

Price Order No. 593 (Fish within Wellington Metropolitan Area)

PURSUANT to the powers conferred on it by the Control of Prices Emergency Regulations 1939,* the Price Tribunal, acting with the authority of the Minister of Industries and Commerce, doth hereby make the following Price Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as Price Order No. 593, and shall come into force on the 16th day of August, 1946.

2. Price Orders No. 149† and No. 399‡ are hereby revoked.

3. (1) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires,—
“The said regulations” means the Control of Prices Emergency Regulations 1939*;
“Licensed”, in relation to any fisherman, means licensed pursuant to the Fisheries Amendment Act, 1945.

(2) Terms and expressions defined in the said regulations, when used in this Order, have the meanings severally assigned thereto by those regulations.

APPLICATION OF THIS ORDER

4. (1) This Order applies only with respect to fish sold for delivery within the Wellington Metropolitan Area which for the purposes of this Order shall be deemed to comprise the cities of Wellington and Lower Hutt, the boroughs of Eastbourne and Petone, and the Town District of Johnsonville.

(2) Subject to the last preceding subclause, this Order applies with respect to—

(a) Any fish of a kind and in the state of preparation described or referred to in the First Schedule hereto sold by a licensed fisherman to a wholesaler:

(b) Any fish of a kind and in the state of preparation described or referred to in the Second Schedule hereto sold by a wholesaler to a retailer:

(c) Any fish of a kind and in the state of preparation described or referred to in the Third Schedule hereto sold by a retailer to a consumer for consumption off the premises of the retailer.

(3) The maximum prices fixed by this Order apply with respect to fish sold by auction as well as to fish sold otherwise.

FIXING MAXIMUM PRICES FOR FISH TO WHICH THIS ORDER APPLIES

5. (1) The maximum price that may be charged or received by any licensed fisherman for any fish to which this Order applies when sold to a wholesaler shall be the appropriate maximum price specified in the First Schedule hereto.

(2) The maximum price that may be charged or received by any wholesaler for any fish to which this Order applies shall be the appropriate maximum price specified in the Second Schedule hereto.

(3) The maximum price that may be charged or received by any retailer for any fish to which this Order applies shall be the appropriate maximum price specified in the Third Schedule hereto.

6. Every retailer who offers or exposes for sale in any shop any fish to which this Order applies shall keep in a prominent position in such proximity to the fish to which it relates as to be obviously descriptive thereof a ticket, placard, or label on which shall be stated in legible and prominent characters the name of the fish and the retail price per pound.

SCHEDULES

FIRST SCHEDULE

Maximum Licensed Fishermen's Prices for Fish to which this Order applies when sold to a Wholesaler

Kind of Fish.	State of Preparation.	Maximum Price.
Groper	Headed and gutted	s. d. 0 6 per lb.
Hake		
Trumpeter		
Bonito	Gutted	0 6
Blue cod		
Butterfish		
Ling	Headed and gutted	0 4½
Kingfish		
John Dory	Gutted	0 4
Snapper		
Tarakihi	Gutted	0 4
Moki		
Warehou		
Red cod	Gutted	0 2½
Gurnard		
Barracouta	Headed and gutted	0 5 each.
Rough fish (all other fish)		
Crayfish	Green, under 3 lb.	0 5
	Green, 3 lb. and over	0 4
Roe	Mixed	0 3

SECOND SCHEDULE

Maximum Wholesale Prices for Fish to which this Order applies

Kind of Fish.	State of Preparation.	Maximum Wholesale Price.
Groper	Headed, gutted, blooded, and washed	s. d. 0 7½ per lb.
Hake		
Trumpeter		
Bonito	Gutted and washed	0 7½
Blue cod		
Butterfish		
Ling	Headed, gutted, and washed	0 6
Kingfish		
John Dory	Gutted and washed	0 5½

* Statutory Regulations 1939, Serial number 1939/275, page 1057.

† Gazette, 29th July, 1943, Vol. II, page 914.

‡ Gazette, 2nd August, 1945, Vol. II, page 986.

SECOND SCHEDULE—continued

Maximum Wholesale Prices for Fish to which this Order applies—ctd.

Kind of Fish.	State of Preparation.	Maximum Wholesale Price.		
Snapper	Gutted and washed	s. d. 0 5½ per lb.		
Tarakihi				
Moki				
Warehou	Gutted and washed	0 6		
Red cod				
Gurnard	Gutted and washed	0 4		
Flats				
Barracouta	Headed, gutted, and washed	0 6½ each.		
Rough fish (all other fish)				
Rough fish (all other fish)	Headed, gutted, and washed	0 3		
Crayfish	Green, under 3 lb.	0 6		
	Green, 3 lb. and over	0 5		
	Cooked, under 3 lb.	0 7½		
	Cooked, 3 lb. and over	0 7		
Roe	Mixed	0 4		
Smoked fish—	Split	1 2		
Blue cod				
Hake				
Tarakihi				
Tarakihi				
Snapper				
Ling				
Red cod				
Barracouta				
Conger eel				
Gurnard				
Gurnard				
Other fish				
			Fillets	1 2
	Fillets	1 2		
	Fillets	1 2		
	Fillets	0 10		
	Fillets	0 10		
	Fillets	0 11		
	Fillets	0 11		
	Fillets	0 9		
	Fillets	0 9		
	Fillets	0 10		
	Fillets	0 8		

THIRD SCHEDULE

Maximum Retail Prices for Fish to which this Order applies

Kind of Fish.	State of Preparation.	Maximum Retail Price.
Groper	Pieces 2 lb. and over, trimmed	s. d. 1 1 per lb.
Hake		
Trumpeter		
Bonito	Pieces under 2 lb., trimmed, steaks and outlets	1 3
Blue cod	Head on, gutted	1 0
	Fillets, skinned	1 9
	Head on, gutted	1 0
Butterfish	Head on, skinned	1 3
	Fillets, skinned	1 9
	Pieces 2 lb. and over, trimmed	0 11
Ling	Pieces under 2 lb., trimmed, steaks and outlets	1 1
Kingfish	Pieces 2 lb. and over, trimmed	0 9
	Pieces under 2 lb., trimmed, steaks and outlets	1 0
John Dory	Heads on, gutted	0 8
	Fillets	1 6
	Heads on, gutted, and scaled	0 8
Snapper	Heads off, gutted, and scaled	0 10
	Heads off, scaled, and trimmed	1 0
	Steaks and outlets	1 2
Moki	Fillets	1 4
	Heads off, gutted	0 9
	Pieces 2 lb. and over, trimmed	0 9
Warehou	Pieces under 2 lb., trimmed, steaks and outlets	1 2
	Fillets	1 4
Red cod	Heads off, gutted, and scaled	0 6
	Steaks and outlets	0 10
Gurnard	Fillets	1 0
	Heads on, gutted	0 6
Flats	Fillets	1 0
	Gutted	1 3
Barracouta	Fillets	2 6
	Fillets	0 8
Rough fish (all other fish)	Heads off, gutted, and pieces	0 5
	Fillets, skinned	0 10
Skate wings	Skinned	0 6
	Cooked, under 3 lb.	1 0
Crayfish	Cooked, 3 lb. and over	0 10
	Hard	0 9
Roe	Soft	0 6
Smoked fish—	Split	1 6
Blue cod		
Hake		
Tarakihi		
Tarakihi		
Snapper		
Ling		
Red cod		
Barracouta		
Conger eel		
Gurnard		
Gurnard		
Other fish		
Pilchards		
Smoked roe		

Dated at Wellington, this 13th day of August, 1946.

The Seal of the Price Tribunal was affixed hereto in the presence of—

[L.S.]

W. J. HUNTER (Judge), President,
H. L. WISE, Member.