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MILK BOARD ACT.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-second day of April, 1969.

PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Mr. Rossiter
Mr. Manson

Mr. Dickie.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the Milk Board Act and all other powers enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke as from 1st May, 1969, all determinations of milk prices heretofore made pursuant to the provisions of the Milk Board Act, and doth hereby approve of the following determination of milk prices by the Milk Board to take effect from 1st May, 1969.

DETERMINATION.

PART 1.

The prices which shall be paid by the Board to dairyfarmers for milk for sale or distribution in Milk Districts shall be as follows :—

(a) For milk delivered to the premises of Authorized Agents at the following places :—

<i>Price per Gallon</i>				<i>Price per Gallon</i>			
<i>Cents</i>				<i>Cents</i>			
Archies Creek .. .. .	..	..	37.80	Longwarry .. .. .	..	..	38.18
Ballarat .. .. .	..	..	39.22	Maryborough .. .. .	..	..	40.14
Bayles .. .. .	..	..	38.43	Moe .. .. .	..	..	37.61
Beechworth .. .. .	..	..	40.56	Moyhu .. .. .	..	..	36.37
Bendigo .. .. .	..	..	39.04	Reservoir .. .. .	..	..	39.97
Camperdown .. .. .	..	..	36.79	Rochester .. .. .	..	..	36.89
Cobden .. .. .	..	..	36.76	Stanhope .. .. .	..	..	36.77
Coburg .. .. .	..	..	39.92	Strathmerton .. .. .	..	..	35.93
Cobram .. .. .	..	..	35.59	Sunbury .. .. .	..	..	38.26
Colac .. .. .	..	..	37.08	Swan Hill .. .. .	..	..	40.10
Drouin .. .. .	..	..	38.00	Warrnambool .. .. .	..	..	37.12
Dumbalk .. .. .	..	..	36.66	Bacchus Marsh and Werribee .. .. .	..	..	38.84
Frankston .. .. .	..	..	39.82	Bairnsdale and Maffra .. .. .	..	..	36.20
Girgarre .. .. .	..	..	35.66	Darnum and Poowong .. .. .	..	..	38.01
Kew .. .. .	..	..	40.04	Euroa, Mooroopna and Shepparton .. .. .	..	..	38.06
Kiewa .. .. .	..	..	35.50	Heyfield and Traralgon .. .. .	..	..	37.28
Korumburra .. .. .	..	..	37.59	Trafalgar, Warragul and Yarragon .. .. .	..	..	37.97

(b) For milk delivered to the premises of Authorized Agents at any other place : 40.14

Clause 4 (3) of the contract between the Board and dairyfarmers provides that the Board shall be entitled to deduct from the price of the milk purchased under such contract, such amount per gallon as it may from time to time determine in respect of the cost incurred in transporting the said milk from the farm of the vendor to the point of sale by the Board.

The prices prescribed in sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) above make provision for the cost of transport of the said milk from the premises of the Authorized Agent of the Board to the premises of the dairyman to whom such milk is normally sold by the Board, but from each of such prices the Board shall be entitled to deduct such sum per gallon as it may from time to time determine in respect of the cost of transport of the milk from the farm of the vendor to the premises of the Authorized Agent.

In respect of any milk, additional to its normal requirements, which the Board may purchase from a dairyfarmer to meet a demand in an area other than that in which the said dairyfarmer's milk is normally marketed, the Board shall also be entitled to deduct from the appropriate price herein prescribed, such further sum per gallon as it may determine in respect of any cost (in excess of that for which allowance has already been made in this determination) of transporting such milk from the premises of its Authorized Agent to the premises of the dairyman purchasing such milk.

PART 2.—SEMI-WHOLESALE PRICES.

The minimum prices payable per gallon to dairymen (in the case of sales other than sales by retail) for milk (other than flavoured milk) of the kinds and quantities as described hereunder for sale or distribution in a Milk District shall be the prices as shown in the column hereto headed with the name of that Milk District:—

MILK DISTRICTS.

	Metro- politan, Danden- ong Ranges and West Gipps- land.	Bacchus Marsh.	Ballarat.	Bendigo and Castle- maine.	Central.	Goulburn Valley and Murray Valley.		East Gippsland.		Latrobe Valley.	Mary- borough.	North Eastern.		South Gipps- land.	Swan Hill.	Western.
						(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)			(e)	(f)			
(i) By dairymen (other than the owners of house-trade dairies):—																
(a) For milk in bottles, delivered—																
Third-pints	59.1	58.8	57.9	58	59.3	58.6	60.2	58.6	59.3	58.75	59.1	58.75	60.2	58.6	58.9	58.75
Half-pints	54.82	54	53.08	53.71	54.82	52.38	53.92	52.58	53.28	52.74	53.38	52.53	53.63	52.54	55.2	52.74
Pints	51.82	51	50.08	50.71	51.82	49.38	50.92	49.58	50.28	49.74	50.38	49.53	50.63	49.54	52.2	49.74
(b) For milk in single-service containers, delivered—																
Third-pints	74.07	73.25	72.72	72.96	74.07	71.63	73.17	69.58	69.28	72.63	72.63	71.28	72.88	71.29	74.45	72
Half-pints	63.57	62.75	62.22	62.46	63.57	61.13	62.67	57.58	58.28	61.5	62.03	60.28	61.58	60.29	63.5	61.5
Pints	60.87	60.05	59.52	59.76	60.87	58.43	59.97	53.58	58.28	58.8	59.43	58.68	59.68	58.59	60.25	57.74
Quarts	59.62	58.8	58.27	58.51	59.62	57.18	58.72	53.58	57.03	57.55	58.18	57.33	58.43	57.34	60	56.5
Half-gallons	48	46.3	46.5	46.5	47	45	46.4	44.5	45.2	45.1	47	45	46.4	45	47.4	44.5
(c) For bulk milk																
(ii) By charitable institutions and benevolent societies registered under the Hospitals and Charities Act and approved by the Hospitals and Charities Commission for maintenance purposes—																
(a) For milk in bottles—																
Third-pints	72.9	72.6	72.8	72.9	72.8	72.5	73.5	72.5	73.4	72.5	72.4	72.5	73.5	72.6	74.8	72.5
Half-pints	69.3	68.7	69.4	69.6	69.3	68.4	70.5	69.5	69.7	68.7	70.1	69.3	70.2	69.6	71.7	69.5
Pints	60.6	60.5	60.2	60.4	60.4	59.4	60.5	60.4	60.8	60.2	60.2	59.5	60.4	59.6	63.1	60.2
(b) For milk in single-service containers—																
Third-pints	87.05	86.45	87.34	87.35	89.05	87.15	88.25	85.5	85.7	86.46	87.85	87.05	87.95	87.35	89.45	87.25
Half-pints	71.3	71.2	70.9	71.1	75.1	70.1	71.2	68.4	68.8	70.91	70.9	70.2	71.1	70.3	73.8	70.9
Pints	68.6	68.5	68.2	68.4	72.4	67.4	68.5	64.4	68.8	68.21	68.2	67.5	68.4	67.6	71.1	68.2
Quarts	66.6	66.5	66.2	66.4	70.4	65.4	66.5	64.4	66.8	66.21	66.2	65.5	66.4	65.6	69.1	66.2
Half-gallons	57.7	56	56.2	56.2	56.7	54.7	56.1	54.2	54.9	54.8	56.7	54.7	56.1	54.7	57.1	54.2
(c) For bulk milk delivered in daily quantities of 2 to 50 gallons																
(iii) By owners of milk shops, owners of house-trade dairies and any other persons—																
(a) For milk in bottles—																
Third-pints	75.4	75.1	75.3	75.4	75.3	75	76	75	75.9	75	74.9	75	76	75.1	77.3	75
Half-pints	71.8	71.2	71.9	72.1	73.8	71.9	73	72	72.2	71.2	73.6	71.8	72.7	72.1	74.2	72
Pints	63.1	63	62.7	62.9	66.9	61.9	63	62.9	63.3	62.7	62.7	62	62.9	62.1	65.6	62.7
(b) For milk in single-service containers—																
Third-pints	89.55	88.95	89.84	89.85	91.55	89.65	90.75	88	88.2	88.96	90.35	89.55	90.45	89.85	91.95	89.75
Half-pints	73.8	73.7	73.4	73.6	77.6	72.6	73.7	70.9	71.3	73.41	73.4	72.7	73.6	72.8	76.3	73.4
Pints	71.1	71	70.7	70.9	73.9	70.8	71.9	66.9	71.3	70.41	70.7	70.9	70.9	70.1	73.6	70.7
Quarts	69.1	69	68.7	68.9	72.9	67.9	69	66.9	69.3	68.71	68.7	68	68.9	68.1	71.6	68.7
Half-gallons																
(iv) By purchasers of bulk milk (other than purchases as specified in sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii) above)—																
In daily quantities of—																
22 to 50 gallons	59.3	57.6	57.8	57.8	58.3	56.3	57.7	55.8	56.5	56.4	58.3	56.3	57.7	56.3	58.7	55.8
51 to 100 gallons	56.1	54.4	54.6	54.6	55.1	53.1	54.5	52.6	53.3	53.2	55.1	53.1	54.1	54.7	55.1	54.2
more than 100 gallons	54.5	52.8	53	53	53.5	51.5	52.9	51	51.7	51.6	53.5	51.5	52.9	51.5	53.9	51

The following special provisions shall apply in respect of the undermentioned Milk Districts :—

1. *All Milk Districts :—*

- (a) In respect of purchases of bulk milk otherwise than by retail in containers of a capacity of twenty quarts or less, the minimum prices shall be the appropriate prices prescribed by sub-paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iv) of Part 2 of this determination plus an amount of one cent per gallon.
- (b) The expression "in daily quantities" in sub-paragraphs (ii) and (iv) of Part 2 of this determination shall mean the average quantity of bulk milk per delivery purchased during the period of the account.
- (c) The minimum price at which sterilized milk in 7-pint metal containers may be sold in any milk district shall be 44 cents per container.
- (d) The minimum prices payable per gallon to dairymen by dairymen for milk in third-pint single service containers shall be the minimum prices prescribed in respect of milk in third-pint bottles in sub-paragraph (i) of Part 2 of this determination.
- (e) The minimum prices payable per gallon to dairymen for milk in Tetra-Pak (tetrahedron) single service containers shall be the appropriate minimum prices prescribed in respect of milk in bottles in sub-paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iii) of Part 2 of this determination.

2. *Goulburn Valley and Murray Valley Milk Districts :—*

- (a) The prices prescribed in column (a) of Part 2 of this determination shall apply in the City of Shepparton and the Shire of Rodney.
- (b) The prices prescribed in column (b) of Part 2 of this determination shall apply in all other parts of the above milk districts.

3. *East Gippsland Milk District :—*

- (a) The minimum prices prescribed in column (d) of Part 2 of this determination shall apply in that part of the milk district which is within the Shire of Tambo.
- (b) The minimum prices prescribed in column (c) of Part 2 of this determination shall apply in all other parts of the milk district.

4. *North-Eastern Milk District :—*

- (a) The prices prescribed in column (f) of Part 2 of this determination shall apply in that part of the milk district which is within the Shire of Rutherglen.
- (b) The prices prescribed in column (e) of Part 2 of this determination shall apply in all other parts of the milk district.

PART 3.—RETAIL PRICES.

The prices at which milk (other than flavoured milk) of the kinds and quantities as described hereunder shall be sold by retail in a Milk District shall be—

In Sealed Bottles—

Third-pints	4 cents per third-pint
Half-pints	6 cents per half-pint
Pints	10 cents per pint
One quart or more in pint bottles	19 cents per quart

Bulk—

Half-pints	5 cents per half-pint
One pint	9 cents per pint
One quart or more	18 cents per quart

In Single Service Containers—

(a) *Tetra-Pak (tetrahedron) containers—*

Half-pints	6 cents per half-pint
Pints	10 cents per pint

(b) *Containers other than Tetra-Pak (tetrahedron)—*

Half-pints	7 cents per half-pint
Pints	11 cents per pint
Quarts	21 cents per quart
Half-gallons	41 cents per half-gallon

subject to the following special provisions in respect of the undermentioned Milk Districts—

1. In respect of—

the Swan Hill Milk District
the Central Milk District
that part of the South Gippsland Milk District within the Parish of Nerrena, and
where the milk sold is delivered to the purchaser elsewhere than at a dairy or milk shop, in the Dandenong Ranges Milk District,
that part of the Metropolitan Milk District which is within the Parishes of Linton and Kinglake and
that part of the North Eastern Milk District which is within the Parish of Chiltern—

the retail price of milk sold in pint bottles in quantities of one quart or more shall be 20 cents per quart and the retail price of milk sold in single service containers shall be 22 cents per quart container and 42 cents per half-gallon container.

Provided that, where milk sold in pint bottles in that part of the Swan Hill Milk District within the Parishes of Boga and Kunat Kunat, is delivered to the purchaser elsewhere than at a milk shop, the retail price at which such milk shall be sold shall be 11 cents per single pint or 21 cents per quart for quantities of one quart or more.

2. *North-Eastern Milk District :*

(a) In respect of deliveries made from a dairy in Mt. Beauty to any point in the Parish of Wermatong which is more than 5 miles distant from the said dairy, the retail prices for milk in quantities of one quart or more shall be—

(i) For milk in pint bottles	..	..	..	..	..	..	20 cents per quart
(ii) For milk in single service containers—							
Quarts	..	..	..	..	..	..	22 cents per quart
Half-gallons	..	..	..	..	..	..	42 cents per half-gallon

(b) In those parts of the Milk District within the City of Wangaratta and the Shires of Wangaratta and Oxley, the following retail prices shall apply—

(i) In Sealed Bottles	..	..	..	..	..	..	8 cents per pint
(ii) Bulk	..	..	..	..	..	..	8 cents per pint
(iii) In Single Service Containers—							
Pints	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 cents per pint
Quarts	..	..	..	..	..	..	18 cents per quart
Half-gallons	..	..	..	..	..	..	36 cents per half-gallon

(c) In that part of the Milk District within the Parishes of Myrtleford, Bright and Porepunkah, the following retail prices shall apply in respect of milk sold in single service containers—

Pints	..	..	..	..	..	..	10 cents per pint
Quarts	..	..	..	..	..	..	19 cents per quart
Half-gallons	..	..	..	..	..	..	38 cents per half-gallon

3. *East Gippsland Milk District :*

In all parts of the Milk District other than those parts within the Shires of Tambo and Rosedale, the Parish of Glenmaggie and the townships of Heyfield, Briagalong and Boisdale, the retail price of milk in single service containers shall be—

Quarts	..	..	..	..	..	..	20 cents per quart
Half-gallons	..	..	..	..	..	..	40 cents per half-gallon

4. *Metropolitan Milk District :*

(a) Where milk is sold by retail in sealed bottles on an account basis and is delivered to the purchaser at office, factory or shop premises within the City of Melbourne and that part of the City of South Melbourne between St. Kilda-road and the Melbourne-St. Kilda railway line, on week days but not on Saturday or Sunday, the price at which such milk shall be sold shall be the appropriate price prescribed by Part 3 of this determination plus 3 cents for each gallon or part of a gallon delivered during a weekly period.

(b) The price at which Kosher milk specially processed at the premises of Hamilton's Dairy Pty. Ltd., Elwood, shall be sold by retail shall be 14 cents per pint.

5. *All Milk Districts :*

(a) The retail price for milk purchased in single half-pint containers by persons in receipt of Age, Invalid or Widows' Pensions from the Department of Social Services or Service or War Widows' Pensions from the Repatriation Department shall be 5 cents per half-pint bottle and 6 cents per half-pint single service container.

(b) In any milk district, or part thereof, where the pint rate is more than half the quart rate—

(i) where milk is purchased on an account basis—

- (1) deliveries of less than one quart on any one day shall be charged for at the pint rate and
- (2) if, during any accounting period, the quantity purchased by a customer, which is chargeable at the quart rate, is not an exact multiple of a quart, the odd pint shall be charged for at the pint rate.

(ii) where milk is purchased on a cash basis, if the quantity purchased in any one transaction is not a quart or an exact multiple of a quart, the odd pint shall be charged for at the pint rate.

(c) In any milk district, for each half pint container supplied, either on a cash or account basis, the appropriate half pint rate as prescribed by this determination shall be charged, except in the case of sales referred to in sub-paragraph 5 (a) above.

(d) The prices which shall be charged for plain milk drinks dispensed into containers in shops for consumption on the premises shall be—

In 10-oz. containers	..	..	..	..	..	..	8 cents
In 8-oz. containers	..	..	..	..	..	..	6 cents

(e) The retail prices at which milk in single service containers shall be sold from automatic vending machines shall be—

(i) Plain Milk—							
In third-pint containers	..	..	..	..	..	..	7 cents
In half-pint containers	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 cents
(ii) Flavoured Milk—							
In third-pint containers	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 cents
In half-pint containers	..	..	..	..	..	..	11 cents

(f) The retail prices at which sterilized milk in 7-pint metal containers shall be sold shall be—

(i) Unflavoured	..	..	..	..	..	..	90 cents per container
(ii) Flavoured	..	..	..	..	..	..	110 cents per container

(g) The retail prices at which flavoured milk drinks shall be sold in paper cups shall be as follows :—

In 8-oz. paper cups	..	..	..	..	..	..	9 cents
In 20-oz. paper cups	..	..	..	..	..	..	20 cents

PART 4.—FLAVOURED MILK IN BOTTLES AND SINGLE SERVICE CONTAINERS.

	Bottles.	Single Service Containers.	
		Tetra-Pak (tetrahedron).	Other than Tetra-Pak (tetrahedron).
	cents	cents	cents
SEMI-WHOLESALE PRICES—			
The minimum prices payable per gallon to dairymen (in the case of sales other than sales by retail) for flavoured milk in bottles or in single service containers (as approved under the provisions of the Milk Pasteurization Act) for sale or distribution in any Milk District shall be the prices as shown in the appropriate column hereto—			
(i) By dairymen (other than the owners of house-trade dairies)—			
Third-pints	72·1	84	..
Half-pints	67·82	76	87
Pints	64·82	69	76·5
(ii) By owners of milk shops, owners of house-trade dairies and any other persons—			
Third-pints	88·4	108	..
Half-pints	84·8	96	107
Pints	76·1	80	87·5
RETAIL PRICES—			
The prices at which flavoured milk in bottles or in single service containers (as approved under the provisions of the Milk Pasteurization Act) shall be sold by retail in any Milk District shall be the prices as shown in the appropriate column hereto :—			
Third-pints	5	6	..
Half-pints	7	8	9
Pints	12	13	14

O. R. BROWNE, Chairman of Milk Board
R. K. HARVEY, Member of Milk Board
C. J. B. MCPHERSON, Member of Milk Board
W. DOBINSON, Secretary of Milk Board

And the Honorable Gilbert Lawrence Chandler, Her Majesty's Minister for Agriculture for the State of Victoria shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

J. ROSSITER,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

