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### PART I: SECTION (I)—GENERAL

#### Government Notifications

G. G. O.—No. O. 454/57.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept on behalf of Her Majesty The Queen the Letter of Credence of His Excellency Mr. Ante Rukavina accrediting him as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary for Yugoslavia to Ceylon.

By His Excellency's command,

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

Governor-General's Office,  
Colombo, 8th April, 1960.

G. G. O.—No. O. 310/48.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept on behalf of Her Majesty The Queen the Letter of Credence of His Excellency Dr. Ladislav Simovic accrediting him as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary for Czechoslovakia to Ceylon.

By His Excellency's command,

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

Governor-General's Office,  
Colombo, 8th April, 1960.

#### Price Orders

Food Price Order No. 5 of 1960.

RICE AND PADDY.

#### 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, Colomba Muhandirange Solomon de Silva, Assistant Controller of Prices (Food) for the Administrative District of Galle, do by this Order—

- (i) revoke with effect from the 11th day of April, 1960, the Food Price Order No. 10 of 1959, dated December 8, 1959, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary*, No. 12,003 of December 11, 1959;
- (ii) fix with effect from April 11, 1960, the prices specified in columns 2 and 3 of the Schedule hereto to be the maximum wholesale price for one hundredweight nett rice or two hundredweights nett paddy and the retail prices for two pounds nett rice or four pounds nett paddy respectively, above which rice or paddy of the first two pounds of rice or four pounds of paddy of the legal ration shall not be sold in the areas mentioned in column 1 of the same Schedule;
- (iii) fix the prices specified in columns 4 and 5 of the Schedule hereto to be the maximum wholesale price for one hundredweight nett rice or two hundredweights nett paddy and the maximum retail prices for two pounds nett rice or four pounds nett paddy respectively above which rice or paddy of the second two pounds of rice or four pounds of paddy of the legal ration shall not be sold in the areas mentioned in column 1 of the same Schedule.
- (iv) direct that for the purpose of this Order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of rice or paddy for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale;
  - (b) the sale of any quantity of rice or paddy 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 hundredweight nett sold by wholesale shall as usual be calculated proportionately from the maximum wholesale price per cwt. nett specified hereto;
- (v) direct that no person shall sell rice or paddy which is adulterated with any other article or with rice or paddy of an inferior description or grade;
- (vi) direct that every trader who sells rice or paddy by wholesale or retail in the areas mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule hereto shall exhibit on 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;
- (vii) direct that every person who sells rice or paddy by wholesale shall, and every person who sells any rice or paddy 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 or paddy 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;
- (viii) direct that when rice or paddy is sold the maximum price fixed by this Order shall include the price of wrapper or container, if any, in which such rice or paddy is sold;

- (ix) direct that in any sale of rice or paddy in 80 measures or 160 lbs. size gunnies the sale price shall be calculated on gross weight less a tare of 2½ lbs.
- (x) direct that in any sale of rice or paddy in 112 measures or 224 lbs. size gunnies the sale price shall be calculated on gross weight less a tare of three pounds;
- (xi) direct that for the purpose of this Order "nett" shall mean gross weight less tare or naked weight of rice or paddy

Signed at Galle at 11 a.m. on April 9, 1960.

C. M. S. DE SILVA,  
Assistant Controller of Prices (Food),  
Galle District.

SCHEDULE

Column 1 Area	Column 2 Maximum Wholesale price per cwt. nett for 1st two lbs. rice or 2 cwt. nett paddy of legal ration Rs. c.	Column 3 Maximum Retail price per two lbs. rice or 4 lbs. paddy nett for 1st legal ration of rice or paddy Rs. c.	Column 4 Maximum Wholesale price per cwt. nett for 2nd two lbs. rice or 2 cwt. nett paddy of legal ration Rs. c.	Column 5 Maximum Retail price per 2 lbs. rice or 4 lbs. paddy nett for the second legal ration Rs. c.
Galle Municipal Area and Four Gravets .. .. .	13 90	0 25½	13 90	0 25½
<i>Gangaboda Pattu :</i>				
Baddagama V. C. Area .. .. .	14 13	0 26½	14 13	0 26½
Nagoda V. C. (except Talgaswela V. H's Area) .. .. .	14 32	0 26½	14 32	0 26½
Talgaswela V. H's Area .. .. .	14 80	0 27	14 80	0 27
Udugama V. H's Area .. .. .	—	0 27	—	0 27
Wanduramba V. C. Area .. .. .	—	0 27	—	0 27
Polgahawila V. H's Area .. .. .	—	0 27	—	0 27
Telikada-Majuwana V. C. Area .. .. .	—	0 26½	—	0 26½
<i>Bentota Walallawiti Korale West :</i>				
Bentota V. C. Area .. .. .	13 89	0 26	13 89	0 26
Kosgoda V. C. Area .. .. .	—	—	—	—
<i>Bentota Walallawiti Korale East :</i>				
Ambana V. A.'s Area .. .. .	—	0 26½	—	0 26½
Weihena V. C. (except Niyagama, Mattaka and Pitigala V.H.H. Areas) .. .. .	14 66	0 26	14 66	0 26
Niyagama V. H's Area .. .. .	—	0 27	—	0 27
Mattaka V. H's Area .. .. .	—	0 26½	—	0 26½
Pitigala V. H's Area .. .. .	14 52	0 26½	14 52	0 26½
Elpitiya V. C. (except Omatta V. H.'s Area) .. .. .	14 30	0 26	14 30	0 26
Omatta V. H.'s Area .. .. .	—	0 26½	—	0 26½
<i>Wellaboda Pattu :</i>				
Batgama V. C. .. .. .	—	0 26	—	0 26
Hikkaduwa V. C. .. .. .	—	—	—	—
Weragoda V. C. .. .. .	—	—	—	—
Batapola V. C. .. .. .	—	0 26	—	0 26
Madampe V. C. .. .. .	—	—	—	—
Karandeniya V. C. .. .. .	—	—	—	—
Kurundugahahatekme V. H.'s Area .. .. .	—	—	—	—
Balapitiya Town Council Area .. .. .	14 16	0 26	14 16	0 26
Watugedara Town Council .. .. .	14 2	0 26	14 2	0 26
Ambalangoda Town Council .. .. .	13 82	0 25½	13 82	0 25½
Hikkaduwa Town Council .. .. .	13 89	0 25½	13 89	0 25½
Dodanduwa Town Council .. .. .	13 89	0 25½	13 89	0 25½
<i>Talpe Pattu :</i>				
Ahangama V. C. .. .. .	13 96	0 26	13 96	0 26
Habaraduwa V. C. .. .. .	—	—	—	—
Kodagoda V. C. .. .. .	14 20	0 26	14 20	0 26
Kottawa V. C. .. .. .	14 64	0 27	14 64	0 27
<i>Hinidum Pattu :</i>				
Hiniduma V. C. (except Mawanana V. H.'s Area) .. .. .	14 64	0 27½	14 64	0 27½
Mawanana V. H.'s Area .. .. .	—	—	—	—
Nelluwa V. C. Area .. .. .	—	0 28½	—	0 28½
Opata V. C. Area .. .. .	—	—	—	—

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

The Wholesale prices referred to above include handling charges levied by Unions for weighing etc.

Food Price Order No. PL. 5/60.

RICE (WHOLESALE AND RETAIL)

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, Charles Abeysdeera, Assistant Controller of Prices (Food), for the Administrative District of Polonnarwa, do by this Order—

- (i) revoke with effect from April 11, 1960, the Food Price Order No. PL. 15/59 dated December 14, 1959, published in *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 12,015 of 21st December, 1959;
- (ii) fix with effect from April 11, 1960, the prices specified in Column 2 of the Schedule hereto to be the wholesale prices per hundredweight nett above which rice issued in respect of the ration shall not be sold by wholesale to Authorised Distributors appointed for Food Control purposes whose places of business are in the areas specified in the corresponding entries in Column 1 of the Schedule hereto;

- (iii) fix with effect from April 11, 1960, the prices specified in Column 3 of the Schedule hereto to be the retail prices per pound nett above which rice issued in respect of the ration shall not be sold by retail in the areas mentioned in the corresponding entries in Column 1 of the Schedule hereto ;
- (iv) direct that paragraphs (iv) to (viii) to the Food Price Order No. PL. 15/59 relating to rice published in *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 12,015 of December 21, 1959, shall apply in the case of rice, as though those paragraphs were incorporated in this Order.

Signed at Polonnaruwa Kachcheri at 10 a.m. on April 8, 1960.

C. ABEYDEERA,  
 Assistant Controller of Prices (Food),  
 Polonnaruwa District.

SCHEDULE

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Area	Maximum whole-sale price of rice issued in respect of the ration per Cwt. nett Rs. c.	Maximum retail price of rice issued in respect of the ration per pound nett Rs. c.
Sinhala Pattu .. .. .	14 43½	0 14
Meda Pattu .. .. .	14 58½	0 14
Egoda Pattu .. .. .	14 75½	0 15

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