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PART I: SECTION (I)—GENERAL

Government Notifications

FOOD CONTROL ACT, No. 25 OF 1950

Order No. 104

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 400 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 book ; 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.

Colombo, November 15, 1958.

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

Price Orders

Food Price Order KE 42.

SUBSIDIARY FOODSTUFFS

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, Nagamuttu Pulendiran, Assistant Controller of Prices (Food), Kegalla District, do by this Order—

- (i) revoke with effect from this date my Food Price Order No. KE 40 dated August 27, 1958, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 11,511 dated September 2, 1958, in so far as it relates to the wholesale dealer's maximum wholesale price and the retail dealer's maximum retail price mentioned in Columns 2 and 3 respectively of the Schedule thereto of Potatoes mentioned in Column 1 of that Schedule ;

- (ii) fix with immediate effect the prices specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Schedule hereto to be a wholesale dealer's maximum wholesale price per cwt. nett and a retail dealer's maximum retail price per lb. nett to a consumer respectively, above which the article specified in the corresponding entry in column 1 of the Schedule shall not be sold within the Administrative District of Kegalla ;
- (iii) direct that for the purpose of this Order—
 - (a) any sale of any quantity of an article specified in column 1 of the Schedule for the purpose of resale or any sale of an article specified in column 1 of the Schedule in a quantity of one hundredweight nett or more at a time shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale ;
 - (b) any sale of any quantity of an article specified in column 1 of the Schedule, less than one hundredweight nett for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail.
- (iv) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by this Order, no person shall sell any article specified in column 1 of the Schedule which is adulterated with any other article ;
- (v) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by this Order, every trader, who has any article specified in column 1 of the Schedule in his possession or under his control at any place or in any vehicle shall exhibit conspicuously at that place or on that vehicle a notice in which there shall be set out the maximum prices for such article specified in column 1 of the Schedule fixed by this Order in that area ;
- (vi) direct that for the purpose of this Order " pound " or " lb." shall be deemed to be the standard pound avoirdupois weight ;
- (vii) direct that in every area where maximum prices are fixed by this Order, every person who sells any article specified in column 1 of the Schedule by wholesale shall, and every person who sells any article specified in column 1 of the Schedule 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 articles sold (by weight) ;
 - (c) the price paid for the quantity sold ;
 - (d) the nature of the transaction, that is to say, whether the sale was by wholesale or by retail ;
 - (e) the description of such article ;
- (viii) direct that when any article specified in Column 1 of the Schedule is sold the maximum prices referred to in columns 2 and 3 of the Schedule shall include the price of wrapper or container, if any, in which such article is sold.
- (ix) direct that in any sale of Potatoes in wooden crates imported from Holland the sale price shall be calculated on gross weight less Tare of ten pounds per crate ;
- (x) direct that in any sale of Potatoes in wooden crates imported from China the sale price shall be calculated on gross weight less a Tare of thirteen pounds per crate ;
- (xi) direct that in any sale of Potatoes in wooden crates imported from Japan the sale price shall be calculated on gross weight less a Tare of twenty-five pounds per crate ;
- (xii) direct that in any sale of Potatoes in any container other than wooden crates the sale price shall be calculated on gross weight less a Tare of three pounds per container ;
- (xiii) direct that for the purpose of this order " NETT " shall mean gross weight less Tare or naked weight of Potatoes.

The Kacheheri,
 Kegalla, October 20, 1958.

NAGAMUTTU PULENDIRAN,
 Assistant Controller of Prices (Food).

SCHEDULE

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
<i>Description</i>	<i>Wholesale Dealers' Maximum Wholesale Price per Cwt. Nett</i>	<i>Retail Dealers' Maximum Retail Price per 1 lb. Nett</i>
	<i>Rs. c.</i>	<i>Rs. c.</i>
Potatoes	31 1	0 33

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.