Pursuant to the Control of Prices Act, 1947, the Price Tribunal, acting with the authority of the Minister of Industry and Commerce, doth hereby make the following Price Order:

1. This Order may be cited as Price Order No. 1147 and shall come into force on the 5th day of May, 1959.

2. This Order applies to all bread sold by a retailer or by a wholesaler who does not apply to bread sold as part of a meal.

3. The maximum price that may be charged or received for any bread to which this Order applies shall be the appropriate maximum price at which the bread was authorized to be sold immediately prior to the coming into force of this Order increased as follows:

   (a) In the case of a 1 lb. loaf by 2d.;
   (b) In the case of a 1 lb. loaf by 3d.;
   (c) In the case of other loaves by 4d.; where the weight of the loaf is not more than 8 oz., by 2d. where the weight of the loaf is more than 8 oz. but less than 1 lb. 8 oz., and by 6d. where the weight of the loaf is not less than 1 lb. 8 oz.

4. The Board of Trade (Bread-prices) Regulations 1936* shall be amended subject to the provisions of this Order and shall be deemed to be amended accordingly.

Dated at Wellington, this 5th day of May, 1959.

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

P. B. Marshall, President.

P. N. Holloway, Member.

* Statutory Regulations 1936, serial number 8/1936, page 17.

Price Order No. 1148 (Butter)

Pursuant to the Control of Prices Act, 1947, the Price Tribunal, acting with the authority of the Minister of Industry and Commerce, doth hereby make the following Price Order:

1. This Order may be cited as Price Order No. 1148 and shall come into force on the 8th day of May, 1959.

2. (1) Price Order No. 1651 is hereby revoked.

(2) The revocation of the said Price Order shall not affect the liability of any person for any offence in relation thereto committed before the coming into force of this Order.

Application of this Order

3. This Order applies with respect to all sales by way of retail of any butter within the meaning of the Butter and Cheese Marketing Regulations 1948.

Maximum Retail Price of Butter to Which this Order Applies

4. (1) The maximum retail price to which this Order applies shall be determined in accordance with the following provisions, namely:

   (a) In the case of butter sold by a retailer to whom a wholesale supply of butter of the same kind is available, free of freight charges, for delivery at his store from any source whatever, the maximum retail price shall be computed at the rate of—

      (i) 2s. a pound for salted creamery butter;
      (ii) 2s. 0d. a pound for unsalted creamery butter;
      (iii) 1s. 10d. a pound for whey butter.

   (b) Where freight charges are incurred by a retailer in obtaining delivery of any butter at his store the maximum retail price of such butter shall be the appropriate maximum price fixed by paragraph (a) above to the next upward halfpenny by a proportionate part of the freight charges incurred by the retailer; Provided that, where any butter to which this paragraph applies is obtained by the retailer from a source of supply that is not the nearest or most convenient source of access to the retailer's store, the increase of the price authorized by this paragraph shall not exceed a proportionate part of the freight charges that would have been incurred by the retailer if the said butter had been obtained from the source of supply nearest or most convenient of access to his store, and if delivery had been affected by a common carrier at current freight rates.

   (2) If in respect of any lot of butter sold by a retailer the maximum price calculated in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this clause is not an exact number of pence or halfpence, the maximum price of the lot shall be computed to the next upward halfpenny.

Special Prices Where Extraordinary Charges Incurred

5. Notwithstanding anything in the foregoing provisions of this Order, and subject to such conditions, if any, as it thinks fit, the Tribunal, on application by any retailer, may authorize special maximum prices in respect of any butter to which this Order applies where special circumstances exist, or for any reason extraordinary charges (freight or otherwise) are incurred by the retailer. Any authority given by the Tribunal under this clause may apply with respect to a specified lot or consignment of butter or may relate generally to all butter to which this Order applies sold by the retailer while the approval remains in force.

Dated at Wellington, the 5th day of May, 1960.

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

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P. B. Marshall, President.

P. N. Holloway, Member.

* Statutory Regulations 1948, serial number 1445/48, page 22.

† Statutory Regulations 1945, serial number 1444/45, page 20.

The Butter Wholesale Prices Notice 1959

Pursuant to the Marketing Act, 1946, the Minister of Marketing doth hereby fix the wholesale prices at which butter, intended for consumption in New Zealand, may be bought or sold, and may be recovered and the bank receipt shall be forwarded by him to the Director of Marketing or to one of the said branch offices of the Marketing Department.

3. Any amount required by Regulation 4 hereof to be paid by any trader shall be deemed to be due to the Crown, and may be recovered accordingly in any Court of competent jurisdiction.

T. J. Sherrard, Clerk of the Executive Council.

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