

(b) Subject to subclause (c) of this clause, the maximum price that may be charged for any anthelmintic drench to which this order applies shall be the price at which such goods were sold on 10 June 1971, or, if no sale was made on that date, on the last preceding date on which any such sale was made by the seller subject to the same terms and conditions of sale.

(c) In those cases where a specially approved price has been issued in terms of section 16 of the Control of Prices Act 1947 for any goods to which this order applies, the maximum prices that may be charged for such goods shall be the unsubsidised prices listed in the approval.

(d) The maximum price that may be charged for any goods to which this order applies by any wholesaler or retailer who was not engaged in the business of selling such goods at, in the case of insecticides, herbicides, or acaricides, 26 June 1969, or in the case of anthelmintic drenches, 10 June 1971, shall be the price ruling in the locality in which he carries on business for sales of goods of the same kind sold in similar quantities and subject to the same conditions of sale and purchase.

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 vendor of insecticides, herbicides, acaricides, or anthelmintic drenches to which this order applies, may authorise special prices in respect of any insecticides, herbicides, acaricides, or anthelmintic drenches to which this order applies, where special circumstances exist or, for any reason, extraordinary charges (freight or otherwise) are incurred by such vendor. Any authority given by the Tribunal under this clause may apply with respect to a specified lot or consignment of insecticides, herbicides, acaricides, or anthelmintic drenches, or may relate generally to all insecticides, herbicides, acaricides, or anthelmintic drenches to which this order applies sold by such vendor while the approval remains in force.

Dated at Wellington this 26th day of June 1973.

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

[L.S.] K. R. CONGREVE, President.
M. A. HERCUS, Member.
F. F. SIMMONS, Member.

*Gazette, 28 August 1969

†Gazette, 11 September 1969

‡Gazette, 24 June 1971

§Gazette, 11 September 1969

||Gazette, 24 June 1971

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Price Order No. 2236 (Amendment No. 1 of Price Order No. 2218 (Retail Lamb, Hogget, and Mutton Prices, Gisborne Meat Pricing District))

PURSUANT to the Control of Prices Act 1947, the Price Tribunal hereby makes the following order:

1. This order may be cited as Price Order No. 2236 and shall be read together with and deemed part of Price Order No. 2218 (hereinafter referred to as the principal order).

2. This order shall come into force on the 29th day of June 1973.

3. The maximum retail prices of first grade lamb, hogget, and first grade mutton meats, with the exception of the prices shown for kidney and liver, listed in the Schedule to the principal order are hereby increased by the addition of 2c per pound.

Dated at Wellington this 28th day of June 1973.

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

[L.S.] K. R. CONGREVE, President.
F. F. SIMMONS, Member.
M. A. HERCUS, Member.

(T. and I.)

Consenting to Raising of Loans by Certain Local Authorities

PURSUANT to section 3 of the Local Authorities Loan Act 1956 (as amended by section 3 (1) of the Local Authorities Loans Amendment Act 1967), the undersigned Assistant Secretary to the Treasury, acting under powers delegated to the Secretary to the Treasury by the Minister of Finance, hereby consents to the borrowing by the local authorities mentioned in the Schedule hereto of the whole or any part of the respective amounts specified in that Schedule.

SCHEDULE

Local Authority and Name of Loan	Amount Consented to \$
Gisborne Harbour Board: Redemption Loan No. 8, 1973	79,000
Hutt County Council:	
Bowen House Redemption Loan 1973	17,000
Heretaunga Sewerage Redemption Loan 1973	19,900
Pinehaven Sewerage Redemption Loan 1973	9,500
Milton Borough Council: Sewerage No. 2 Redemption Loan 1973	22,000
Nelson Harbour Board: Redemption Loan No. 3, 1973	12,700
Otautau Town Council: Doctor's Surgery and Residence Loan 1973	25,000
Rangiora Borough Council: State Pensioner Flats Purchase Loan 1973	4,000
Riverton Borough Council: Water Supply Loan No. 2, 1973	46,500
Takapuna City Council: Water Reticulation Ward A Redemption Loan 1973	14,600
Tauranga City Council:	
Property Renewal Loan No. 1, 1973	37,000
Sewerage Renewal Loan No. 1, 1973	95,000
Waitemata County Council: Lincoln and Te Atatu Development Loan 1973	221,000

Dated at Wellington this 22nd day of June 1973.

S. C. PARKER,
Assistant Secretary to the Treasury.

Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1954—Proposed Cancellation of Registration of Industrial Union

PURSUANT to section 85 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1954, it is hereby notified that the registration of the Otago and Southland Cool Store Employees' Industrial Union of Workers, Registered No. 1822, situated at 21 Henderson Street, Bluff, will unless cause to the contrary is shown, be cancelled on the expiration of 6 weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at Wellington this 25th day of June 1973.

A. C. RUFFELL, Registrar of Industrial Unions,
Department of Labour.
(Lab. I.C. 138)

No. 636

Decision of the Indecent Publications Tribunal

APPLICATION by Granada Publishing Ltd. of London for a decision in respect of the book *The Square Root of Sex* by Ted Mark, published by Granada Publishing Ltd.

Mr Heron, solicitor, appeared on behalf of the applicant and made submissions.

DECISION OF THE TRIBUNAL

This paperback novel tells the story of two scientists who conduct a research project on erotic human behaviour. The accounts of some of the sexual exploits studied make the book unsuitable for young persons but it does not dwell unduly on prurient detail, nor employ obscene language. The book has no literary merit and the dominant effect is a rather laboured satire on scientific method but it is not devoid of some humour. We see no grounds for denying it to mature readers.

The Tribunal classifies this book as indecent in the hands of persons under the age of 18 years.

25 May 1973.
R. S. V. SIMPSON, Chairman.

No. 637

Decision of the Indecent Publications Tribunal

IN the matter of the Indecent Publications Act 1963, and in the matter of an application by the Comptroller of Customs for a decision in respect of the book *The Colonel's Nieces*, translated by Howard Nelson, published by Holloway House Publishing Co., California.

Mr Bathgate appeared on behalf of the applicant.

Mr Downey, solicitor, appeared on behalf of the publisher's representative in New Zealand and made submissions.