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PART I: SECTION (I)—GENERAL

Appointments, &c., by the Governor-General

No. 188 of 1959

G. G. O. No. C. 218/56 (III).

IT is hereby notified that the GOVERNOR-GENERAL has been pleased, under section 49 (3) of the Ceylon (Constitution and Independence) Orders in Council, 1946 and 1947, to appoint Mr. MAHANAMA SAMARAWEERA, M. P., Parliamentary Secretary to the Honourable the Minister of Home Affairs to act as Minister of Home Affairs with effect from 2nd May, 1959, until the return to the Island of Senator the Honourable A. P. JAYASURIYA, Minister of Home Affairs.

By His Excellency's command,

N. W. ATUKORALA,
Secretary to the Governor-General.

Governor-General's Office,
Colombo, 2nd May, 1959.

No. 189 of 1959

G. G. O. No. C. 146/48.

IT is hereby notified that the GOVERNOR-GENERAL has been pleased to appoint Mr. B. COSWATTE, Clerk Assistant, House of Representatives, to act as Clerk to the House of Representatives with effect from 2nd May, 1959, until the resumption of duties by Mr. R. St. L. P. DERANIYAGALA, C.B.E., Clerk to the House of Representatives.

By His Excellency's command,

N. W. ATUKORALA,
Secretary to the Governor-General.

Governor-General's Office,
Colombo, 2nd May, 1959.

Government Notifications

FOOD CONTROL ACT, No. 25 OF 1950

Order No. 122

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 4 (1) (*i*) of the Food Control Act, No. 25 of 1950, I, Don Philip Rupasinghe Gunawardena, Minister of Agriculture and Food, do by this Order prohibit the transport or removal of any quantity of any rice from any one place in Ceylon to any other place in Ceylon, except under the authority of a permit issued by or on behalf of the Food Controller or Deputy Food Controller or Assistant Food Controller of the area within which the first-mentioned place is situated or otherwise than in accordance with such conditions as may be attached to such permit.

Provided that nothing in the preceding provisions of this Order shall apply—

(*a*) to the transport or removal of a quantity of locally grown rice not exceeding 80 measures ;

(*b*) to the transport or removal of any rice by any person on behalf of the Government of Ceylon ;

(*c*) to the transport or removal by any person carrying a ration book of the quantity of rice obtained on the surrender of any coupon from that ration book, from the place at which such rice was obtained to the place of residence of the holder of that bock ; or

(*d*) to the transport or removal by any person carrying a receipt or permit issued by or on behalf of the Deputy Food Controller or a receipt issued by a Wholesale Dealer in rice, of the quantity of rice obtained on such receipt or permit, from the place at which delivery of such rice was taken to the store or place of business of the Wholesale Dealer, Co-operative Depot or Authorised Distributor specified in the receipt or permit.

" Wholesale Dealer " referred to at (*d*) above means the Co-operative Wholesale Establishment, Co-operative Stores Unions registered under Section 6 of the Co-operative Societies Ordinance, No. 16 of 1936, as amended by Act No. 21 of 1949 or other fit and proper person authorised by the Deputy or Assistant Food Controller under Regulation 5 of Part III of Head E of the Food Control Regulations 1952, to be a distributor of supplies of any controlled commodity to Co-operative Stores or Co-operative Depots or Authorised Distributors.

" Authorised Distributor " referred to at (*d*) above means a merchant or other fit and proper person authorised by the Deputy or Assistant Food Controller under Regulation 5 of Part III of Head E of the Food Control Regulations 1952, to be a distributor of supplies of any controlled commodity for specified areas, institutions or groups of people.

2. My Order No. 104 dated November 15, 1958 and published in *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 11,586 of November 15, 1958, is hereby revoked.

D. P. R. GUNAWARDENA,
Minister of Agriculture and Food.

Colombo, April 30, 1959.

Food Price Order No. 2 of 1959

Price Orders

RICE

THE CONTROL OF PRICES ACT, No. 29 OF 1950

Order

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 4 read with section 3 (2) of the Control of Prices Act, No. 29 of 1950, I, Mathias Stephen Clitus Goonewardena, Assistant Controller of Prices (Food), for the Administrative District of Galle, do by this Order—

(i) revoke with effect from this date, my Price Orders Nos. 6 and 7 of 1958 dated June 4, 1958, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 11,356 dated June 12, 1958 ;

(ii) fix the prices specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Schedule hereto to be the maximum wholesale price for one hundred weight (cwt.) nett and the maximum retail price per two pounds nett respectively, above which rice shall not be sold in the areas mentioned in column 1 of the same Schedule ;

(iii) 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*) any sale of any quantity of rice for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail ;
(*c*) " pound " or " lb. " shall be deemed to be the standard pound avoirdupois weight ;
(*d*) the maximum amount that is payable for any quantity of rice which is less than or more than one cwt. nett sold by wholesale should as usual be calculated proportionately from the maximum wholesale price per cwt. nett specified hereto ;

(iv) direct that no person shall sell rice which is adulterated with any other article, or with rice of an inferior description or grade ;

(v) direct that every trader who sells rice by wholesale or retail in the areas mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule hereto shall exhibit in a conspicuous place at his store or boutique a notice in which there shall be set out the maximum prices fixed by this Order in that area ;

(vi) direct that every person who sells any rice by wholesale shall, and every person who sells any rice by retail shall, on demand, give the purchaser thereof a receipt in which there shall be set out—

(*a*) the date of the sale ;
(*b*) the quantity of such rice sold (by weight) ;
(*c*) the price paid for the quantity sold ; and
(*d*) the nature of the transaction, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail;

(vii) direct that when rice is sold, the maximum prices fixed by this Order shall include the price of the wrapper or container, if any, in which such rice is sold.

Signed at Galle, at 10 a.m. on April 27, 1959.

M. S. C. GOONEWARDENA,
Assistant Controller of Prices, Galle District.

SCHEDULE

Column 1 — *Areas*	*Column 2* — *Maximum Wholesale Price per Cwt. Nett* Rs. c.	*Column 3* — *Maximum Retail Price per Two lb. Nett* Rs. c.
Galle Municipal Area and Four Gravets	19 46	0 35½
Gangaboda Pattu—		
Baddegama V. C.	19 69	0 36½
Telikada-Majuwana V. C.	19 76	0 36½
Nagoda V. C. (except Udugama and Talgaswela V. H. H's areas)	20 36	0 37
Talgaswela V. H's area	20 63	0 37
Udugama V. H's area	20 50	0 37
Wanduramba V. C.	20 36	0 37
Polgahavila V. H's area	20 17	0 37
Bentota Walallawita Korale (West)—		
Bentota V. C.	19 45	0 36
Kosgoda V. C.	19 45	0 36
Bentota Walallawita Korale (East)—		
Ambana V. A's area	19 99	0 36½
Weihena V. C. (except Niyagama, Mattaka and Pitigala V. HH's area)	19 86	0 36
Niyagama V. H's area	20 22	0 37
Mattaka V. H's area	20 17	0 36½
Pitigala V. H's area	20 8	0 36½
Elpitiya V. C. (except Omatta V. H's area)	19 86	0 36
Omatta V. H's area	20 6	0 36½
Wellaboda Pattu—		
Ratgama V. C.	19 45	0 36
Hikkaduwa V. C.	19 58	0 36
Weragoda V. C. (except Batapola V. H's area)	19 58	0 36
Batapola V. C.	19 91	0 36
Watugedera Town Council	19 58	0 36
Madampe V. C.	19 58	0 36
Karandeniya V. C. (excluding Kurundugahahetekma V. H's area)	19 58	0 36
Kurundugahahetekma V. H's area	19 89	0 36
Ambalangoda Urban Area	19 38	0 35½
Balapitiya Town Council area	19 72	0 36
Hikkaduwa Town Council area	19 45	0 35½
Dodanduwa Town Council area	19 45	0 35½
Talpe Pattu—		
Ahangama V. C.	19 52	0 36
Habaraduwa V. C.	19 52	0 36
Kodagoda V. C.	19 76	0 36
Kottawa (except Walawe V. A's area and Magedera V. H's area)	20 20	0 37
Walawe V. A's area	20 23	0 37
Magedera V. H's area	20 31	0 37

Column 1 Areas	Column 2 Maximum Wholesale Price per Cwt. Nett Rs. c.	Column 3 Maximum Retail Price per Two lb. Nett Rs. c.
Hinidum Pattu—		
Hiniduma V. C. (except Eppala, Panangala, Mawanana, Habarakada and Tawalama V. HH's areas	19 69 ..	0 38
Panangala and Eppala V. HH's areas	16 69 ..	0 38½
Tawalama and Habarakada V. HH's areas	19 69 ..	0 38
Mawanana V. H's area	19 69 ..	0 38½
Nelluwa V. C. area	19 69 ..	0 38½
Opata (except Talangalla V. H's area)	19 69 ..	0 38½
Talangalla V. H's area	19 69 ..	0 38

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

AMENDMENT

AMENDMENT to the Food Price Order No. ML-26 of March 25, 1959, on rice and paddy published in *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 11,719 of April 4, 1959.

The prices of Rice and Paddy in columns 2 and 3 respectively for the last two price groups in column 1 of the First Schedule should read as follows :—

	Rs. c.	*Rs. c.*
Pallegama (L. P. P.)	22 12 ..	11 6
Etanwela, Kahagala, Mahalakotuwa, Pitawela, Imaduwa, Narangamuwa (L. P. P.), Rambukkoluwa, Halminiya, Kiulewadiya, Wilgomuwa, Galgodewala, Akarahadiya ..	22 47 ..	11 24

The Kachcheri,
Matale, April 24, 1959.

BANDULA S. DE SILVA,
Assistant Controller of Prices (Food), Matale District.

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