for the \_\_\_\_\_ week of rationing

	Controlled Commodity		
	Variety	Quantity in Measures	Price per Measure
Infant			
Child			
Ordinary			
Male Worker			

Form B

Food Control Register No. 1

Regulation 12

Authorised Distributor's Register of Issues to Consumers

(1) Authorised Distributor's Serial No.	(2) Ration Book No.	(3) Name of Holder	(4) Category	(5) Weeks of Rationing								
				1	2	3	4	...	50	51	52	

Note.—Column (1) will show numbers from 1 onwards in consecutive serial order. When a ration book is produced to you for the first time you should write on it your own number (starting from 1 onwards), enter this number on the corresponding "B" slip and enter the particulars in the other columns against the appropriate serial number. In column (5) an entry should be made every week from the 1st week of rationing against the particular ration book to show that the rations due on it have been issued.

## Form C

## Food Control Register No. 2

Regulation 12

## Stock Register

Date		Rice* (Measures)	
10.12.50	Actual balance (after verification of stocks)		72
11.12.50	Received from Wholesale Dealer		113
	Total		185
		Rice (Coupons)	Rice* (Measures)
17.12.50	Issues during 27th week (10th series)		
	Worker	30	45
	Ordinary	72	90
	Child	23	23
	Infant	12	9
		137	167
18.12.50	Balance		18

\* The figures appearing in this form are sample entries for the guidance of the authorised distributor.

## PART V

## Surrender of Coupons relating to Notified Commodities

1. (1) In this Part, unless the context otherwise requires—

- “notified commodity” has the meaning assigned to that term in regulation 2;
- “notified date”, in relation to any notified commodity, means the date on which the provisions of these regulations are applied to that commodity by notification under regulation 2;
- “proper authority” in relation to any person, means the Government Agent or the Assistant Government Agent of the area in which that person resides or the Food Controller or any officer authorised in writing in that behalf by the Food Controller; and
- “rationed commodity” means any article of food for the rationing of supplies of which any Order under the Act is in operation;

(2) For the purposes of this Part, a person on whose behalf or for whose use a quantity of any notified commodity is obtained by any other person shall be deemed to have obtained that quantity of that commodity.

2. The Minister may, by notification published in the *Gazette*, apply the provisions of these regulations to any rationed commodity specified in the notification. Every rationed commodity to which the provisions of these regulations are so applied is hereinafter referred to as a “notified commodity”.

3. Where—

- (a) a ration book containing coupons for any notified commodity for any period has been issued to any person; and
- (b) a quantity of that commodity (whether produced by that person or not) sufficient for his requirements for the whole or any part of that period is obtained by him after the notified date otherwise than upon the surrender of coupons from that ration book,

it shall be the duty of that person forthwith to produce that ration book before the proper authority and to surrender to the proper authority such number of coupons for that commodity as the proper authority may specify either orally or in writing.

4. Where—

- (a) a ration book containing coupons for any notified commodity for any period has been issued to any person; and
- (b) a quantity of that commodity sufficient for his requirements for the whole or any part of that period is obtained for him, after the notified date, by any other person otherwise than upon the surrender of coupons from that ration book;

it shall be the duty of the holder of that ration book or, where that book is in the possession of any other person, of that other person, forthwith to produce that ration book before the proper authority and to surrender to the proper authority such number of coupons for that commodity as the proper authority may specify either orally or in writing.

5. Any person who, by reason of his having obtained any quantity of any notified commodity otherwise than upon the surrender of coupons from any ration book issued to him or in his possession, is required by regulation 3 or regulation 4 to surrender from any such ration book any coupons for that commodity, may, in lieu of surrendering such coupons, surrender to the proper authority the quantity of that notified commodity which has been obtained by him as aforesaid. Every person who surrenders any quantity of any notified commodity in accordance with the provisions of this regulation shall be paid the value of that quantity, in money, at such rates as may be fixed by the proper authority.

6. The Minister may, by notification published in the *Gazette*, declare one or more rationed commodities to be substitutes for any notified commodity, and may, by the same or any subsequent notification, direct that every person who is required by regulation 3 or regulation 4 to surrender coupons for any notified commodity for any period from that ration book issued to him or in his possession shall surrender, in addition to those coupons, coupons for any such substitute commodity or commodities for that period from that ration book or any other ration book issued to him or in his possession; and it shall be the duty of every person to whom such notification applies to produce such ration book or books before the proper authority and to surrender to the proper authority such number of coupons or the substitute commodity or each of the substitute commodities as the proper authority may specify either orally or in writing.

7. Where a ration book containing coupons for any notified commodity has been issued to any person who does not ordinarily consume that commodity as part of his daily food, it shall be the duty of that person to produce such ration book before the proper authority and to surrender all such coupons to the proper authority.

8. (1) Where any person, who is required by the provisions of regulation 3 or regulation 4 or regulation 6 or regulation 7 to surrender any specified or ascertainable number of coupons from any ration book issued to him or in his possession, fails to surrender such coupons, the proper authority may by order direct such person to produce the ration book or books before the proper authority or any other officer specified in the order.

(2) Any order made by a proper authority under any of the preceding provisions of this regulation may be communicated to the person to whom the order relates either orally or in writing.

(3) It shall be the duty of every person, to whom an order made by a proper authority under any of the preceding provisions of this regulation is communicated, to comply forthwith with that order.

(4) Upon the production of any ration book or books in compliance with any order made under the preceding provisions of this regulation, the proper authority or other officer specified in the order may, after such inquiry as he may deem necessary, remove or cause to be removed from that book or books such number of coupons as he may deem reasonable in all the circumstances of the case.

9. Where any notified commodity is grown on<sup>a</sup> any estate, or on any other land for the purposes of such estate, the Deputy Food Controller shall—

- (a) in determining the quantity of such notified commodity which the superintendent of that estate should be authorised to purchase during any week under the authority of a ration card, or
- (b) where any rationed commodity has been declared under regulation 6 to be a substitute for such notified commodity, in determining the quantity of such substitute commodity which the superintendent of that estate should be authorised to purchase during any week under the authority of a ration card,

have regard to the quantity of the notified commodity so grown which becomes available during that week for consumption by persons resident on the estate; and may, in his discretion, refuse to issue to the superintendent a ration card for the notified commodity or for such substitute commodity as the case may be, for that week, if he is satisfied that the quantity of the notified commodity available as aforesaid is sufficient for the purpose of providing the weekly ration of the notified commodity to the persons resident on that estate during that week.

#### PART VI

##### *Surrender of Rice Ration Books on leaving the Island, &c.*

1. In this Part, "proper authority" means a Deputy or Assistant Food Controller or the Government Agent or Assistant Government Agent of a province, and includes an Assistant Government Agent of a district.

2. (1) Every person who proposes to leave Ceylon on or after the appointed date shall inform the Deputy or Assistant Food Controller for the area in which that person resides of his intention to leave Ceylon and shall at the same time furnish to such Deputy or Assistant Food Controller information as to whether that person is or is not the holder of a ration book.

(2) Every person to whom paragraph (1) applies shall, upon being requested so to do by a Deputy or Assistant Food Controller, and within such time as such Deputy or Assistant Food Controller may specify, furnish to such Deputy or Assistant Food Controller all such further information as that officer may require for the purposes of this Part.

3. Where a Deputy or Assistant Food Controller is satisfied, after such inquiry as he may deem necessary, that any person who has furnished information in accordance with regulation 2 is not the holder of a ration book, he shall issue to that person a certificate to the effect that such person is not the holder of a ration book.

4. (1) Where any person who has furnished information in accordance with regulation 2 surrenders every ration book of which he is the holder to any Deputy or Assistant Food Controller, that officer shall issue to such person a certificate to the effect that such person has surrendered the ration books held by him.

(2) Where the Food Controller, by reason of the exceptional circumstances of the case, decides to exempt any person from the requirements specified in this Part relating to the surrender of his ration book on leaving Ceylon, he may issue to such person a written authority, to be used by him for securing, in accordance with the provisions of this Part, his railway, steamship or aircraft ticket.

5. On and after the appointed date no ticket shall be issued under the Railways Ordinance to any person for a journey from any station in Ceylon *via* Talaimannar to any station in India for through bookings to which arrangements are in force under that Ordinance, unless that person surrenders to an officer authorised to issue such tickets for such a journey a certificate issued to that person under regulation 3 or a certificate or an authority issued under regulation 4.

6. On and after the appointed date, no ticket shall be issued to any person for the journey by sea from the port of Talaimannar to the port of Dhanushkodi in India (other than a ticket under the Railways Ordinance for a journey referred to in regulation 5) unless that person surrenders to an officer at Talaimannar having authority to issue tickets for that journey a certificate issued to that person under regulation 3 or a certificate or an authority issued under regulation 4.

7. No ticket for a journey, to be commenced on or after the appointed date, by sea or air to any place outside Ceylon from any port or air-port in Ceylon (other than a ticket for the journey by sea from the port of Talaimannar to the port of Dhanushkodi, referred to in regulation 6) shall be issued to any person by the owner or

agent of any vessel or aircraft unless that person surrenders to such owner or agent a certificate issued to that person under regulation 3 or a certificate or an authority issued under regulation 4.

8. Where application is made by any person to the owner or agent of any vessel or aircraft for a ticket for a journey to any place outside Ceylon from any port or air-port in Ceylon (other than the journey by sea from the port of Talaimannar to the port of Dhanushkodi, referred to in regulation 6) and no certificate under regulation 3 or a certificate or an authority issued under regulation 4 is surrendered by that person to such owner or agent, the owner or agent shall, if a contract for the carriage of that person on such vessel or aircraft is entered into by such owner or agent transmit the ticket to the Deputy or Assistant Food Controller for the area in which such port or air-port is situated; and such Deputy or Assistant Food Controller shall deliver such ticket to that person upon the surrender by that person of every ration book held by him.

9 It shall be the duty of—

- (a) each railway official in charge of a railway station at which any certificate issued under regulation 3 or a certificate or an authority issued under regulation 4 is surrendered, and
- (b) the owner or agent of each vessel or aircraft to whom such a certificate or authority is surrendered,

to enter on each such certificate or authority the number and class of the ticket issued upon the surrender of the certificate or authority and to transmit the certificate or authority, before the expiration of a period of ten days from the date of the surrender thereof, to the Deputy or Assistant Food Controller by whom the certificate or authority was issued

10. Any person to whom a certificate or an authority under regulation 4 has been issued may, in lieu of surrendering that certificate or authority under regulation 5 or regulation 6 or regulation 7, surrender it to the Deputy or Assistant Food Controller by whom it was issued; and upon such surrender such Deputy or Assistant Food Controller shall return to that person the ration book or ration books upon the surrender of which the certificate or authority was issued.

11. Nothing in the provisions of regulations 2 to 8 shall apply to any member of His Majesty's Military, Naval, or Air Forces or in the case of any ticket issued to or any journey performed by any member of such force.

12. (1) Within seven days of the death of the holder of a ration book—

- (a) the occupier of the house or premises or the person in charge of the prison, hospital or other institution, in which the death occurred, or
- (b) any person giving information of the death to a Registrar of Deaths,

shall, if such occupier or person is in possession of a ration book issued to the deceased, deliver such ration book to the proper authority of the Province, District or area in which the death occurred, or, if such occupier or person is not in possession of such ration book shall furnish to the proper authority all such information at his disposal as may be likely to facilitate the recovery of such ration book by the proper authority.

(2) Where any person, other than any of the persons mentioned in paragraph (1) of this regulation, is in possession of a ration book issued to a person who has died, he shall, within seven days of the death, deliver such ration book to the proper authority of the Province, District or area in which the death occurred or, if he resides in any other Province, District or area, to the proper authority of such other Province, District or area.

#### F.—General

1. (1) Where the Food Controller or any other duly authorised person seizes, or compulsorily takes possession

or obtains delivery of, any cattle, food or articles of food under the powers conferred by these regulations, the price to be paid for such cattle, food or articles of food shall—

- (a) be fixed by agreement between the Food Controller and the owner of such cattle, food or articles of food, or
- (b) in default of such agreement be determined by the Food Controller.

(2) In any case where the price is determined by the Food Controller under paragraph (1)—

- (a) the Food Controller shall communicate such determination to the owner in person or by notice sent by registered post and addressed to the owner at his place of residence or usual place of business; and
- (b) the owner may appeal against such determination in accordance with the provisions of regulation 2.

(3) Nothing in paragraphs (1) and (2) shall be deemed to prevent the Food Controller or other authorised person from seizing and removing any cattle, food or articles of food before payment is made therefor: Provided, however, that in any such case the Food Controller or other person seizing or taking possession of any cattle, food or articles of food shall forthwith deliver to the person in possession thereof a receipt describing the cattle, food or articles of food and specifying the quantity which is seized or of which possession is taken.

2 (1) For the purposes of these regulations there shall be established for every judicial district, that is to say, the area within the jurisdiction of a District Court, a Board of Assessors consisting of the District Judge of the district as chairman and of two other members to be nominated by the Minister:

Provided, however, that the Minister may in any case appoint one or more additional Boards for any specified area or areas in any such district; and every such additional Board shall consist of the District Judge of the district as chairman and of two other members to be nominated by the Minister.

(2) Every appeal against any determination by the Food Controller of the price to be paid for any cattle, food or articles of food shall be made to the Board of Assessors through the Deputy Food Controller for the district or area in which the seizure is made or possession is taken of such cattle, food or articles of food.

(3) Every appeal under paragraph (2) shall be preferred within ten days of the date on which the price determined by the Food Controller is communicated under regulation 1 (2) to the owner and shall bear stamps of the value equal to one-tenth of the amount in dispute.

In this paragraph "amount in dispute" means the difference between the amount payable according to the price determined by the Food Controller and the amount claimed by a person appealing against the determination of the Food Controller.

(4) The Board of Assessors may in the case of any appeal under this regulation make order dismissing the appeal or fixing the price to be paid for the cattle, food or articles of food in respect of which the appeal is preferred, and may in any case direct that the whole or any part of any sum paid by means of stamps for the appeal shall be refunded to the appellant.

(5) The decision of a Board of Assessors on any appeal under this regulation shall be final and conclusive.

3. Except in the exercise of the powers conferred or in the discharge of the duties imposed upon him by the Act or by these regulations, or for such purposes as may be determined by the Minister, no officer or person, appointed under the Act or employed in carrying out the provisions of the Act or of these regulations, shall disclose or publish any information, that may come to his knowledge in the exercise of such powers or in the discharge of such duties, to any person other than the person to whom such information relates or to his authorised representative.

4. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—

"Act" means the Food Control Act, No. 25 of 1950;

"authorised distributor" means a merchant or other fit and proper person authorised by the Deputy Food Controller under regulation 5 to be a distributor of supplies of any controlled commodity for specified areas, institutions or groups of people;

"controlled commodity" means any food or article of food for the allocation and rationing of supplies of which an Order under section 4 (1) (vi) of the Act is in force;

"estate" means any land of which ten or more acres are actually cultivated and on which no less than forty persons are usually resident, whether or not such persons are actually employed on the land in any capacity; and includes every estate as defined in section 3 of the Estate Labour Cap. 112. (Indian) Ordinance;

"holder" in relation to a ration book means a person to whom and in whose name a ration book is issued;

"householder" means the owner, lessee or principal occupant of a dwelling house;

"non-urban area" means any area other than an area which has been declared to be an urban area;

"non-urban ration" means the ration in force in a non-urban area;

"peace officer" shall have the same meaning as in the Cap. 16. Criminal Procedure Code;

"ration book" means a ration book issued under these regulations;

"superintendent" means a person in actual charge of an estate;

"urban area" means any area declared by notice published by the Food Controller in the *Gazette* to be an urban area for the purpose of rationing supplies of any controlled commodity; and

"wholesale dealer" means a merchant or other fit and proper person authorised by the Deputy Food Controller under regulation 5 of Part III of Head E to be a distributor of supplies of any controlled commodity to authorised distributors or depots.

5 The Food Control Regulations, 1938 (as subsequently amended) shall, with effect from the appointed date be rescinded.

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#### The Antiquities Ordinance

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 33 (1) of the Antiquities Ordinance, No. 9 of 1940, I, Senerat Paranavitana, Archaeological Commissioner, do hereby declare the area of Crown land specified in the Schedule hereto to be an archaeological reserve for the purposes of that Ordinance.

S. PARANAVITANA,  
Archaeological Commissioner.

Colombo, 4th December, 1950.

#### Schedule

An allotment of land, in extent 20A, 3R, 08P, situated in the village of Udarote in Giruwa Pattu East in the Hambantota District, and depicted as lot No. 8 in F. V. P. 448.

## Form 4B

## The Indian and Pakistani Residents (Citizenship) Act, No. 3 of 1949

## Notice under Section 10 of the Act

I, Victor Lloyd Wirasinha, Commissioner for the Registration of Indian and Pakistani Residents, do hereby give notice, under section 10 of the Indian and Pakistani Residents (Citizenship) Act, No. 3 of 1949, that I shall make order allowing each such application under sub-section (1) and (2) of section 4 of the Act as is specified in the Schedule hereto unless any written objection to the making of such order, together with a statement of the grounds or facts on which such objection is based, is received by me from any member of the public within a period of one month from the date of publication of this notice.

Every statement of objection shall contain the full name and address of the person making the objection.

Colombo, December 6, 1950.

V. L. WIRASINHA,  
Commissioner for the Registration of Indian and Pakistani Residents.

## Schedule

Number and Date of Application	Name and Address of Applicant for Registration as a Citizen of Ceylon	Name and Relationship to Applicant of each Person whose registration as a Citizen of Ceylon Applicant seeks to procure simultaneously with Applicant's Registration as a Citizen of Ceylon
C 1483 .. 6.10.50 ..	Abboy Munuswamy Raju, 20/19, Muhendram's Road, Colpetty, Colombo	Sectharam Jayalacthmi Ammal (wife) Munirathnam Muniammal (Sethu) Gopalan (Dorai Raju) Sooribai Mohan Raju (Rama) Devaraju Santhabai
Sab. 139 .. 21. 8.50 ..	Jesudian Victor Rajaratnam, Meddakande Estate, Balangoda	Victoria Packiam Rajaratnam (wife) Reginald Solomon Rajaratnam Water Daniel Selladurai Rajaratnam
N 216 .. 13 7 50	Bhavani Ammal, 121, Sivankovil North Street, Vannarponnai, Jaffna	S. Sundaram (son)
NF 46 .. 10.12.49	Gnanapragasam Paul, Mincing Lane, Upcot	Rachel Ranjitham Paul (wife)

## The Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Order in Council, 1946

## NOTICE UNDER SECTION 18 (2)

Electoral District No. 33, Ambalangoda-Balapitiya  
Electoral District No. 37, Weligama

NOTICE is hereby given under section 18 (2) of the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Order in Council, 1946, as amended by the Ceylon (Parliamentary Elections) Amendment Act, No. 48 of 1949, that—

- (1) List A containing the names of persons in the register of electors who are dead or have become disqualified, and
- (2) List B containing the names of persons who, not being already in the register of electors or otherwise disqualified, appear to the Registering Officer to be qualified to have their names entered in the register,

have been completed in respect of each of the above Electoral Districts and that the registers and such Lists are open for inspection at the Galle Kachcheri during office hours.

2. Every person who is qualified in accordance with the said Order in Council to have his name entered in any of the registers of electors for the above Electoral Districts and whose name has been omitted from that register and from List B or whose name has been included in List A, and who claims to have his name inserted or retained as the case may be in the register, must apply in writing for that purpose to the Registering Officer,

Galle Kachcheri, in Form C specified in the First Schedule to the said Order in Council. Every such application must reach the Registering Officer, Galle Kachcheri, before the expiry of two weeks from the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*.

3. Every person whose name appears in any of the registers of electors, or in List B for the above Electoral Districts, and who objects to the inclusion in such register of his own name or the name of any other person appearing in such register or List B, or to the insertion or retention in such register of the name of any claimant must object in writing to the Registering Officer, Galle Kachcheri, in form D or form E, as the case may be, specified in the First Schedule to the said Order in Council. Every objection to the inclusion of a name in the register must reach the Registering Officer, Galle Kachcheri, within two weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, and every objection to the insertion or retention in the register or list of the name of any claimant must reach such Registering Officer before the expiry of ten days from the date on which a notice containing the names of claimants is exhibited at the office of the Registering Officer.

4. Forms for the purpose of making any claim or objection may be obtained at the office of the Registering Officer.

M. K. T. SANDYS,  
Registering Officer for Electoral District  
No. 33, Ambalangoda-Balapitiya  
and No. 37, Weligama.

The Kachcheri,  
Galle, December 7, 1950.

## RICE

## The Control of Prices Act, No. 29 of 1950

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), by the New Control of Prices Act, No. 29 of 1950, I, Neil Quintus Dias, Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), do, by this Order—

- (1) revoke with effect from this date the Order dated October 2, 1950, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 10,161 of October 6, 1950, and issued by me in so far as it relates to the maximum wholesale prices fixed in respect of rice;
- (2) fix the prices specified in columns 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the First Schedule hereto to be the maximum wholesale prices per 80 measures nett and per 112 measures nett above which rice of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of that Schedule shall not be sold within the areas mentioned in columns 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of that Schedule;
- (3) fix the prices specified in columns 3 and 4 of the Second Schedule hereto to be the maximum retail prices per measure and half measure respectively above which rice of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of that Schedule shall not be sold at the places specified in column 2 of that Schedule;
- (4) direct that no trader shall sell any article of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule hereto which is adulterated with any other article or with an article of an inferior grade or quality;
- (5) direct that every trader who sells any article of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the Schedules hereto at any premises within the Urban Council limits of Trincomalee or in the Revenue District of Trincomalee shall exhibit in conspicuous position at those premises a notice on which there shall be set out the maximum prices fixed by this Order in respect of rice;
- (6) direct that every person who sells by wholesale rice of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the First Schedule hereto shall and every person who sells by retail rice of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the Second Schedule hereto shall on demand give the purchaser of that article a receipt on which there shall be set out—
  - (a) the date of the sale,
  - (b) the description and grade of the article sold,
  - (c) the weight and volume in measures of the quantity sold,
  - (d) the price paid for the article sold,
  - (e) the nature of the transaction, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail;
- (7) direct that for the purpose of this Order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of the rice of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the First Schedule hereto for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale;
  - (b) any sale of any quantity for the purpose of consumption or use by the purchaser shall be deemed to be a sale by retail;
  - (c) "measures" shall be deemed to be the standard quart dry measures.

Signed at the Trincomalee Kachcheri at 10 a.m., on November 29, 1950.

N. Q. DIAS,  
Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), Trincomalee.

Column 1 Description and Grade	Schedule 1—Wholesale Prices				
	Column 2 Supply Station	Column 3 Town	Column 4 Kinniyai	Column 5 Muttur	Column 6 Kuchchaveli
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Rice of all varieties	20 61 ..	21 41 ..	22 1 ..	22 1 ..	22 91 ..
	(per 80 meas. nett)	(per 80 meas. nett)	(per 80 meas. nett)	(per 80 meas. nett)	(per 80 meas. nett)
	28 85 ..	29 98 ..	30 82 ..	30 82 ..	32 8 ..
	(per 112 meas. nett)	(per 112 meas. nett)	(per 112 meas. nett)	(per 112 meas. nett)	(per 112 meas. nett)

Column 1 Description and Grade	Schedule 2—Retail Prices	
	Column 2 Area	Column 3 Price per Measure Cents
Rice of all varieties	Town	29
	Sinnakinniyai	29½
	Periyakinniyai	30
	Kurinchakerny	30
	Uppar	30
	Alankerny	30½
	China Bay	29½
	Vellamanal	29½
	Neerodumunai	29½
	Nachchikudah	29½
	Thampalagamam	30
	Kantalay	31
	Muttur	29½
	Akkaraichenai	30
	Chenaioor	30
	Sampur	30
	Kunitivu	30½
	Mallihaitivu	30½
	Kiliveddy	31
	Toppur	30½
	Pallikudiruppu	31
	Ichchilampattai	32



Column 1 Description and Grade	Column 2 Area	Column 3 Price per Measure Cents	Column 4 Price per Half Measure Cents
	Verugal ..	32½	16½
	Sampaltivu ..	29½	15
	Nilaveli ..	29½	15
	Kumpurupeddy ..	29½	15
	Kuchchaveli ..	31	15½
	Tiriyai ..	32	16
	Pulmoddai ..	32½	16½
	Tennamarawady ..	33½	17
	Sally ..	29	14½
	Irakakandy ..	32½	16½
	Pankulam ..	30½	15½
	Panikettiyawa ..	32	16
	Gomarasankadawela ..	32	16

## PADDY

## The Control of Prices Act, No. 29 of 1950

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), by the New Control of Prices Act, No. 29 of 1950, I, Neil Quintus Dias, Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), do by this Order—

- (1) revoke with effect from this date the Order dated October 2, 1950, and published in the *Government Gazette* No. 10,161 of October 6, 1950, and issued by me in so far as it relates to the maximum wholesale prices fixed in respect of paddy;
- (2) fix the prices specified in columns 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the First Schedule hereto to be the maximum wholesale prices per 80 measures nett and above which paddy of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of that Schedule shall not be sold within the areas mentioned in columns 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of that Schedule;
- (3) fix the prices specified in column 3 of the Second Schedule hereto to be the maximum retail prices per measure above which paddy of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of that Schedule shall not be sold at the places specified in column 2 of that Schedule;
- (4) direct that no trader shall sell any article of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the Schedules hereto which is adulterated with any other articles or with an article of an inferior grade or quality;
- (5) direct that every trader who sells any article of the description and grade mentioned in columns 1 of the Schedule hereto at any premises within the Urban Council limits of Trincomalee or in the Revenue District of Trincomalee shall exhibit in conspicuous position at those premises a notice on which there shall be set out the maximum prices fixed by this Order in respect of paddy;
- (6) direct that every person who sells by wholesale paddy of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the First Schedule hereto shall and every person who sells by retail paddy of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the Second Schedule hereto shall on demand give the purchaser of that article a receipt on which there shall be set out—
  - (a) the date of the sale;
  - (b) the description and grade of the article sold;
  - (c) the weight and volume in measures of the quantity sold;
  - (d) the price paid for the article sold;
  - (e) the nature of the transaction, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail;
- (7) direct that for the purpose of this Order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of the paddy of the description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the First Schedule hereto for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale;
  - (b) any sale of any quantity for the purpose of consumption or use by purchaser shall be deemed to be sale by retail;
  - (c) "Measure" shall be deemed to be the standard quart, dry measure.

Signed at the Trincomalee Kachcheri at 10 a.m., on November 29, 1950.

N. Q. DIAS,  
Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), Trincomalee.

Column 1 Description and Grade	Schedule 1—Wholesale Prices				
	Column 2 Supply Station	Column 3 Town	Column 4 Kinniyai	Column 5 Muttur	Column 6 Kuchchaveli
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Paddy of all varieties ..	9 16 (per 80 meas. nett)	9 78 (per 80 meas. nett)	10 50 (per 80 meas. nett)	10 50 (per 80 meas. nett)	11 50 (per 80 meas. nett)

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
		Cents
Paddy ..	Town ..	14½
	Sinnakinniyai ..	14½
	Periyakinniyai ..	15
	Kurinchakerny ..	15½
	Uppar ..	16
	Alankerny ..	16
	China Bay ..	15½



Column 1 Paddy—Contd.	Column 2	Column 3 Cents
	Vellamanal .. ..	15½
	Neerodumunai .. ..	15½
	Nachchikudah .. ..	15½
	Thampalagamam .. ..	15½
	Kantalay .. ..	16½
	Mutur .. ..	14½
	Akkaraichenai .. ..	14½
	Chenaioor .. ..	14½
	Sampur .. ..	15
	Kunitivu .. ..	15½
	Mallihaitivu .. ..	15½
	Kiliveddy .. ..	16½
	Toppur .. ..	16
	Pallikudiruppu .. ..	15½
	Ichchilampattai .. ..	16
	Verugal .. ..	16½
	Sampaltivu .. ..	14½
	Nilaveli .. ..	14½
	Kumpurupeddy .. ..	14½
	Kuchchaveli .. ..	16
	Tiriyai .. ..	16½
	Pulmoddai .. ..	16½
	Tennamarawady .. ..	17
	Sally .. ..	14
	Irakakandy .. ..	16½
	Pankulam .. ..	16½
	Panikettiyawa .. ..	17½
	Gomarasankadawela .. ..	17½

## RICE (WHOLESALE)

## The Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 29 of 1950

## 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. 29 of 1950, as amended by the Defence (Control of Prices) (Supplementary Provisions No. 2) Regulations, I, Eardley Godfrey Goonawardene, Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), Nuwara Eliya District, do, by this order—

(c) the maximum wholesale price which may be demanded for any quantity of rice which is less than 1 bag shall be determined by reference to the maximum wholesale price per bag fixed by this order.

Signed at the Nuwara Eliya Kachecheri, at 11.45 a.m. on December 2, 1950.

E. G. GOONEWARDENE,  
Deputy Controller of Prices (Food),  
Nuwara Eliya District.

- (1) revoke with effect from December 11, 1950, my order dated October 18, 1950, published in *Government Gazette* No. 10,168 of October 27, 1950, and my order dated November 4, 1950, for Kandapola area in Nuwara Eliya District;
- (2) fix the prices specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Schedule hereto, to be respectively the maximum wholesale price per 80 measures nett and per 112 measures nett above which rice shall not be sold by wholesale at the places mentioned in the corresponding entries in column 1 of the Schedule hereto;
- (3) direct that every trader who sells rice at the place mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule hereto shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at his premises (store or boutique) a notice in which there shall be set out the maximum prices for rice fixed by this order;
- (4) direct that no person shall sell rice which is adulterated with any other article;
- (5) direct that every person who sells rice by wholesale shall give the purchaser of that rice a receipt in which there shall be set out—
  - (a) the date of sale,
  - (b) the quantity sold,
  - (c) the price paid for the quantity, and
  - (d) the nature of the sale, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail;
- (6) direct that for the purpose of this order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of rice for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale,
  - (b) "measure" shall be deemed to be the standard quart, dry measure,

Column 1 Area	Schedule	
	Column 2 Maximum Wholesale Price per 80 Measures Nett Rs. c.	Column 3 Maximum Wholesale Price per 112 Measures Nett Rs. c.
Ratamahatmaya's Division of Four Gravets, Nuwara Eliya—		
Nuwara Eliya .. ..	20 82	29 15
Kandapola .. ..	21 12	29 57
Nanu-oya .. ..	20 48	28 67
Hakgala .. ..	21 12	29 57
Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Walapane—		
Watumulla .. ..	22 41	31 35
Nildandahinna .. ..	22 91	32 7
Ragala .. ..	20 96	29 34
St. Margaret's .. ..	21 51	30 11
Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Kotmale—		
Morape .. ..	20 70	28 98
Sangilipalama .. ..	21 41	30 0
Pundaluoya .. ..	20 93	29 30
Talawakele .. ..	20 29	28 41
Agrapatana .. ..	20 74	29 4
Kotagala .. ..	20 29	28 41
Mallanda .. ..	21 15	28 21
Watagoda .. ..	20 53	28 74

*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 (RETAIL)

## The Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 29 of 1950.

## 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. 29 of 1950, as amended by the Defence (Control of Prices) (Supplementary Provisions No. 2) Regulations, I, Eardley Godfrey Goonawardene, Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), Nuwara Eliya District, do, by this Order—

- (1) revoke with effect from December 11, 1950, my order dated October 18, 1950 published in *Government Gazette* No. 10,168 of October 27, 1950, and my order dated November 4, 1950, for Kandapola area in Nuwara Eliya District;
- (2) fix the prices specified in column 2 of the schedule hereto, to be the maximum retail price per measure above which rice shall not be sold by retail in the areas mentioned in the corresponding entries in column 1 of the schedule hereto;
- (3) direct that every trader who sells rice in the areas mentioned in column 1 of the schedule hereto exhibit in a conspicuous position at his premises (store or boutique) a notice in which be set out the maximum prices fixed by this order;
- (4) direct that no person shall sell rice which is adulterated with any other article;
- (5) direct that every person who sells rice by retail shall, on demand give the purchaser of that rice a receipt in which there shall be set out—
  - (a) the date of the sale,
  - (b) the quantity of rice sold, and
  - (c) the price paid for the quantity of rice sold.
- (6) direct that for the purpose of this order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of rice for the purpose of consumption or use by the purchaser shall be deemed to be a sale by retail;
  - (b) "measure" shall be deemed to be the standard quart, dry measure.

Signed at the Kachcheri, Nuwara Eliya, at 11.45 a.m.  
December 2, 1950.

E. G. GOONEWARDENE,  
Deputy Controller of Prices (Food),  
Nuwara Eliya District.

## SCHEDULE

Column 1 Area	Column 2 Maximum Retail Price per Measure Rs. c.	Column 1 Area	Column 2 Maximum Retail Price per Measure Rs. c.
<i>Medapalata Korale</i>			
Kalaganwatte	..	} 0 31	..
Galketiwala	..		
Udamadure	..		
Arukwatte	..	} 0 31½	..
Bolgandawela	..		
Illuktenne (W. Kiribanda)	..		
Illuktenne (M. W. Kiribanda)	..	0 32	..
<i>Yatipalata Korale</i>			
Nildandahinna	..	} 0 30	..
Denabure	..		
Harasbedde	..	0 28	..
Kumbukwela	..	0 29	..
Ambanella	..	0 31	..
Madulla	..	0 30	..
<i>Udupalata Korale</i>			
Ragala	..	} 0 27½	..
St. Leonard's	..		
St. Margaret's (all dealers except L. P. Baby Silva)	..		
Brookside	..	0 28	..
St. Margaret's (L. P. Baby Silva)	..	0 28½	..
Suriyagahapatana	..	0 28½	..
<i>Udupalata Korale</i>			
Ambaliyadde (W. M. P. Banda)	..	} 0 29	..
Rupaha (M. W. M. Piyasena)	..		
Rupaha (Other dealers)	..	} 0 29½	..
Kurupanawela	..		
Ambaliyadde (G. L. Ariyaratne)	..		
Maliyadde	..	0 30	..
Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Kotmale—			
<i>Medapane and Udapane Korale</i>			
Pundaluoya	..	} 0 27½	..
Kumbaloluwa	..		
Dunukedeniya	..		
Madacumbura	..	} 0 28	..
Halpola	..		
Metagama	..	0 28½	..
Kottunugoda	..	} 0 28	..
Kalapitiya	..		
Hedunawa	..		
Udagama	..	} 0 28½	..
Rawanagoda	..		
Wijebahukande	..		
Watagoda	..	0 28	..
	..	0 27	..
<i>Dimbula Korale</i>			
Talawakelle	..	} 0 26½	..
Tillicoultry	..		
Wallaha	..	} 0 27	..
Lindula	..		
St. Coomb's Eliden Hill	..		
Belgravia	..	} 0 27	..
Holbrook	..		
Agrapatana	..		
Glenlyon	..	0 27	..
Maria	..	} 0 27½	..
Diyagama	..		
Kotagala	..	} 0 26½	..
Rosita	..		
Patana (Kotagala)	..	} 0 27	..
Bogahawatta	..		
<i>Pallepane Korale</i>			
Morape	..	} 0 27	..
Kadadora	..		
Maswela	..	} 0 27½	..
Kotagepitiya	..		
Mawela	..		

Column 1 Area	Column 2 Maximum Retail Price per Measure
<i>Tispane Korale</i>	
Wattaddora ..	} 0 27½
Nawangama ..	
Harangala (D. M. Punchirala) ..	} 0 28
Harangala (other dealers) ..	
Doruwadeniya ..	} 0 26½
Rogersongama ..	
Tispane (K. B. S. Karunaratne) ..	} 0 27
Hapugastalawa ..	
Tispankande ..	} 0 27½
Tispane (other dealers) ..	
<i>Ramboda Korale and Niyangandora</i>	
Sangilipalama ..	} 0 28
Ambatalawa ..	
Niyangandora ..	} 0 28½
Karagastalawa ..	
Panangamma ..	} 0 29
Rambodagama ..	
Ramboda Town ..	} 0 29½
Kuda Oya ..	

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 (WHOLESALE AND RETAIL)**

**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 the Defence (Control of Prices (Supplementary Provisions No. 2) Regulations, I, Cumarasamy Balasingham, Deputy Controller of Prices (Food), Kalutara District, do, by this Order—

- (1) revoke with effect from December 11, 1950, the Order dated September 27, 1950, and published in *Government Gazette* No. 10,161 of October 6, 1950, in so far as it fixes maximum prices of rice fixed in respect of the areas specified in column I of the Schedules attached hereto ;
- (2) fix the prices specified in columns 2 and 3 of the schedule hereto to be respectively the maximum wholesale price per bag and the maximum retail price per measure above which rice shall not be sold in the areas specified in the corresponding entries in column I of the schedules hereto ;
- (3) direct that every trader who sells rice in any area specified in column I of the schedules hereto shall exhibit in a conspicuous place at his premises (store or boutique) a notice on which there shall be set out the maximum price fixed by this Order for that area ;
- (4) direct that no persons shall sell rice which is adulterated with any other article ;
- (5) direct that every person who sells rice by wholesale or by retail shall on demand give the purchaser of that rice a receipt in which there shall be set out—
  - (a) the date of sale,
  - (b) the quantity of rice sold,
  - (c) the price paid for the quantity of rice sold,
  - (d) the nature of transaction, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail ;
- (6) direct that for the purposes of this order—
  - (a) a bag of rice including raw rice shall contain 80 measures nett.
  - (b) any sale of any quantity of rice for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale ;
  - (c) any sale of any quantity of rice for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail ;

- (d) "measure" shall be deemed to be the standard quart dry measure ;
- (e) the maximum price which may be demanded for any quantity of rice which is more or less than one bag or one measure as the case may be, shall be determined by reference to the maximum price per bag or measure fixed by the Order ;
- (f) the maximum prices fixed by this Order shall not include the price of the container in which the rice is sold.

Signed at the Kachcheri, Kalutara, at 4 p.m., on December 5, 1950.

C. BALASINGHAM,  
Deputy Controller of Prices (Food),  
Kalutara District.

SCHEDULE

Column 1 Area	Column 2 Maximum Wholesale Price per 80 Measures Nett Rs. c.	Column 3 Maximum Retail Price of 1 measure of Rice Cents
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*Divisional Revenue Officer's  
Division of Kalutara and  
Panadura Totamunes*

V. H. Division No.	Area	Maximum Wholesale Price per 80 Measures Nett (Rs. c.)	Maximum Retail Price of 1 measure of Rice (Cents)
670	Horetuduwa	} 19 35 ..	} 25½
671	Gorakana		
672	Kesolwatte		
673	Sarikkamulla		
674	Gorakapola		
675	Worwatte	} 19 29 ..	} 25
676	Gultuda		
677	Hirana		
679	Walana		
680	Bekkagama		
681	Tantirimulla (Excluding U. C. Area)	} 19 29 ..	} 25
683	Walapola Pattiya		
684	Malamulla		
687	Wekada		
688	Pinwala		
689	Kaludewala	} 19 38 ..	} 25½
696	Pinwatte		
678	Aruggoda		
690	Mahawila		
691	Albomulla		
693	Dibbedda	} 19 47 ..	} 25½
694	Pamunugama		
695	Mahaballana		
696	Pinwatte (within S. B. area)		
697A	Talpitiya South		
697	Talpitiya North	} 19 29 ..	} 25½
698	Maha-Wadduwa East		
699	Maha-Wadduwa West		
702	Kuda-Wadduwa		
704	Molligoda		
679	Walana (within U. C. area)	} 19 29 ..	} 25½
685	Pattiya		
686	Pattiya		
682	Udahamulla Pattiya		
689	Kaludewala		
687	Wekada	} 19 62' ..	} 26
681	Tantirimulla		
692	Nalluruwa		
698	Maha-Wadduwa East		
700	Mestiya		
701	Gonaduwa	} 19 62' ..	} 26
703	Molagama		
704	Molligoda		
705	Mawala		
706	Moro ituduwa		
697	Talpitiya (within S. B. Area)		

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3		
Area	Maximum Wholesale Price per 80 measures Nett	Maximum Retail Price of 1 measure of Rice	Area	Maximum Wholesale Price per 80 measures Nett	Maximum Retail Price of 1 measure of Rice		
	Rs. c.	Cents		Rs. c.	Cents		
<i>Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Kalutara and Panadure Totamunes</i>			<i>Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Kalutara and Panadure Totamunes</i>				
<i>V. H. Division No.</i>							
719 Koholana	19 31 ..	25½	764 Alutgama West	19 63 ..	25½		
720 Ukwatte			765 Alutgama East				
722 Serupita			766 Alutgamweediya				
724 Gamagoda			762 Kaluwamodera				
728 Bombuwala			763 Ganegama				
727A Maha-Heenatiyangala			<i>Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Raigam Korale</i>				
731 Kalamulla			19 47 ..	25½	604 Palannoruwa	19 68 ..	26
721 Remunagoda					605 Olaboduwa		
726 Remunagoda					606 Welimella		
729 Nagoda					613 Talagala		
732 Etagama	607 Kumbuke						
727 Kuda-Heenatiyangala	608 Pokunuwita	19 83 ..			26		
730 Katukurunda	609 Henagama						
725 Welapura Kalutara	610 Kulupana						
717 Desastra Kalutara	611 Batuwita						
707 Pohaddaramulla	612 Kahatapitiya						
723 Palatota	19 31 ..	25½	654 Welikala	19 77 ..	26		
708 Potupitiya			655 Gungamuwa				
709A Delduwa			656 Raigama				
710 Kuda-Waskaduwa			614 Uduwa North				
714 Maha-Waskaduwa			614A Uduwa South				
718 Etanamada			617 Meewanapalana	19 19 ..	26½		
709 Kalapugama			618 Kalupahana				
711 Panapitiya			618A Wagawatte				
711A Remunagoda			615 Horana				
712 Paraduwa			616 Munagama				
713 Diyagama	19 56 ..	25½	617A Gurugoda	20 19 ..	26½		
715 Dediawala			619 Nambapana				
716 Uggalboda			620 Ingiriya				
733 Suwandachchimulla			623 Batagampola				
734 Kuda-Paiyagala			624 Handapangoda				
735 Maha-Paiyagala			621 Polapitiyagoda	20 07 ..	26		
736 Pinidiyamulla			622 Maputugala				
737 Madinakanda			625 Menarigama				
738 Palayangoda			626 Kandanapitiya				
739 Mahagammedda			627 Arakawila				
740 Potuwila	19 65 ..	26	628 Millewa	19 89 ..	26		
741 Diyalagoda			629 Kotigangoda				
742 Maggona West			629A Kindelpitiya				
743 Maggona East			630 Dambara				
744 Halkandawila			631 Handupelpola				
745 Munhena ..			623 Ilambe	19 89 ..	26		
746 Magalkanda			650 Remuna				
747 Karandagoda			651 Labugama				
748 Polkotuwa			633 Werawatte				
754 Maradana			634 Yala				
753 Paranakade	636 Yala	19 89 ..	26				
755 Maligahena	635 Anguruwatota						
751 Deenagoda	637 Anguruwatota						
749 Kankanangoda	638 Uduwara						
756 Mahagoda	638 Keselhenawa						
757 Massalgoda	19 53 ..	26	649 Batagoda	19 92 ..	26		
752 Ambepitiya			644 Raddegoda				
753 Hettimulla			645 Milleniya				
767 Kalawila			646 Langana				
768 Panagoda			647 Haltota				
769 Warapitiya			652 Kannantuduwa				
770 Malawana			653 Yalagala				
750 Walatara							
759 Pi ihena							
760 Moragala							
761 Mullapitiya							

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Area	Maximum Wholesale Price per 80 measures Nett	Maximum Retail Price of 1 measure of Rice	Area	Maximum Wholesale Price per 80 measures Nett	Maximum Retail Prices of 1 measure of Rice
	Rs. c.	Cents		Rs. c.	Cents
<i>Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Raigam Korale</i>			<i>Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Raigam Korale</i>		
V. H. Division No.					
657 Kolamediriya	19 65 ..	25½	849 Meegahatenna	20 31 ..	26½
658 Kimmantuduwa			814 Lechiniyawa		
659 Atulugama			788 Makalandawa		
660 Bamunumulla			787 Walallawita		
661 Galanigama			850 Pelawatte		
662 Wewita			844 Ratmala		
663 Bandaragama	19 65 ..	25½	843A Pahala Hewassa	20 31 ..	27
664 Weediagama			843 Ihala Hewassa		
665 Rambukkana			821 Bulathsinghala	20 66 ..	27
666 Kamburugoda			822 Botale		
667 Gammanpila			813 Kobawaka		
668 Alutgama			823 Yatagampitiya		
669 Kindelpitiya	813 Ihala Naragala				
			812 Dewamulla		
639 Patakado	19 71 ..	25½	822A Halwatura	20 7 ..	26
639A Delgoda			814 Govinna		
640 Yatawara			814A Retiyala		
641 Panagoda			821A Delmella		
642 Galpatha			825 Paragoda		
643 Pelpola					
			807 Pahala Neboda		
			809 Tebuwana		
			810 Pelapitiyagoda		
<i>D. R. O's Division of P. K. East and West</i>					
802A Yatadolawatte	20 01 ..	26	771 Bondupitiya	19 53 ..	25½
799 Puhambugoda			775 Dewagoda		
800 Dodangoda	19 65 ..	25½	776 Ladduwa	19 98 ..	26
808 Tudugala			765 Yagirala		
803 Narawila	19 98 ..	26	786 Udugama	19 98 ..	26
802 Bopitiya			781 Matugama		
804 Pantiya	19 80 ..	25½	782 Paraigama	19 89 ..	26
781 Matugama			793A Welipenna East		
806 Iddagoda			793 Welipenna West		
795 Badugama			790 Urugoda		
795 Ovitigala			791 Pannila		
803 Henagama			780 Halwala		
823 Pinnagoda	19 92 ..	26	777 Ittapana	19 83 ..	26
829 Agalawatte			792 Lewwanduwa		
827 Pimbura			783 Gammana		
832 Mulatiyana			779 Luwalbadduwa		
830 Yatiyana			784 Karapagala		
827 Girikola			772 Indigastuduwa		
834 Bellana	773 Walagedera	19 92 ..	26		
818 Veyangalla	789 Gulawita				
828 Udawela	20 7 ..	26	794 Horawala	20 19 ..	26½
819 Mahagama			797 Kirantidiya		
826 Omatta			789 Kotagedera		
846 Kevitiyagala			824 Ihala Welgama		
833 Kitulgoda			825 Molkawa		
834 Yakupitiya			837A Penigala		
820 Diyakaduwa	838 Hedigalla	20 07 ..	26		
870 Kudaligama	841 Atale				
835 Lathpandura	20 19 ..	26½	811 Karannagoda	20 31 ..	26½
837 Midalana			815 Nahalla		
839 Badura-eliya			816 Warakagoda		
839A Magura	20 19 ..	26½	845 Kurupita	20 31 ..	26½
836A Morapitiya			847 Kalupahana		
840 Kalugala			848 Moragala		
842 Boralugoda					
836 Polanda					

## Miscellaneous Departmental Notices

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the under-mentioned school has been cancelled with effect from November 1, 1950:—

Name of School	Situation	Name and Address of Manager
Navaratne Weaving School	Kotadeniyawa, Colombo District	J. A. L. Jayakody, Esq., Balagalla, Divulapitiya
		B. G. APPADURAI MUDALIAR, for Acting Director of Industries.

Colombo, November 25, 1950.

### Change of Management

UNDER the provisions of section 31 (1) of Ordinance No. 31 of 1939, it is hereby notified for general information that upon the recommendation of Mrs. V. Kathirgamar, Proprietor of J/Kalvayal Tamil Mixed School, Mr. V. Sinnathurai of Kalvayal, Chavakachcheri, is appointed as the Manager of the said school in place of the Education Officer, Northern Province, with effect from November 1, 1950.

H. W. HOWES,  
Director of Education.

Education Office,  
Colombo, December 1, 1950.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from the Hindu Board of Education for grant-in-aid of J/Valvetty Hindu Tamil Mixed School, which is situated at Valvetty in the Jaffna District of the Northern Province.

2. Observations will be received not later than December 30, 1950.

H. W. HOWES,  
Director of Education.

Education Office,  
Colombo, November 30, 1950.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the under-mentioned school will be cancelled with effect from December 1, 1950:—

Name of school	Situation	Name and Address of Manager
Perakumba School	Weaving Brahammanagama, Pannipitiya Colombo District	Mr. W. A. D. Jindasa, Brahamanagama, Pannipitiya

C. H. FERNANDO,

for Acting Director of Industries.

Colombo, November 29, 1950

### Rabies

NOTICE is hereby given that the Village Headmen's divisions of Lahugala and Serankada in the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Bintenne Pattu in the Batticaloa District is hereby declared free from rabies.

A. M. SILVA,  
for Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Batticaloa, December 1, 1950.

### Rabies

NOTICE is hereby given that as danger of rabies exists in the Divisional Revenue Officers' Divisions of Wannai, Dewameddi, Katugampola, Dambadeni, Weudawillai and Hiriyala Hatpattus of the Kurunegala District (exclusive of the Municipal Council limits of Kurunegala, Urban Council limits of Kuliyaipitiya and the Town Council limits of Polgahawela), the said Hatpattus are hereby proclaimed from this day under section II (1) of the Rabies Ordinance (Cap. 333).

2. Any dog found in any public place or road or any place other than a private building, compound or garden within the said divisions and not being tied up or led, shall be liable to be destroyed forthwith.

W. H. MOORE,  
Government Agent, N. W. P.

The Kachcheri,  
Kurunegula, December 1, 1950.

### Pleuro—Pneumonia

CONTAGIOUS Pleuro-Pneumonia in goats having broken out in the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Pachilaipalli-Karachchi of the Jaffna District, I, Philip James Hudson, Government Agent, Jaffna, in terms of section 4 of the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Ordinance (Chapter 327), hereby declare an "infected area" the whole of the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Pachilaipalli-Karachchi (including the area South of Elephant Pass): The declaration to take effect from the date hereof.

2. Under section 7 of the same Ordinance, I proclaim that no movement of goats shall be allowed within the "Infected area" for a period of one month from the date of the declaration.

3. The attention of all goat owners is drawn to the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Regulation, 1937, which lay down the action which persons are by law required to take in an "Infected area". The details of these regulations can be obtained from the Divisional Revenue Officer or from the Kachcheri.

P. J. HUDSON,  
Government Agent.

The Kachcheri,  
Jaffna, November 27, 1950.

## CEYLON GOVERNMENT RAILWAY

### Level Crossing Repairs

THE level crossing at 13 miles 54 chains between Ja-ela and Seeduwa Railway Stations (road mileage 12 miles 77 chains on the Colombo-Minuwangoda Road, via Ja-ela) will be closed for vehicular traffic as follows, for effecting repairs:—

Partially from 10 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Saturday, December 16, 1950.

Totally from 11 p.m. on Saturday, December 16, 1950, to 2 a.m. on Sunday, December 17, 1950.

Partially from 2 a.m. to 5 a.m. on Sunday, December 17, 1950

Traffic will be assisted over the level crossing during the periods of partial closure.

E. C. WIJESEKERA,  
for General Manager, C. G. R.

P. O. Box 355,  
Colombo, December 6, 1950.

**Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333)**

IT is hereby notified for general information that the under-mentioned villages excluding the Urban Council areas of Weligama and Matara are proclaimed under sub-section (1) of Section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333), as an area within which rabies exists or within which danger of rabies is apprehended.

2. Any dog found in any public place or road or any place other than a private building, compound or garden within any area or part thereof so proclaimed and not being tied up or led, shall be liable to be destroyed forthwith.

The Kachcheri,  
Matara, November 28, 1950.

H. C. GOONEWARDENE,  
Assistant Government Agent.

## VILLAGES REFERRED TO

<i>Matara</i>	<i>Kamburupitiya</i>	<i>Dickwella</i>	<i>Weligama</i>
Madiha	Kamburupitiya	Dodanpahala East and West	Kananke
Walgama	Mulatiyana	Dickwella North and South	Weligama
Hittetiye	Mapalana	Wehella	Denepitiya
Godagama	Thihagoda	Babarenda North, South and Central	Midigama
Tudawa		Urugamuwa East and West	
Kumbalgama		Batigama	
Kamburugamuwa		Wattegama	
	<i>Waralla</i>	<i>Akuressa</i>	<i>Hakmana</i>
	Deniyaya	Akuressa Bazaar	Kongala
	Pitabeddara	Telejjawila	Hakmana Bazaar Area
	Waralla	Henegma	Kirinda Masmulla
			Denegama East
			Yatiyana

**Interruption to traffic**

NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION, TRINCOMALEE DISTRICT

*Yan-Oya Ferry—32nd mile, Trincomalée-Yan-Oya Road*

IT is hereby notified for the information of the public that the above ferry will be closed to vehicular traffic from December 10, 1950, until further notice for the purpose of carrying out necessary repairs to the ferry boat.

Public Works Office,  
Colombo, December 5, 1950.

T. P. DE S. MUNASINGHE,  
for Director of Public Works.

**“Excise Ordinance” Notices****Local Option Poll, Colombo District, to be held in 1950-51**

IT is hereby notified that in terms of rule 6 of Excise Notification No. 146, published in the *Government Gazette*, No. 7,478 of August 14, 1925, as amended by Excise Notifications Nos. 180, 187, 194, 221, 225 and 231; I have appointed the under-mentioned date, time and place for recording the votes for the purpose of ascertaining whether 51 per cent. of the voters in the final list of voters are in favour of closing, with effect from October 1, 1951, the licensed premises specified in the schedule below:—

<i>Name of Tavern</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Place (Polling Station)</i>	<i>Villages comprising the Voting Area</i>
Toddy Taverns, Arrack Taverns, Foreign Liquor Taverns, Hotel Bars and premises licensed to sell Beer and Porter	January 6, 1951	8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.	Fire Brigade Ambulance Rooms, Reclamation Road, Colombo	The whole of the Pettah Ward of the Colombo Municipality

The Kachcheri,  
Colombo, December 5, 1950.

W. HOLMES,  
Government Agent.

**Local Option Poll for the Closure of Arrack Tavern No. 1 and Toddy Tavern No. 1 at Anuradhapura Town**

IT is hereby notified that the Government Agent, North-Central Province in exercise of the powers vested in him by rule 6 specified in Excise Notification No. 146 published in *Government Gazette* No. 7,478 of August 14, 1925, as amended by Excise Notifications Nos. 180, 187, 194, 221, 225 and 231 will hold a Local Option Poll on Tuesday, January 9, 1951, at the Town Hall, Anuradhapura, for the purpose of ascertaining whether 60 per cent. of the persons on the certified list of voters (Anuradhapura Urban Council Limits) are in favour of closing the Arrack Tavern No. 1 and Toddy Tavern No. 1 at Anuradhapura. The hours of polling will be 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.

The Kachcheri,  
Anuradhapura, December 1, 1950.

D. C. R. GUNAWARDANA,  
Government Agent.





## 1949 ම ඉන්දියන් 3 ම இலக்க இந்தியர், பாகிஸ்தானிகள் (பிரஜா உரிமை) சட்டத்தின்கீழ் அறிவித்தல்.

4 B ம் மாதிரிப் பத்திரம்.

1949 ம் ஆண்டின் 3 ம் இலக்க இந்தியர், பாகிஸ்தானிகள் (பிரஜா உரிமை) சட்டம்.

சட்டத்தின் 10 ம் பிரிவின்படி அறிவித்தல்.

1949 ம் ஆண்டின் 3 ம் இலக்க இந்தியர், பாகிஸ்தானிகள் (பிரஜா உரிமை) சட்டத்தின் 4 ம் பிரிவின (1) ம், (2) ம் உட்பிரிவுகளின்படி இதுகாண்பது அடங்கிய செயல்பாட்டின் விண்ணப்பம் ஒவ்வொன்றையும் அங்கீகரிக்கும் கட்டணத்தை, இவ்வறிவித்தல் திகதி தொடக்கம் ஒரு மாத காலத்துக்குள் பொது ஜனங்கள் எவரிடமேனுமிருந்து அதற்குரிய கட்டணம் பிறப்பித்தற்கு மாறாக யாதேனும் எழுத்துமூலமான தடையும் அதற்கு ஆதாரமான நியாயங்களையும் உண்மைகளையும்பற்றிய அறிக்கையும் ஒருமித்த எமக்குக் கிடைத்தாலன்றி யான பிறப்பிப்பெண்ணறு இந்தியர், பாகிஸ்தானிகளைப் பதிவுசெய்யும் கொமிஷனர் விகரா லொயிட் வீரசிவஹ ஆகிய நான அச்சட்டத்தின் 10 ம் பிரிவின்படி இத்தால் அறிவித்தல் கொடுக்கிறேன்.

தடைசூறும் அறிக்கை ஒவ்வொன்றிலும் தடைசூறுபவரின் முழுப்பெயரும் விலாசமும் இடப்பட வேண்டும்.

கொழும்பு,

1950 ம் 09 (டிசெம்பர்) மாகழிபீ 6 ந ட.

வீ. எஸ். வீரசிவஹ,

இந்தியர் பாகிஸ்தானிகளைப் பதிவுசெய்யும் கொமிஷனார்.

அட்டவணை.

விண்ணப்ப இலக்கமும் திகதியும்	இலங்கை பிரஜையாகப் பதிவுசெய்யும்படி விண்ணப்பஞ்செய்பவரின் பெயரும் விலாசமும்	விண்ணப்பஞ்செய்பவர் இலங்கை பிரஜையாகத் தம்மைப் பதிவுசெய்யும் பொழுதே, இலங்கைப் பிரஜையாகப் பதிவுசெய்ய விண்ணப்பஞ்செய்பவரின் பெயரும் இது முறையும்
O 1483 .. 6.10.50	அப்பாய் முனிசுவாமி ராசு, 20/19, முகாந்திரம் ரோடு கொணரப்பிட்டி, கொழும்பு	சீதாராம ஜயலக்ஷ்மி அம்மாள் (மனைவி) முனிசுவாமி ராசு (சேது) கோபாலன் (துரைராசு) சூரியாசாமி மோகன் ராசு (ராமா) தேவராசு சந்திராபாய்
SAB 139 .. 21 8.50	யேசுடையன் விகரா ராசரத்தினம், மெத்தக்கடை தோட்டம், பலாங்கொடை	விகரோறியா பாகிஸ்தானிய ராசரத்தினம் (மனைவி) ரெஜினால்ட் கொலமன் ராசரத்தினம் (மகன்) உவாலா டானியல் செல்லத்தூரை ராசரத்தினம் (மகன்)
N 216 .. 13.7.50	பவானி அம்மாள், 121, சிவன கோவில் வடக்கு வீதி, வண ஞாபண்ணை, யாழ்ப்பாணம்	எ.ந. சுந்தரம் (மகன்)
NE 46 .. 10.12 49	ஞானப்பிரகாசம் போல், மிளகி லேன், அப்கொற	ரேசல் ரஞ்சிதம் போல் (மனைவி)

## 1946 ம் ஆண்டின் இலக்க (பாராளுமன்றத் தெரிவு) சம்பந்தமாக இராச சபைச் சட்டம்.

18 (2) ம் பிரிவின்படி அறிவித்தல்.

33 ம் இலக்கத் தெரிவுப் பகுதி—அம்பலங்கொடை-பலப்பிட்டியா

37 ம் இலக்கத் தெரிவுப் பகுதி—வெலிக்கம்.

1949 ம் ஆண்டின் 48 ம் இலக்க (பாராளுமன்றத் தெரிவு) திருத்தச் சட்டத்தால் திருத்தப்பட்ட 1946 ம் ஆண்டின் இலக்க (பாராளுமன்றத் தெரிவு) சம்பந்தமாக இராச சபைச் சட்டத்தின் 18 (2) ம் பிரிவின்படி—

- ஒரு வாக்காளர் இடப்பில் இறந்த அல்லது வாக்காளராக இருக்க யோக்கியதை யற்றவர்களெனக் காணப்பட்ட ஆட்களின் பெயர் கொண்ட ஆங்கிலத்தில் A எனும் நாமாவலியும்,
- இதுவரை தயாரிக்கப்பட்ட வாக்காளர் இடப்பில் தமது பெயர் சேர்க்கப்படாதவர்கள் அல்லது வேறுவகையில் யோக்கியதையுடைய வாக்காளர் ஆனால் அவர்களின் பெயர்களைச் சேர்ப்பதற்கு அவர்கள் யோக்கியதையுடையவரென்று பதிவுகாரியல்தருக தோற்றுவின்ற வாக்காளர் ஆட்களின் பெயர்கொண்ட ஆங்கிலத்தில் B எனும் 'நாமாவலியும்,

மேலே குறித்த ஒவ்வொரு தெரிவுப் பகுதி சம்பந்தமாகப் பூரணப் படுத்தப்படலாயினவென்றும் அதற்குரிய இடப்பிலும் நாமாவலிகளும் காலிக் கச்சேரியில் கந்தோரா நேரத்தில் பாராவிட்டப்பலாமென்றும் இத்தால் அறிவிக்கப்படுகின்றது.

2. குறித்த இராச சபைச் சட்டத்தின்படி மேற்கூறிய தெரிவுப் பகுதிகளினுடைய வாக்காளர் இடப்பு எதிலும் தமது பெயர் இடப்பதற்கு யோக்கியதையுடையவரும் தமது பெயர் அவ்விடப்பிலும் ஆங்கிலத்தில் B எனும் நாமாவலியிலும் இடப்படாத விடப்படவரும் அல்லது தமது பெயர் ஆங்கிலத்தில் A எனும் நாமாவலியில் சேர்க்கப்பட்டவரும், காரித்தகக்கேற்ப, தமது பெயர் அவ்விடப்பில் சேர்க்கப்படுவதற்கு அல்லது அதற்கு இரகக்கவிதற்கு உரிமை கூறுபவருமான ஒவ்வொருவரும் அது சம்பந்தமாக இராச சபைச் சட்டத்தின் முதலாம் அட்டவணையில் கொடுத்த ஆங்கிலத்தில் C மாதிரிப் பத்திரத்தில் எழுத்து

மூலமாக காலிக் கச்சேரிப் பதிவுகாரியல்தருக விண்ணப்பிக்கவேண்டும். அரசினர் "கெசெற" பத்திரிகையில் இவ்வறிவித்தல் பிரசுரித்த திகதியிலிருந்து வாரங்களுக்கான முடிவதற்குள் அதற்குரிய விண்ணப்பம் ஒவ்வொன்றும் காலிக் கச்சேரிப் பதிவு காரியல்தரிடம் சேரவேண்டும்.

3 தமது பெயர் வாக்காளர் இடப்பு எதிலும் அல்லது மேலே கூறிய தெரிவுப்பகுதிகளின் B எனும் நாமாவலியில் உடையவரும் அதற்குரிய இடப்பில் அல்லது ஆங்கிலத்தில் B எனும் நாமாவலியில் வேறொருவருடைய பெயர் பதிவுப்பட்டிருந்தற்கு அல்லது அதற்குரிய இடப்பில் எவரேனுமொரு உரிமை கூறுபவருடைய பெயர் சேர்க்கப்படுதற்கு அல்லது அதற்கு இரகக்கவிதற்கு தடைசூறும் ஒவ்வொருவரும் குறித்த இராச சபைச் சட்டத்தின் முதலாம் அட்டவணையில் கொடுத்தபடி, காரித்தகக்கேற்ப ஆங்கிலத்தில் D எனும் மாதிரிப் பத்திரத்தில் அல்லது ஆங்கிலத்தில் B எனும் மாதிரிப் பத்திரத்தில் அதற்குரிய காலிக் கச்சேரிப் பதிவு காரியல்தருக எழுத்து மூலம் அறிவிக்கவேண்டும். வாக்காளர் இடப்பில் ஒரு பெயர் சேர்க்கப்பட்டிருந்தற்கு கூறப்படும் ஒவ்வொரு தடையும், அரசினர் "கெசெற" பத்திரிகையில் இவ்வறிவித்தல் பிரசுரித்த திகதியிலிருந்து இரண்டு வாரங்களுக்குள் காலிக் கச்சேரிப் பதிவுகாரியல்தரிடம் சேரவேண்டும் எவரேனுமொரு உரிமை கூறுபவருடைய பெயர் வாக்காளர் இடப்பில் அல்லது நாமாவலியில் சேர்க்கப்படுதற்கு அல்லது அதற்கு இரகக்க விதற்கு கூறப்படும் ஒவ்வொரு தடையும் உரிமை கூறுவோரின் பெயர்களைக்கொண்ட அறிவித்தலில் குறித்த பதிவு காரியல்தரிடம் கந்தோரில் சகலருக்கும் புலப்படக்கூடிய இடத்தில் இடப்பட திகதியிலிருந்து 10 நாட்களுக்குள் குறித்த பதிவுகாரியல்தரிடம் சேரவேண்டும்.

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