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NATIONAL SECURITY (VENEREAL DISEASES AND CONTRACEPTIVES) REGULATIONS.

ORDER UNDER REGULATION 2A.

WHEREAS I, James Mackintosh Fraser, the Minister of State for Health, am satisfied in respect of the State of Queensland that the law in force in that State sufficiently carries out the objects of the National Security (Venereal Diseases and Contraceptives) Regulations (except regulation 12 thereof):

Now therefore, in pursuance of regulation 2A of the said Regulations, I hereby make the following Order:—

I declare that the provisions of the National Security (Venereal Diseases and Contraceptives) Regulations (except regulation 12 thereof) shall not apply in the State of Queensland.

Dated this twenty-eighth day of June, 1945.

J. M. FRASER

Minister of State for Health.

NATIONAL SECURITY (GENERAL) REGULATIONS.

PROHIBITION OF NON-ESSENTIAL PRODUCTION ORDER (No. 17).

IN pursuance of regulation 59 of the National Security (General) Regulations, I, John Johnstone Dedman, Minister of State for Post-war Reconstruction, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as the Prohibition of Non-Essential Production Order (No. 17).

Revocation of Prohibition of Non-Essential Production Order (No. 9).

2. The Prohibition of Non-Essential Production Order (No. 9) is revoked.

Dated this third day of July, 1945.

JOHN J. DEDMAN

Minister of State for Post-war Reconstruction.

NATIONAL SECURITY (SHIPPING CO-ORDINATION) REGULATIONS.

IN pursuance of regulation 17 of the National Security (Shipping Co-ordination) Regulations, I, William Patrick Ashley, Minister of State for Supply and Shipping, hereby appoint Frederick William Radford to be a member of the Shipping Control Board *vice* James Ronald Patrick deceased.

Dated this twentieth day of June, 1945.

W. P. ASHLEY

Minister of State for Supply and Shipping.

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NATIONAL SECURITY (RATIONING) REGULATIONS.

RATIONING ORDER No. 96.—CLOTHING.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by the National Security (Rationing) Regulations, the Rationing Commission hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as the Rationing Order No. 96.

Amendments of the First Schedule to Order No. 27.

2. The First Schedule to the Rationing Order No. 27 is amended—

(a) by inserting after sub-item (b) of item (1) of Part I. the following sub-item:—

“ (c) Waterproof coat or cape made from calico or similar material, dressed with oil 4 4 4 ”;

(b) by omitting sub-item (a) of item (10) of that Part and inserting in its stead the following sub-items:—

“ (a) *Ankle socks, including sock-ettes and ankle length bed socks 2 1 1

(aa) Men's half hose 2 — — ”;

(c) by omitting sub-item (b) of item (18) of that Part and inserting in its stead the following sub-items:—

“ (b) Cap, other than above .. 3 3 3

“ (c) Hat or other headgear other than as specified in sub-items (a) and (b) of this item 6 3 3 ”.

Amendments of the Second Schedule to Order No. 27.

3. The Second Schedule to the Rationing Order No. 27 is amended—

(a) by inserting in the part headed “ (a) *Exempt Piece Goods* ”, after the item “ Buckram ”, the following item:—

“ Bunting, woollen ”;

(b) by inserting in the part headed “ (b) *Exempt Goods other than Piece Goods* ”, after the item “ Belts, except body belts ”, the following item:—

“ Belts, flannel body ”; and

(c) by inserting in that part, after the item “ Caps, sleeping ” the following item:—

“ Car covers measuring not less than 9 feet by 14 feet and made from khaki dehrsuti 36 inches in width ”.

Amendments of the Rationing Order No. 49.

4. The Rationing Order No. 49 is amended—

(a) by omitting clauses (a) and (b) of paragraph 4;

(b) by omitting clause (a) of sub-paragraph (1.) of paragraph 5;

(c) by omitting from sub-paragraph (2.) of that paragraph the words “ First or ”; and

(d) by omitting the First and Second Schedules.

Amendments of the Rationing Order No. 53.

5. The Rationing Order No. 53 is amended—

- (a) by inserting in sub-paragraph (2.) of paragraph 3, after the word "imperfect", the words "or 'mediums'";
- (b) by adding at the end of clause (b) of sub-paragraph (3.) of that paragraph the words "or 'mediums'";
- (c) by inserting in clause (b) of sub-paragraph (4.) of that paragraph, after the word "imperfect", the words "or 'mediums'";
- (d) by inserting in clause (b) of sub-paragraph (5.) of that paragraph, after the word "imperfect", the words "or 'mediums'"; and
- (e) by omitting from sub-paragraphs (1.) and (2.) of paragraph 5 the words "'mediums' or".

Dated this third day of July, 1945.

For and on behalf of the Rationing Commission,

J. B. CUMMING, Director of Rationing.

NATIONAL SECURITY (GENERAL) REGULATIONS.

KNITTED GOODS ORDER No. 2.

IN pursuance of regulation 59 of the National Security (General) Regulations, I, William Patrick Ashley, Minister of State for Supply and Shipping, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as the Knitted Goods Order No. 2.

Knitted underwear.

2. Paragraph 10(1) of the Knitted Goods Order is amended by omitting sub-paragraph (c).

Men's hosiery.

3. Paragraph 12 of the Knitted Goods Order is amended by inserting after the word "men" the words "other than football stockings or stockings of a similar kind which have been approved by the Controller in accordance with this Order".

Women's, maids' and children's hosiery.

4. Paragraph 13 of the Knitted Goods Order is amended by adding at the end thereof the words "other than circular stripes in the tops which have been approved by the Controller in accordance with this Order".

Headings or marginal notes.

5. The headings or marginal notes of paragraphs 14, 15 and 16 of the Knitted Goods Order are revoked and the following headings or marginal notes inserted in their stead respectively, namely: "Samples—fabrics", "Samples—knitted hosiery" and "Samples—knitted wear other than knitted hosiery".

Samples—fabrics.

6. Paragraph 14 (2) of the Knitted Goods Order is amended by inserting after the words "knitted underwear" wherever occurring the words "or knitted underwear".

Samples—knitted hosiery.

7. Paragraph 15 (1) of the Knitted Goods Order is amended by omitting the words "knitted underwear or" wherever appearing.

Samples—knitted wear other than knitted hosiery.

8. Paragraph 16 of the Knitted Goods Order is amended by omitting the words "knitted underwear and".

Second Schedule.

9. The Second Schedule to the Knitted Goods Order is amended by inserting under the heading "Knitted Outerwear" the items "Coat", "Bathing Costume", "Bathing Trunks" and "Football Jersey" and under the heading "Hosiery" the item "Football Stockings or stockings of a similar kind".

Third Schedule.

10. The Third Schedule to the Knitted Goods Order is amended—

- (a) by inserting under the sub-heading "Women" of the heading "Knitted Outerwear" the items "E. 259—Bathing Costume" and "E. 265—Coat".

- (b) by inserting under the sub-heading "Girls" of the heading "Knitted Outerwear" the items "E. 260—Bathing Costume" and "E. 266—Coat".
- (c) by inserting under the sub-heading "Men" of the heading "Knitted Outerwear" the items "E. 261—Bathing Costume", "E. 262—Bathing Trunks" and "E. 267—Football Jersey".
- (d) by inserting under the sub-heading "Boys" of the heading "Knitted Outerwear" the items "E. 263—Bathing Costume", "E. 264—Bathing Trunks" and "E. 268—Football Jersey".
- (e) by omitting the figures "28" in the bracketed description beneath the sub-heading "Boys" of the heading "Knitted Underwear" and inserting in their stead the figures "22".
- (f) by inserting under the sub-heading "Men" of the heading "Hosiery" the item "A. 269—Football Stockings"; and
- (g) by omitting the words "Colour range limited to navy, black, grey" from each of the items under sub-heading "Boys" of the heading "Hosiery".

Dated this third day of July, 1945.

W. P. ASHLEY

Minister of State for Supply and Shipping.

NATIONAL SECURITY (GENERAL) REGULATIONS.

FEMININE OUTERWEAR ORDER (No. 2).

IN pursuance of regulation 59 of the National Security (General) Regulations, I, William Patrick Ashley, Minister of State for Supply and Shipping, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as the Feminine Outerwear Order (No. 2).

General restrictions on manufacture of feminine outerwear.

2. Clause 7 of the Feminine Outerwear Order is amended—

- (a) by omitting paragraph (i) of sub-clause (1.) and inserting in its stead the following paragraph:—

"(i) with buttons or buttonholes other than those required for the purpose of fastening: Provided that in the case of double-breasted garments one half of the number of buttons used need not be for the purpose of fastening";

- (b) by adding the following paragraph after paragraph (j) of sub-clause (1.):—

"(k) with more than two fixed bows"; and

- (c) by omitting sub-clause (2.) and inserting in its stead the following sub-clause:—

"(2.) A person shall not apply to any Feminine Outerwear intended for sale ornamental trimming not expressly provided for in this Order or any hand or machine embroidery of any description (including applique, beading, braiding, faggotting, quilting, embossing, lace trimming or fabric encrustations) or material bearing such trimming or embroidery except subject to the following conditions:—

- (i) The total area of such trimming or embroidery shall not exceed 36 square inches; and

- (ii) Not more than 12 square inches of such total area of 36 square inches of trimming or embroidery shall be done by hand."

Coats (other than Children's and Girls').

3. Clause 8 of the Feminine Outerwear Order is amended by omitting paragraph (f) and inserting in its stead the following paragraph:—

"(f) with more than six buttons or buttonholes."

Dresses (other than Children's or Girls').

4. Clause 9 of the Feminine Outerwear Order is amended by omitting paragraph (h) and inserting in its stead the following paragraphs:—

"(h) with any tucking or shirring except so much only as is necessary to shape the garment or pin-tucking not exceeding four yards in length in all; or

"(i) with more than two pleats in the bodice."

Dresses for Children and Girls.

5. Clause 12 of the Feminine Outerwear Order is amended by omitting paragraph (g) and inserting in its stead the following paragraph:—

“(g) with any tucking except pin-tucking not exceeding 4 yards in length in all or with any pleating in the bodice.”

Dated this twenty-ninth day of June, 1945.

W. P. ASHLEY

Minister of State for Supply and Shipping.

NATIONAL SECURITY (ENEMY PROPERTY) REGULATIONS.

ORDER UNDER REGULATION 5A.

IN pursuance of regulation 5A of the National Security (Enemy Property) Regulations, I, Joseph Benedict Chifley, the Treasurer of the Commonwealth, hereby make the following Order:—

I specify the 29th day of June, 1945, as the date until which the person named in the Schedule to this Order shall for the purposes of the National Security (Enemy Property) Regulations, be treated as if she had not ceased to be an enemy subject as defined in those Regulations.

THE SCHEDULE.

Miss Ella Field, formerly resident in France but now living at No. 1 Leeson-road, Bournemouth, England.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of June, 1945.

J. B. CHIFLEY, Treasurer.

NATIONAL SECURITY (PRICES) REGULATIONS.

PRICES REGULATION ORDER No. 2146.

Furniture—Settees—Application for prices.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me by the Commonwealth Prices Commissioner pursuant to regulation 46 of the National Security (Prices) Regulations, I, Horace Eddy Bishop, Second Assistant Prices Commissioner, Prices Branch, Canberra, hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 2146.

2. Every person who manufactures settees shall not sell those goods unless and until that person has made a written request to the Commissioner to fix the maximum price at which those goods may be sold and the Commissioner has fixed the maximum price accordingly.

Dated this fourth day of July, 1945.

H. E. BISHOP

Second Assistant Prices Commissioner.

NATIONAL SECURITY (PRICES) REGULATIONS.

PRICES REGULATION ORDER No. 2147.

Bananas.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me by the Commonwealth Prices Commissioner pursuant to regulation 46 of the National Security (Prices) Regulations, I, Horace Eddy Bishop, Second Assistant Prices Commissioner, Prices Branch, Canberra, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 2147.

Revocation.

2. Prices Regulation Order No. 1980 as amended by Prices Regulation Order No. 2038 is hereby revoked.

Application.

3. Nothing in this Order shall apply to the sale of bananas in Western Australia.

Definitions.

4. In this Order, unless the contrary intention appears—
 - “Cairns area” means all that area of Queensland comprised within a radius of 3 miles from the principal post office at Cairns;
 - “Metropolitan area of Adelaide” means all that area comprised within a radius of 15 miles from the General Post Office of Adelaide, South Australia;
 - “Metropolitan area of Brisbane” means all that area constituted under the name of “City of Brisbane” by the City of Brisbane Act 1924, of the State of Queensland;
 - “Metropolitan area of Melbourne” means all that area comprised within a radius of 20 miles from the General Post Office of Melbourne, Victoria;
 - “Metropolitan area of Sydney” means all that area comprised within a radius of 20 miles from the General Post Office of Sydney, New South Wales;
 - “prescribed area” means any area defined in this paragraph;
 - “Rockhampton area” means all that area of Queensland comprised within a radius of 3 miles from the principal post office at Rockhampton;
 - “secondary wholesaler” means, in relation to the sale of any bananas, any person who buys those bananas ripened for delivery outside the prescribed areas;
 - “Townsville area” means all that area of Queensland comprised within a radius of 3 miles from the principal post office at Townsville;
 - “Newcastle area” means all that area of New South Wales comprised within a radius of 5 miles from the principal post office at Newcastle.

Unripened bananas—Sales by wholesale.

5. I fix and declare the maximum prices at which unripened bananas of the varieties set out in the First Schedule to this Order may be sold by wholesale to be—

- (a) where delivery is made in the prescribed areas therein specified—the prices specified in that Schedule;
- (b) where delivery is made outside the prescribed areas—the maximum price fixed for the sale of those bananas in the nearest prescribed area less 10 per centum, less the usual cost of transport by rail from the grower's premises to the nearest prescribed area.

Ripened bananas—Sales by wholesale—Prescribed areas.

6. I fix and declare the maximum prices at which ripened bananas may be sold by wholesale for delivery in any prescribed area to be—

- (a) the maximum price fixed by the provisions of subparagraph (a) of paragraph 5 for the sale of those bananas (when unripened) in that area or the price paid or payable for those bananas (when unripened), whichever is the lesser; and
- (b) the margin specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.

Ripened bananas—Sales by wholesale outside prescribed areas.

7. I fix and declare the maximum price at which ripened bananas may be sold by wholesale for delivery outside the prescribed areas to be—

- (a) for sales by a secondary wholesaler—the sum of the following:—
 - (i) the maximum price fixed by the provisions of paragraph 6 for the sale of ripened bananas by wholesale for delivery in the nearest prescribed area, or the price paid or payable by the secondary wholesaler for those bananas, whichever is the lesser; and
 - (ii) margin at the rate of 2s. per 1½ bushel case; and
 - (iii) cost of transport incurred and properly attributable to the transport of those bananas to the place of delivery by the secondary wholesaler;
- (b) for sales by any person other than a secondary wholesaler—
 - (i) the price paid or payable by that person for those bananas;
 - (ii) cost of transport incurred and properly attributable to the transport of those bananas to the place of delivery by that person;

Provided that no amount shall be added for cost of transport under the provisions of this paragraph unless that amount is recorded on an invoice delivered by the seller.

Sales by retail.

8. I fix and declare the maximum price at which bananas may be sold by retail to be the sum of the following (computed to the nearest upward halfpenny):—

- (a) the maximum price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order for the sale of those bananas to the retail seller, or the price paid or payable by that retail seller, whichever is the lesser;
- (b) cost of transport actually incurred in and properly attributable to conveying those bananas from the place of delivery to the retail seller to that retail seller's premises;
- (c) margins at the rate of—
 - (i) where those bananas were purchased on the stalk by the retail seller—2½d. per pound;
 - (ii) where not so purchased—2d. per pound;

Provided that no amount may be added under the provisions of this paragraph for cost of transport unless that amount is properly recorded on an invoice delivered to the retail seller.

Retail ceiling.

9. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which bananas of the varieties set out in the Third Schedule to this Order may be sold by retail to be the price specified in that Schedule or the maximum price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order for that sale, whichever is the lesser.

General.

10. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order if any bananas are sold in a case, the maximum price fixed by such foregoing provisions for the sale of those bananas shall be the maximum price for the sale of those bananas together with the case.

11. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order where any bananas are sold by wholesale on the stalk, the weight of the stalk shall be included in computing the weight of those bananas:

Provided that where the stalk extends more than 6 inches from the first hand of the bananas the maximum prices fixed by such foregoing provisions shall be reduced in each case by 10 per centum thereof.

Notices in writing.

12. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which any bananas specified in a notice in pursuance of this paragraph may be sold by any person to whom such notice is given to be such price as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to such person.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

Sales by Wholesale—Unripened Bananas—Where Sold on the Stalk.

Variety.	Deliveries in Townsville area, Cairns area, Rockhampton area, Brisbane metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Newcastle area and Sydney metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Melbourne metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Adelaide metropolitan area.
	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.
Lady Fingers or Sugars ..	s. d. 0 5½	s. d. 0 5½	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 0 6½
Other Varieties ..	0 4½	0 4½	0 4½	0 5½

Sales by Wholesale—Unripened Bananas—Where Sold Not on the Stalk.

Variety.	Deliveries in Townsville area, Cairns area, Rockhampton area, Brisbane metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Newcastle area and Sydney metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Melbourne metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Adelaide metropolitan area.
	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.
Lady Fingers or Sugars ..	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 0 6½	s. d. 0 7
Other Varieties ..	0 5	0 5	0 5½	0 6

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

Ripened Bananas—Sales by Wholesale—Prescribed Areas—Maximum Margins.

Variety.	Where purchased on the stalk.		Where not purchased on the stalk.
	Sales on the stalk.	Sales not on the stalk.	
	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.
Lady Fingers or Sugars ..	0 0½	0 1½	0 0½
Other Varieties ..	0 0½	0 1½	0 0½

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

Retail Ceiling Prices—Sales in Prescribed Areas.

Variety.	Townsville area, Cairns area, Rockhampton area, Brisbane metropolitan area.	Newcastle area and Sydney metropolitan area.	Melbourne metropolitan area.	Adelaide metropolitan area.
	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.
Lady Fingers or Sugars ..	0 8½	0 8½	0 9	0 9½
Other Varieties ..	0 7½	0 7½	0 8	0 8½

Retail Ceiling Prices—Sales Outside the Prescribed Areas.

Variety.	Sales in New South Wales or Queensland.	Sales in Victoria.	Sales in South Australia.
	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.
Lady Fingers or Sugars ..	0 9½	0 10	0 10½
Other Varieties ..	0 8½	0 9	0 9½

Dated this fourth day of July, 1945.

H. E. BISHOP

Second Assistant Prices Commissioner.

NATIONAL SECURITY (PRICES) REGULATIONS.

PRICES REGULATION ORDER No. 2148.

Apples.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me by the Commonwealth Prices Commissioner, pursuant to regulation 46 of the National Security (Prices) Regulations, I, Horace Eddy Bishop, Second Assistant Prices Commissioner, Prices Branch, Canberra, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 2148.

Revocations.

2. Prices Regulation Order No. 1609 as amended by Prices Regulation Orders Nos. 1652, 1689, 1734 and 1787 is hereby revoked.

Definitions.

3. In this Order, unless the contrary intention appears—
“bushel” means, in relation to any sale of apples, any case or similar container containing not less than 40 pounds of apples;
“cost into store” means—

(a) in relation to any sale of apples by retail other than in the Far Northern area, the Northern area, or the Central area as defined in this paragraph, the sum of the following:—

(i) for bushel lots—the purchase price paid or payable by the retail seller for those apples, or the maximum price fixed for the sale of those apples to him, whichever is the lesser, or

- (ii) for cases containing less than one bushel—such price as bears the same ratio to the maximum price fixed for the sale of a bushel of those apples to the retail seller as the weight of the apples actually purchased bears to 40 pounds,

plus, in each case, cost of transport actually incurred by the retail seller in conveying the apples to his store; or

- (b) in relation to any sale of apples by retail in the Far Northern area, the Northern area or the Central area—an amount computed in accordance with sub-paragraph (a) of this definition plus the following:—

(i) in the case of sales in the Far Northern area—an amount calculated at 1s. 6d. per bushel;

(ii) in the case of sales in the Northern area—an amount calculated at 1s. per bushel; or

(iii) in the case of sales in the Central area—an amount calculated at 6d. per bushel:

Provided that no amount shall be added under the provisions of this paragraph unless such amount is properly recorded on an invoice delivered in relation to those apples;

“the metropolitan area of Adelaide” means all that area comprised within a radius of fifteen miles from the General Post Office, Adelaide;

“the metropolitan area of Brisbane” means all that area constituted under the name of the “City of Brisbane” by the *City of Brisbane Act* of 1924 in the State of Queensland;

“the metropolitan area of Hobart” means all that area comprised within a radius of five miles from the General Post Office, Hobart;

“the metropolitan area of Perth” means all that area comprised within a radius of twelve miles from the General Post Office, Perth;

“the metropolitan area of Melbourne” means all that area comprised within a radius of twenty miles from the General Post Office, Melbourne;

“the metropolitan area of Sydney” means all that area comprised within a radius of twenty miles from the General Post Office, Sydney;

“metropolitan area” means any of the metropolitan areas defined in this paragraph;

“Far Northern area” means all that area of Queensland north of the parallel of latitude of 18° south;

“Northern area” means all that area of Queensland north of the parallel of latitude 21° south, and south of the parallel of latitude 18° south;

“Central area” means all that area of Queensland north of the parallel of latitude 24° south, and south of the parallel of latitude 21° south.

Sales by growers.

4. I fix and declare the maximum prices at which apples may be sold by a grower delivered to a metropolitan area to be the prices specified in the First Schedule to this Order.

5. I fix and declare the maximum prices at which apples may be sold by a grower where delivered outside the metropolitan areas to be—

- (a) delivered at the grower's premises—the prices specified in paragraph 4 of this Order for deliveries in the metropolitan area most accessible by rail to such premises, less cost of transport by rail, or if such transport is not available, then of any alternative transport from those premises to that metropolitan area; or

- (b) delivered at any place other than the grower's premises—the price specified in sub-paragraph (a), plus cost of transport actually incurred and properly attributable to the conveying of those apples from the grower's premises to the place of delivery:

Provided that no amount shall be added for cost of transport in any price calculated under the provisions of this paragraph unless such amount is properly recorded by the grower on an invoice delivered in relation thereto.

Sales by wholesale other than by growers—Bushel lots.

6.—(1.) I fix and declare the maximum price at which apples may be sold by wholesale, other than by a grower, to be the sum of the following:—

- (a) the price paid or payable for such apples by the wholesale seller or the maximum price fixed by paragraph 4 or 5 of this Order for the sale of those apples to the wholesale seller, whichever is the lesser;

- (b) cost of transport actually incurred and properly attributable to the conveying of those apples from the point of delivery to the wholesale seller to the point of delivery by such wholesale seller; and

- (c) margin at the rate of—

(i) if sold in original cases—1s. per bushel; or

(ii) if unpacked from original cases and re-packed—1s. 6d. per bushel:

Provided that for deliveries to a purchaser in any metropolitan area such maximum prices shall be subject to an upper limit as specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.

(2.) No amount shall be added for cost of transport in any price calculated under the provisions of this paragraph unless such amount is clearly recorded by such wholesale seller.

Sales by grower or wholesaler—Cases containing less than one bushel.

7. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order I fix and declare the maximum price at which apples may be sold by a grower or by wholesale in cases containing less than one bushel to be that price which bears the same ratio to the maximum price fixed for the sale of those apples by the bushel, as the weight of the apples actually sold bears to 40 pounds: Provided that, in the case of any such sale, the weight of the apples contained in the case shall be deemed to be 40 pounds, unless an invoice is delivered in relation to those apples and the weight of such apples is separately stated thereon, in which case the weight shall be deemed to be the weight so stated.

Sales by retail.

8.—(1.) I fix and declare the maximum price at which apples may be sold by retail in quantities less than a half-bushel to be the price specified in the Third Schedule to this Order according to the cost into store of the seller by retail of such apples set out in that Schedule.

(2.) I fix and declare the maximum price at which apples may be sold by retail in quantities of half-bushel or more to be the cost into store of the seller by retail plus a margin at the rate of 5s. per bushel.

Retail ceiling—Metropolitan areas.

9. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order I fix and declare the maximum price at which apples may be sold by retail in the metropolitan areas to be that specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, or if any other lower maximum price is fixed by the provisions of paragraph 8 of this Order, then such lower maximum price.

Fixation of maximum prices by notice.

10. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which apples specified in a notice in pursuance of this paragraph may be sold by any person to whom such notice is given to be such price as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to that person.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

Maximum prices—Sales by growers.

	Per bushel.
Deliveries in—	s. d.
Brisbane metropolitan area	30 0
Sydney metropolitan area	28 0
Adelaide, Hobart, Melbourne or Perth metropolitan areas	28 0

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.
Ceiling prices—Wholesale and retail.

	Deliveries in Brisbane metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Sydney metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Adelaide, Hobart, Melbourne, or Perth metropolitan areas.
	Per bushel. s. d.	Per bushel. s. d.	Per bushel. s. d.
Sales by Wholesale ..	30 0	28 0	26 0
	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.
Sales by Retail ..	0 11	0 10½	0 10

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.
Maximum Retail Prices.

Cost into Store.	Maximum Retail Selling Price.
Per bushel.	Per lb. s. d.
Not exceeding 5s.	0 3
Exceeding 5s. but not exceeding 7s.	0 4
Exceeding 7s. but not exceeding 9s.	0 4½
Exceeding 9s. but not exceeding 11s.	0 5
Exceeding 11s. but not exceeding 13s.	0 5½
Exceeding 13s. but not exceeding 15s.	0 6
Exceeding 15s. but not exceeding 17s.	0 7
Exceeding 17s. but not exceeding 19s.	0 7½
Exceeding 19s. but not exceeding 21s.	0 8
Exceeding 21s. but not exceeding 23s.	0 8½
Exceeding 23s. but not exceeding 25s.	0 9½
Exceeding 25s. but not exceeding 27s.	0 10
Exceeding 27s. but not exceeding 29s.	0 10½
Exceeding 29s. but not exceeding 31s.	0 11
Exceeding 31s. but not exceeding 33s.	0 11½
Exceeding 33s.	Into store cost plus a margin at the rate of 2d. per lb.

Dated this fourth day of July, 1945.
H. E. BISHOP
Second Assistant Prices Commissioner.

NATIONAL SECURITY (PRICES) REGULATIONS.
PRICES REGULATION ORDER No. 2149.

Pears.
IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me by the Commonwealth Prices Commissioner pursuant to regulation 46 of the National Security (Prices) Regulations, I, Horace Eddy Bishop, Second Assistant Prices Commissioner, Prices Branch, Canberra, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 2149.

Revocations.

2. Prices Regulation Order No. 1610, as amended by Prices Regulation Orders Nos. 1653, 1690, 1735 and 1788 is hereby revoked.

Definitions.

3. In this Order, unless the contrary intention appears—
“Cost into store” means—

(a) in relation to any sale of pears by retail other than in the Far Northern area, the Northern area or the Central areas as defined in this paragraph—the purchase price paid or payable by the retail seller for those pears, or the maximum price fixed for the sale of those pears to him, whichever is the lesser; or

(b) in relation to any sale of pears by retail in the Far Northern area, the Northern area or the Central area—the amount computed in accordance with sub-paragraph (a) plus the following:—

(i) in the case of sales in the Far Northern area—an amount calculated at the rate of 1s. 6d. per bushel;

(ii) in the case of sales in the Northern area—an amount calculated at the rate of 1s. per bushel;

(iii) in the case of sales in the Central area—an amount calculated at the rate of 6d. per bushel,

plus, in each case, the cost of transport actually incurred by the retail seller in conveying those pears to his store, and properly recorded on an invoice delivered in relation thereto;

“the metropolitan area of Adelaide” means all that area comprised within a radius of fifteen miles from the General Post Office, Adelaide;

“the metropolitan area of Brisbane” means all that area constituted under the name of the “City of Brisbane” by the City of Brisbane Act of 1924 in the State of Queensland;

“the metropolitan area of Hobart” means all that area comprised within a radius of five miles from the General Post Office, Hobart;

“the metropolitan area of Melbourne” means all that area comprised within a radius of twenty miles from the General Post Office, Melbourne;

“the metropolitan area of Perth” means all that area comprised within a radius of twelve miles from the General Post Office, Perth;

“the metropolitan area of Sydney” means all that area comprised within a radius of twenty miles from the General Post Office, Sydney;

“Metropolitan area” means any of the metropolitan areas defined in this paragraph;

“Far Northern area” means all that area of Queensland north of the parallel of latitude of 18° south;

“Northern area” means all that area of Queensland north of the parallel of latitude 21° south, and south of the parallel of latitude 18° south;

“Central area” means all that area of Queensland north of the parallel of latitude 24° south, and south of the parallel of latitude 21° south.

Sales by growers.

4. I fix and declare the maximum prices at which pears may be sold by a grower delivered to a metropolitan area to be the prices specified in the First Schedule to this Order.

5. I fix and declare the maximum price at which pears may be sold by a grower where delivered outside the metropolitan areas to be—

(a) delivered at the grower’s premises—the price specified in paragraph 4 of this Order for deliveries in the metropolitan area most accessible by rail to such premises less cost of transport by rail, or if such transport is not available, then of any alternative transport from those premises to that metropolitan area; or

(b) delivered at any place other than the grower’s premises—the price specified in sub-paragraph (a) plus cost of transport actually incurred and properly attributable to the conveying of those pears from the grower’s premises to the place of delivery;

Provided that no amount shall be added for cost of transport in any price calculated under the provisions of this paragraph unless such amount is properly recorded by the grower on an invoice delivered in relation thereto.

Sales by wholesale.

6.—(1.) I fix and declare the maximum price at which pears may be sold by wholesale, other than by a grower, to be the sum of the following:—

(a) the price paid or payable for such pears by the wholesale seller or the maximum price fixed by paragraph 4 or 5 of this Order for the sale of those pears by the grower to the wholesale seller, whichever is the lesser;

(b) cost of transport actually incurred and properly attributable to the conveying of those pears from the point of delivery to the wholesale seller to the point of delivery by such wholesale seller; and

(c) margin at the rate of—

(i) if sold in original case—1s. per bushel case; or

(ii) if unpacked from original cases and re-packed—1s. 6d. per bushel case;

Provided that for deliveries to a purchaser in any metropolitan area, such maximum price shall be subject to an upper limit as specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.

(2.) No amount shall be added for cost of transport in any price calculated under the foregoing provisions of this paragraph unless such amount is clearly recorded on an invoice delivered by such wholesale seller.

Pears transported in ice trucks.

7. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs 4, 5 or 6 of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which pears may be sold by a grower or by wholesale where such pears are transported to the metropolitan area of Brisbane in ice trucks to be the maximum price fixed by the provisions of this Order for the sale of those pears by a grower or by wholesale, as the case may be, plus an amount calculated at the rate of 1s. per bushel.

Sales by retail.

8.—(1.) I fix and declare the maximum price at which pears may be sold by retail in quantities less than a half bushel to be the price specified in the second column of the Third Schedule to this Order according to the cost into store of the seller by retail of such pears set out in the first column of that Schedule.

(2.) I fix and declare the maximum price at which pears may be sold by retail in quantities of half bushel or more to be the cost into store of the seller by retail plus a margin at the rate of 5s. per bushel.

Retail ceiling metropolitan areas.

9. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which pears may be sold by retail in the metropolitan areas to be that specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, or if any lower maximum price is fixed by the provisions of paragraph 8 of this Order, then such lower maximum price.

Fixation of maximum prices by notice.

10. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order I declare the maximum price at which pears specified in a notice in pursuance of this paragraph may be sold by any person to whom such notice is given to be such price as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to that person.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

Maximum Prices—Sales by Growers.

	Per bushel.
Deliveries in—	<i>s. d.</i>
Brisbane metropolitan area	31 0
Sydney metropolitan area, Melbourne metropolitan area, Adelaide metropolitan area, Perth metropolitan area or Hobart metropolitan area	29 0

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

Ceiling Prices—Wholesale and Retail.

	Deliveries in Brisbane metropolitan area.	Deliveries in Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth or Hobart metropolitan areas.
	Per bushel. <i>s. d.</i>	Per bushel. <i>s. d.</i>
Sales by Wholesale ..	31 0 Per lb.	29 0 Per lb.
Sales by Retail	<i>s. d.</i> 0 11	<i>s. d.</i> 0 10½

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

Maximum Retail Prices.

Cost into Retailer's Store.	Maximum Retail Selling Price.
Per bushel.	Per lb. <i>s. d.</i>
Not exceeding 5s.	0 3
Exceeding 5s. but not exceeding 6s. ..	0 3½
Exceeding 6s. but not exceeding 8s. ..	0 4
Exceeding 8s. but not exceeding 10s. ..	0 4½
Exceeding 10s. but not exceeding 12s. ..	0 5
Exceeding 12s. but not exceeding 14s. ..	0 5½
Exceeding 14s. but not exceeding 16s. ..	0 6
Exceeding 16s. but not exceeding 18s. ..	0 7
Exceeding 18s. but not exceeding 20s. ..	0 7½
Exceeding 20s. but not exceeding 22s. ..	0 8
Exceeding 22s. but not exceeding 24s. ..	0 8½
Exceeding 24s. but not exceeding 26s. ..	0 9
Exceeding 26s. but not exceeding 28s. ..	0 10
Exceeding 28s. but not exceeding 30s. ..	0 10½
Exceeding 30s. but not exceeding 32s. ..	0 11
Exceeding 32s. but not exceeding 34s. ..	0 11½
Exceeding 34s. but not exceeding 36s. ..	1 0
Exceeding 36s. but not exceeding 38s. ..	1 0½
Exceeding 38s.	Into store cost plus a margin at the rate of 2d. per lb.

Dated this fourth day of July, 1945.

H. E. BISHOP

Second Assistant Prices Commissioner.

NOTIFICATION OF THE MAKING OF REGULATIONS.

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Title of Act under which Regulations made.	Citation of Statutory Rule.	Particulars of Regulations comprised in Statutory Rule.	Price of Statutory Rule.
National Security Act 1939-1943 ..	S.R. 1945, No. 106	Amendment of the National Security (Supplementary) Regulations	<i>s. d.</i> 0 3
National Security Act 1939-1943 ..	S.R. 1945, No. 107	Amendment of the National Security (Capital Issues) Regulations	0 3

F. M. FORDE, Acting Prime Minister.

