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PRICES REGULATION ORDER No. 6.—MEAT.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the *Prices Regulation Act* 1948, I, John Francis Waldron, Prices Decontrol Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:—

CITATION

- 1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 6. REVOCATION.
- 2. Prices Regulation Order No. 2907 as amended by Prices Regulation Orders Nos. 2921, 2932, 3116, 3189, 3319 and 3341 made under Commonwealth National Security (Prices) Regulations is hereby revoked.

## DEFINITIONS.

- 3. In this Order, unless the contrary intention appears-
  - "prevailing price" means, in relation to the sale of meat of any class or cut by any person, the price at which that person sold meat of that class or cut on the 16th day of September, 1948, upon substantially the same terms and conditions, or if no sale of meat of that class or cut was made by that person upon that date on substantially the same terms and conditions, then the last preceding date upon which a sale was made by that person of meat of that class or cut upon substantially the same terms and conditions;
  - "prevailing margin of gross profit" means, in relation to the sale by any person of meat of any class or cut, the actual amount in money of gross profit obtained by that person upon the sale of meat of that class or cut on the sixteenth day of September, 1948, upon substantially the same terms and conditions, or if no sale of meat of such class or cut was made by that person upon such date upon substantially the same terms and conditions, then the last preceding date upon which a sale of meat of that class or cut was made by that person upon substantially the same terms and conditions;
  - "Melbourne metropolitan area" means all that area comprised within a radius of 25 miles from the principal post office, Melbourne;
  - "Geelong" means all that area of Victoria comprised within a radius of 10 miles from the principal post office, Geelong;
  - "Ballarat" means all that area of Victoria comprised within a radius of 10 miles from the principal post office, Ballarat.
- In this Order reference to the weight of any meat shall be construed as a reference to the dressed weight of that meat.

#### SALES BY WHOLESALE (SCHEDULES).

5. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph 2 of this paragraph, I fix and declare the maximum price at which the classes of meat specified in the First and Second Schedules to this Order may be sold by wholesale in Victoria to be the prices specified in those Schedules.

(2) If fix and declare the maximum prices at which meat for which a delivered price is fixed for sales by wholesale may be sold by wholesale other than at a delivered price, to be such delivered price less an amount calculated at the rate of 1d. per pound for every 25 miles or part thereof by which the purchaser's premises are distant from the seller's premises.

#### PORTIONS OF A CARCASS OR SIDE.

6. Where any class of meat a maximum price for the sale of which is fixed by paragraph 5 of this Order is sold by wholesale in the form of portions or cuts of a carcass or side, the maximum price at which any portion or cut of that carcass or side may be sold shall be such amount that the price of that portion and the price of the other portions of the carcass or side in question when sold shall together be not greater than the maximum price fixed under this Order upon a sale of a like whole carcass or side, as the case may be.

#### OTHER SALES BY WHOLESALE.

- 7. I fix and declare the maximum price at which meat of any class may be sold by any person by wholesale in Victoria where a maximum price is not fixed for such sale by paragraph 5 or 6 of this Order to be—
  - (a) the prevailing price for the sale of that class of meat by that person, or
  - (b) the cost to such person of such meat plus the prevailing margin of gross profit for sales of meat of that class by that person,

whichever is the lesser.

8. I declare that where a person (in this paragraph referred to as "the agent") purchases live stock as agent, or purported agent, for another person (in this paragraph referred to as "the principal") and processes or treats the live stock and delivers meat resulting from the processing or treatment to the principal, the carrying out of the agency (or purported agency) and the performance of the other services by the agent shall, for the purposes of Part II. of the Prices Regulation Act 1948 and this Order, be deemed to be a sale by wholesale of the meat so delivered by the agent to the principal at a price equal to the sum of the amounts paid or payable by the principal to the agent in respect of the agency and services (including the price paid by the agent for the live stock purchased by him).

### SALES BY RETAIL.

9. I fix and declare the maximum price at which meat of the classes or cuts specified in the Third Schedule to this Order may be sold by retail in Victoria to be the prices specified therein:

Provided that the prices so specified for sales outside the Melbourne metropolitan area shall—

- (a) where delivery is made to a purchaser's premises which are not within the boundary of any town or city and which are at a distance greater than 1 mile from the seller's premises; and
- (b) the delivery charge is separately recorded on a docket delivered in relation to the meat,

be subject in each case to the addition of a delivery charge of One penny per pound.

## OTHER SALES BY RETAIL.

- 10. I fix and declare the maximum price at which meat of any class or cut may be sold by any person by retail in Victoria, where a maximum price is not fixed for such sale by paragraph 9 of this Order, to be—
  - (a) the prevailing price for the sale of that class or cut of meat by that person, or
  - (b) the cost to such person of such meat, plus the prevailing margin of gross profit for sales of meat of that class or cut by that person,

whichever is the lesser.

#### GENERAL:

- 11. For the purpose of this Order if a person operates more than one place of business he shall in respect of each place of business be deemed to be a separate seller.
- 12. Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing provisions of this Order where a seller of any meat has customarily allowed any difference in price—
  - (a) to any person or to persons included in any class of persons; or
- (b) in respect of sales of certain quantities of meat, the maximum price fixed by or under this Order in respect of that meat shall, in the case of sales to any such person or persons or of such quantities, be reduced by the allowance of that difference:

Provided that in the case of any sale by retail it shall not be necessary to make any such allowance to a greater extent than One half-penny per pound.

- 13. For the purpose of this Order where any business, in the carrying on of which any class or cut of meat is sold, or the assets of that business are transferred (by sale or otherwise) after the date of this Order and the transferee carries on such business at the same place of business, then notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which meat of such class or cut may be sold by the transferee in respect of such place of business to be the maximum price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order for the sale of that class or cut of meat by the transferor in respect of such place of business.
- 14. Every person who sells by wholesale any meat for which a maximum price is fixed by or under the provisions of this Order shall deliver with that meat an invoice or docket containing the following particulars:—
  - (a) His name and place of business;
  - (b) the name and address of the purchaser of that meat;
  - (c) the date of the sale of that meat;
  - (d) the class of that meat described according to the classes of meat specified in the Schedules to this Order;
  - (e) the number in each lot of those classes of meat sold;
  - (f) in the case of any class of meat for which a maximum price is expressed in this Order or the Schedules thereto to be fixed by reference to weight—the total weight of each lot of those classes of meat sold;
  - (g) the price per lb., per dozen or per unit, as the case may be, at which each lot of those classes of meat is sold.

## NOTICE IN WRITING.

- 15. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order-
  - (a) I declare the maximum price at which meat of any class or cut 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 Prices Decontrol Commissioner by notice in writing to that person.
  - (b) All notices given in pursuance of any Prices Regulation Order revoked by paragraph 2 of this Order other than notices which fix a retail price for any class or cut of meat specified in the Third Schedule to this Order greater than the price specified therein which are in force at the commencement of this Order shall be deemed to be given under this Order.

#### EXHIBITION OF PRICE LISTS.

16. (1) Every trader who sells or has for sale any meat shall exhibit in a prominent place in his shop or, if he has more than one shop, in each of his shops a notice in the form approved by the Prices Decontrol Commissioner setting forth the maximum price fixed from time to time by or under the provisions of this or any subsequent Order for the sale by him of any class of cut of meat. I hereby approve of the following form of such notice, that is to say, a notice not less than 18 inches long and not less than 12 inches wide having printed thereon in clear printer's type all the classes or cuts of meat which that trader sells or has for sale and the maximum prices fixed by or under this Order in relation thereto.

(2) For the purpose of the last preceding sub-paragraph the amount added for delivery in pursuance of the foregoing provisions of this Order shall not be deemed to be part of the maximum price, but where any such charge is permitted in relation to the sale of meat by any person under those provisions the following shall be endorsed in clear printer's type at the foot of the notice referred to in the last preceding sub-paragraph:—

"The prices referred to in this list are subject to the addition of One penny per pound in each case where delivery is made to a purchaser's premises outside this town (or city) and are distant more than 1 mile from these premises."

- 17. Every person who sells by retail other than for cash payment at time of sale any meat for which a maximum price is fixed by or under the provisions of this Order shall deliver within seven (7) days of the date of such sale an invoice or docket containing the following particulars:—
  - (a) His name and place of business.
  - (b) The name and address of the purchaser of that meat.
  - (c) The date of sale of that meat.
  - (d) The class or cut of that meat.
  - (e) The weight of that meat.
  - (f) The price per lb. or per unit of that meat, as the case may be, at which that meat is sold.
  - (g) The total price charged for that meat.

## THE FIRST SCHEDULE. PART 1.—WHOLESALE—MAXIMUM PRICE.

_	Maximu (Deliv	
*	Per 1	00 1h
•		d.
Carcass of ox heifer beef weighing not more than 450 lb. per carcass	72	
Side of ox or heifer beef weighing not more than 225 lb. per side	72	
Carcass of ox beef weighing more than 450 lb. but less than 700 lb. per	'~	•
Carcass	69	7
Side of ox beef weighing more than 225 lb. but less than 350 lb. per		•
side	69	7
Side of heifer beef weighing more than 225 lb. but less than 350 lb. per	3,0	•
side	69	7
Carcass of ox beef weighing more than 700 lb. per carcass	64	
Side of ox beef weighing more than 350 lb. per side	64	
Carcass of heifer beef weighing more than 700 lb. per carcass	64	
Side of heller beef Weighing more than 350 lb. per side	64	7
Side of heifer beef weighing more than 350 lb. per side	59	
Second quality or trade cow beef  Cow beef of standard canner quality and/or up to and including carcasses of third quality standard as defined by the Meat Export Branch of the Department of Commerce and Agriculture and all weights above the minimum chilled carcass of 200 lb	59	
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## THE SECOND SCHEDULE. OFFAL MEAT-WHOLESALE.

		Class.	Maximum Price.				
Beef— Ox tongue Ox tails Thick Skirts Thin skirts Tripes, green Sweetbreads Hearts	 	4 ::			 1 0 0 4 0 4 1 0 0 9	each each per lb. each per lb. each	

THE SECOND SCHEDULE—continued.

	Class.								
							s. d.		
Kidneys							0 10 per lb.		
Brains						1	0 3 per lb.		
Livers							1 0 each		
Cheeks, crown	n.						0 21 per lb.		
Cheeks, lips							0 1 per lb.		
Tripes, raw							1 0 each		
Tripes, cooke	ď			.:			0 31 per lb.		
Cow heels							0 5 each		
Cow tongues							1 6 each		
Full set offal	with !	body					2 6 per set		
Sheep and Lam		•							
Tongues							2 0 per doz.		
Livers							2 0 per doz.		
Hearts							0 2 per lb.		
Kidneys							1 6 per doz.		
Brains							0 11 each		
Heads (with	brains		ie)				0 3 each		
Skulls	••					- :: 1	0 2 each		
Plucks, with						- ::	0 3 each		
Heads and fr				• • •			0 3 each		
Sweetbreads	.,			- ::	::		1 0 per lb.		
Calves-				• •	•••	- ''	. o per is.		
Tongues, bob	bv						2 0 per doz.		
Liver	-5					:: [	2 0 per doz.		
Kidneys	• • •		• •	• • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	::	0 6 per lb.		
Brains					• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		0 1 per lb.		
Feet, scalded		• •	• •	• • •	••		0 6 each		
Sweetbreads	• • •	••		•••	••		0 10 per lb.		
Hearts	• •	•••	••		• • •		0 2 per lb.		

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

MAXIMUM PRIOES—SALES BY RETAIL.

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Beef_				other than Melbourne Metropolitan Area,	Sales in Melbourn Metropolitan Area Ballarat and Geelong.
Fillet steak         2 3½         2           Rump steak         1 1 1½         2           Sirloin steak         1 8         1           Porterhouse steak         1 8         1           Sirloin beef         1 5         1           Sirloin beef boned         1 8         1           Topside         1 4         1           Silverside         1 3         1           Boneless back rib         1 2         1           Prime rib         1 0½         1           Boned blade         1 3         1           Boned chuck         1 0         1           Boned brisket         0 10         0           Gravy beef (leg or shin)         0 10½         0           Round         1 3½         1           Wing rib         1 4         1           Rolled rib roast beef         1 3½         1           Thin skirt steak         1 2         1           Mince steak         0 11         0           Sausages         0 11         0           Sausages         0 11         0           Sausages         0 11         0           Sausages         0 11 <t< td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>Per lb.</td><td>Per lb.</td></t<>				Per lb.	Per lb.
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THE THIRD SCHEDULE—continued.

					Maximum P	rices—Retail.
		-			Sales in Victoria other than Melbourne Metropolitan Area, Ballarat or Geelong.	Sales in Melbourne Metropolitan Area Ballarat and Geelong.
					Each.	Each.
Shanks					a. d. 0 5½	$\begin{array}{ccc} s. & d. \\ 0 & 5\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$
					Per lb.	Per lb.
Lambs				•	s. d.	. a. d.
Legs			·		1 4	1 5
Loin chops					1 7	1 8
Chump chops		٠.	.:		1 41	1 51
Forequarter			·	••	0 101	0 10 <del>1</del>
Cutlets		• •			19	19
Loins trimme	d				154	1 6 <u>1</u>
Forequarter of					0 111	0 11
			••		0 112	0 11 <del>1</del>
Breast					0 91	0 10 j
Neck			••		0 7	0 7
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All other cut	s not ot			• •	06	0 6
	,		•		Each. · ·	Each.
					s. d.	s. d.
Shanks	••	••	••	••	0 7	0 7
•					Per lb.	Per lb.
Veal-					s. d.	s. d.
Leg (bone in	)				12	1 2
					15	1 5
Cutlets					1 5½	1 5 <u>1</u>
Loins					12	12 .
Loin chops	••				1 21	1 21
Forequarter	(bone in)	)		٠.	09	0 9
Forequarter 1	rolled				10	0 1
All other cut	s not ot	herwise	specified	• •	0 6	0 6
					Each.	Each.
Knuckles					s. d. 0 5	s. d. 0 5
∩#_1 W4-					Per lb.	Per lb.
Offal Meats Beef	••				s. d.	s. d.
Ox tongues	3				0 8	0 8
Ox tails					.08	0 8
Hearts		••			0 41	0 41
Kidneys	••				0 11	0 11
Livers	• •				03	0 3
Tripe cook	ed				0 8	0 6
-					Each.	Each.
	_				s. d.	s. d.
Sheep and Lam						0 01
Tongues	• •		••	• •	0 21	. 0 21
Livers	••	• •	• •	• •	0 6 0 2	0 6 0 2
$\mathbf{K}$ idneys	••	• •	••	••	· .	
					Per set.	Per set. s. $d$ .

Dated this 10th day of November, 1948.

J. F. WALDRON, Prices Decontrol Commissioner.

#### Prices Regulation Act 1948.

#### PRICES REGULATION ORDER No. 7.—POTATOES.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the *Prices Regulation Act* 1948, I, John Francis Waldron, Prices Decontrol Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:—

#### CITATION.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 7.

#### REVOCATION.

2. Prices Regulation Order No. 1505 as amended by Prices Regulation Order No. 3067 made under Commonwealth National Security (Prices) Regulations is hereby revoked.

#### DEFINITIONS.

- 3. For the purposes of this Order-
  - (a) "potatoes" means any potatoes other than potatoes approved as seed potatoes by the Department of Agriculture, Victoria;
  - (b) "the Melbourne metropolitan area" means all that area of Victoria comprised within a radius of 20 miles from the General Post Office, Melbourne;
  - (c) "primary wholesaler" is a person who purchases potatoes from a grower for the purposes of resale to another wholesaler whose normal business is to supply potatoes to retailers;
  - (d) "secondary wholesaler" is a person who purchases potatoes from a primary wholesaler for the purpose of resale to retailers.

#### SALES BY GROWERS.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by growers to retailers to be £22 per ton or 11s. per case for sales at markets in the City of Melbourne.

#### SALES BY PRIMARY WHOLESALERS.

5. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by primary wholesalers to secondary wholesalers to be £20 per ton Cowper-street.

## SALES BY WHOLESALE—MELBOURNE METROPOLITAN 'AREA.

- 6. If fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by wholesale in the Melbourne metropolitan area or for delivery to the Melbourne metropolitan area for domestic consumption in Victoria or to processors to be—
  - (i) for sales in ton lots £20 12s. 6d. per ton;
  - (ii) for sales in less than ton lots at the rate of £20 17s. 6d. per ton.

Provided that if the seller at the request of the purchaser delivers the potatoes free to the premises of the purchaser an amount may be added equal to a cost of transport properly incurred or an amount calculated at the rate of 12s. 6d. per ton, whichever is the lesser.

#### SALES BY WHOLESALE—OUTSIDE MELBOURNE METROPOLITAN AREA.

- 7. I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by wholesale other than in the Melbourne metropolitan area to be—  $\frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dx \, dx \, dx = 0$ 
  - (a) Where such potatoes have been purchased in the Melbourne metropolitan area the sum of the following—
    - (i) purchase price paid or payable or an amount calculated at the rate of £20 per ton whichever is the lesser;
    - (ii) cost of rail transport from Cowper-street Railway
       Siding to the railway station or siding nearest the purchaser's premises or place of business;
    - (iii) actual cost (if any) of cartage incurred from railway station or siding nearest purchaser's premises of place of business to such premises or place of business or an amount calculated at the rate of 5s. per ton, whichever is the lesser;
    - (iv) margin of 12s, 6d, per ton for sales in ton lots or at the rate of 17s, 6d, per ton for sales in less than ton lots.

- (b) Where such potatoes have been purchased outside the Melbourne metropolitan area the sum of the following—
  - (i) an amount calculated at a rate of £20 per ton less the usual cost of transporting such potatoes by rail from the railway station or siding nearest the purchaser's premises to Cowper-street railway siding, plus the usual cost of transporting such potatoes by rail from the railway station or siding nearest the seller's premises to the railway station or siding nearest the purchaser's premises or place of business;
  - (ii) actual cost (if any) of cartage incurred from railway station or siding nearest purchaser's premises to such premises or place of business or an amount calculated at the rate of 5s. per ton, whichever is the lesser;
  - (iii) margin of 12s. 6d. per ton for sales in ton lots, or at the rate of 17s. 6d. per ton for sales in less than ton lots.

#### SALES BY THE BAG.

8. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by the bag in Victoria to be the maximum price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order for the sale of 149 lb. of potatoes or the maximum price so fixed for the sale of the weight of potatoes actually contained in the bag, whichever is the lesser.

#### SALES BY THE CASE.

9. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes may be sold by the case in Victoria to be the maximum price fixed by the foregoing provisions of this Order for the sale of 56 lb. of potatoes or the maximum price so fixed for the sale of the weight of potatoes actually contained in the case, whichever is the lesser.

#### NOTICE IN WRITING.

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

Dated this 11th day of November, 1948.

J. F. WALDRON,
Prices Decontrol Commissioner.

#### Prices Regulation Act 1948.

### PRICES REGULATION ORDER No. 8.—POTATOES—RETAIL.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the *Prices Regulation Act* 1948, I, John Francis Waldron, Prices Decontrol Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:—

#### CITATION.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 8.

#### DEFINITIONS.

- 2. In this Order-
  - (a) "potatoes" means any potatoes other than potatoes approved as seed potatoes by the Department of Agriculture, Victoria;
  - (b) "the Melbourne metropolitan area" means all that area of Victoria comprised within a radius of 20 miles from the General Post Office, Melbourne.
- 3. I fix and declare the maximum price at which potatoes, which have been purchased at a cost per ton shown in the first column of the Schedule contained hereunder, may be sold by retail in Victoria—
  - (a) in Melbourne metropolitan area to be that specified in the second column of the said Schedule opposite each such cost; and

(b) in areas outside the Melbourne metropolitan area to be that specified in the second column of the said Schedule opposite each such cost, plus charges properly incurred in transporting such potatoes from the point of purchase by the retailer to such retailer's shop or place of business, provided the amount so added shall not exceed One halfpenny per lb.

## NOTICE IN WRITING.

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

POTATOES.
Schedule of Maximum Retail Prices.

	Maximum Retall Prices.											
Cost into Retailer's Store— Per Ton.	Lb.	for—			P	rice i	n Pene	ce for-				
To Iou.	1 Shil- ling.	Six pence.	l Ib.	2 lb.	3 lb.	<b>7</b> 1b.	5 lb.	6 1b.	7 1b.	14 (b.	28 lb.	
Up to £2 15s	24	12	1	1	11	2	21/2	3	31	7	14	
Over £2 15s, but not exceeding £3 5s	22	11	1	11	2	21/2	3	31	4	7 <u>1</u>	15	
Over £3 5s. but not exceeding £3 15s	20	10	1	11	2	21	3	31	41/2	81	17	
Over £3 15s. but not exceeding £4 5s	18	9	1	11	2	21/2	3}	4	4 <u>1</u>	9	18	
Over £4 5s. but not exceeding £4 15s Over £4 15s. but not ex-	17	81	1	11	$2\frac{1}{2}$	3	33	41	5	10	20	
ceeding £5 5s Over £5 5s. but not ex-	14 <del>1</del>	71	1	2	21/2	3 <del>1</del>	4 <u>1</u>	5	6	111	23	
ceeding £5 15s Over £5 15s. but not ex-	14	7	1	2	3	$3\frac{1}{2}$	$4\frac{1}{2}$	51	6	12	24	
ceeding £6 5s Over £6 5s. but not ex-	13	61	1	2	3	4	5	5 <u>1</u>	61	13	26	
ceeding £6 15s Over £6 15s. but not ex-	12	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	14	28	
ceeding £7 5s Over £7 5s. but not ex-	11 <del>1</del>	53	11	2₺	3 <del>1</del>	41/2	5 <del>1</del>	6 <u>1</u>	71	142	29	
ceeding £7 15s Over £7 15s. but not ex-	11	5 <u>1</u>	11	2½	31	41/2	5 <del>1</del>	6 <u>1</u>	8	15½	31	
ceeding £8 5s Over £8 5s. but not ex-	101	5	11	21 21	3 <del>1</del>	5	6	7	8 <u>1</u>	16 <u>1</u>	33	
ceeding £8 15s Over £8 15s. but not ex-	10 91	5 4}	11/2 11/2	2½ 3	312 4	5 ;	6 6	8	8 <del>1</del> 9	17 18	34 36	
ceeding £9 5s.  Over £9 5s. but not exceeding £9 15s.	9	41	11	3	4	5 <u>1</u>	6 <u>1</u>	8	9 <u>1</u>	19	30 37½	
Over £9 15s. but not exceeding £10 5s.	81	41	1 ½	3	4	6	7	81	10	191	381	
Over £10 5s. but not exceeding £10 15s	81	4	11	3	4 <u>1</u>	6	71	9	101	201	41	
Over £10 15s. but not exceeding £11 10s Over £11 10s. but not ex-	73	33	2	3 <del>1</del>	41	61	8	9	11	22	44	
ceeding £12	71	31	2	4	5	$6\frac{1}{2}$	8	10	111	23	45 <u>1</u>	
Over £12 but not exceeding £12 10s.	7	3 <u>‡</u>	2	4	5	7	8 <u>1</u>	10	12	231	47	
Over £12 10s. but not exceeding £13	63	31	2	4	51	7	9	101	121	25	49	
Over £13 but not exceeding £13 10s Over £13 10s. but not ex-	6 <u>1</u>	31	2	4	$5\frac{1}{2}$	71	9	11	13	25½	51	
ceeding £14 5s Over £14 5s. but not ex-	61	3	2	4	6	71	91	111	131	26 <u>‡</u>	52 <u>1</u>	
ceeding £15 Over £15 but not exceeding	61	3	2	4	6	8 .	10	111	14	$27\frac{1}{2}$	54 <u>1</u>	
£15 10s Over £15 10s. but not ex-	· 5¾	23	21/2	41	6 <del>1</del>	81	101	121	141	29	57 <u>‡</u>	
ceeding £16 Over £16 but not exceeding	53	23	$2\frac{1}{2}$	4 ½	61	81	101	121	15	291	59	
£16 10s Over £16 10s. but not ex-	5 <u>1</u>	23	21	41	61	9	11	13	151	301	61	
over £17 but not ex-	51	2#	$2\frac{1}{2}$	41	61	9	11	131	15 <u>1</u>	i	62	
ceeding £17 10s Over £17 10s. but not ex-	5 <u>1</u>	21/g	$\frac{2\frac{1}{2}}{2}$	41/2	7	9₹	111	131	16	32	64	
ceeding £18	5 5	2½ 2½	$2\frac{1}{2}$	5 5	7	9 <u>1</u> 10	12 12	141	$16\frac{1}{2}$	33	66 67	
£18 10s	o		$2\frac{1}{2}$			10	12	141	11	34	07	

POTATOES—continued.

	Maximum Retail Prices.										
Cost into Retailer's Store— Per Ton.	Lb.	Price in Pence for-									
	1 Shil- ling.	Six pence.	1 Ib.	2 lb.	3 lb.	1b.	5 lb.	6 1b.	7 lb.	14 lb.	28 lb.
Over £18 10s. but not exceeding £19 Over £19 but not exceeding	41	21	3	5 <del>1</del>	8	101	13	15 <u>1</u>	181	361	72
£19 10s	41/2	21	3	5 <u>1</u>	8	11	131	16	19	371	74
Over £19 10s, but not exceeding £20	41/2	21	3	5 <u>1</u>	81	1.1	131	161	19	38	76
Over £20 but not exceeding £20 10s.	41	2	3	6	81	11	14	17	19 <del>1</del>	39	77
Over £20 10s. but not exceeding £21	41	2	3	6	8 <u>‡</u>	11.	141	17	20	40	79
Over £21 but not exceeding £21 10s	4‡ 4	$\frac{2}{2}$	3	6	9	11 <u>1</u> 12	141 15	171 18	$\frac{20\frac{1}{2}}{21}$	401 411	81 828

Dated this 11th day of November, 1948.

J. F. WALDRON, Prices Decontrol Commissioner.