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Price Order No. 62 (Eggs)

Pursuant to the Commerce Act 1975, I, Peter Edward Donovan, pursuant to a delegation from the Secretary of Trade and Industry, hereby make the following price order:

1. This order may be cited as Price Order No. 62, and shall come into force on the 2nd day of July 1977.

2. (1) Price Orders No. 28*, 47*, 50*, 53* and 58* are hereby revoked.

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

3. In this order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

"Auckland District" means the district comprising the Auckland Egg Marketing area as constituted under the Egg Marketing Authority Regulations 1953*, that part of Manukau City not included in the Auckland Egg Marketing Area, the city of Papatoetoe, the boroughs of Howick, Papakura, Glen Eden, and East Coast Bays, and the counties of Franklin, Waitakaruru, and Rodney including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Gisborne District" means the district comprising the counties of Cook, Waipau and Waikare, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Hamilton District" means the district comprising the Auckland Egg Marketing area as constituted under the Egg Marketing Authority Regulations 1973*, the counties of Otorohanga, Waipa, Raglan, Waitomo, Piako, and Matamata including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Hawke's Bay District" means the district comprising the counties of Hawke's Bay, Waiapu, Parihaka, Whangarei, and Dannevirke, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Marlborough District" means the district comprising the counties of Awatere and Marlborough, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Nelson District" means the district comprising the counties of Waimea and Golden Bay, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Northland District" means the district comprising the counties of Otamae, Hobson, Bay of Islands, Whangarei, Hokianga, Whangaroa, and Mangonui, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Otago District" means the district comprising the counties of Lake, Vincent, Waitaki, Maniototo, Waimemo, Waikouaiti, Taieri, Tuapeka, Bruce, and Clutha, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Otago District" means the district comprising the counties of Fiord, Wallace, and Southland, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Taranaki District" means the district comprising the counties of Taranaki, Clifton, Egmont, Inglewood, Stratford, Eltham, Wainui West, and Hawera, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Tauranga District" means the district comprising the Tauranga Egg Marketing area as constituted under the Egg Marketing Authority Regulations 1953*, that part of Tauranga County not included in the Tauranga Egg Marketing Area and also all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Wellington Egg Marketing Area" means the area so constituted under the Egg Marketing Authority Regulations 1953*.

"Westland District" means the district comprising the counties of Buller, Inangahua, Grey, and Westland, including all cities, boroughs, and town districts situated within or contiguous to the boundaries of any such county:

"Cartoned eggs" means eggs which are packed in a divisible "Safety" egg carton or in a "Unibox" carton, and supplied by a licensed distributor, or a producer authorised by the Egg Marketing Authority, to a retailer and sold by a retailer to a consumer:

"Licensed distributor" means the holder of a distributor's licence under the Egg Marketing Authority Regulations 1953*.

Application of this Order

4. This order applies in respect to all sales in New Zealand whether wholesale or retail, of eggs of domestic fowls or ducks, but does not apply to eggs transferred between licensed distributors or used in the manufacture of egg pulp or to the sale of eggs which the vendor proved were sold for the purposes of hatching.

Classification of Eggs for Purposes of this Order

Hen Eggs

5. (1) For the purposes of this order, every lot of hen eggs sold by a producer, or licensed distributor, or retailer shall be classified in the following sizes as 7s, 6s, 5s, 4s, or "Mixed".
Price sold by a producer, licensed distributor, or retailer shall be by any retailer (including a producer) for any eggs to which any producer in respect of sales to licensed distributors for characters the classification of the eggs according to whether fixing maximum retail price of eggs to which this order applies shall be the appropriate maximum price specified in the Schedule hereto reduced by 13 cents per dozen.

Fixing maximum prices which may be charged or received by licensed distributors or producers selling to retailers per eggs to which this order applies

10. The maximum prices that may be charged or received by licensed distributors or producers selling to retailers for any eggs to which this order applies shall be the appropriate maximum price specified in the Schedule hereto reduced by 8 cents per dozen.

Provision for classification of eggs invoiced

11. Every producer selling otherwise than by way of retail and every licensed distributor who sells any eggs to which this order applies shall specify in the relevant invoices with respect to each item the classification of the eggs comprised in the item.

Fixing maximum prices for cartoned and loose chilled hen eggs to which this order applies

12. (1) The maximum price that may be charged or received by any retailer for cartoned or loose chilled hen eggs to which this order applies shall be the appropriate maximum price specified in the Schedule hereto reduced by 5 cents per dozen.

(2) The maximum price that may be charged or received by any licensed distributor for cartoned or loose chilled hen eggs to which this order applies shall be the appropriate maximum price specified in the Schedule hereto reduced by 13 cents per dozen.

Provision for special prices

13. (1) Subject to such conditions, if any, as he thinks fit, the Secretary, on application by any licensed distributor or retailer, may authorize an increase in or reduction of the maximum prices fixed from time to time in respect to any eggs to which this order applies where special circumstances exist or for any reason extraordinary charges (freight or otherwise) are incurred by the licensed distributor or retailer. Any authority given by the Secretary under this clause may apply with respect to a specified lot or consignment of eggs or may relate generally to all eggs to which this order applies sold by the licensed distributor or retailer while the approval remains in force.

(2) Where in terms of clause 13 (1) hereof the Secretary has on application by a licensed distributor authorized an addition to the maximum Scheduled prices for eggs, the licensed distributor shall forthwith notify retailers in writing to this effect.

* S.R. 1953/156

New Zealand Gazette, No. 1, 12 August 1976, p. 1007.

New Zealand Gazette, No. 12, 3 February 1977, p. 215.


New Zealand Gazette, No. 39, 6 April 1977, p. 1018.

New Zealand Gazette, No. 61, 26 May 1977, p. 1555.

SCHEDULE

Maximum retail prices (per dozen) for eggs to which this order applies

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Dated at Wellington this 1st day of July 1977.

P. E. DONOVAN,
Director of Prices and Stabilisation Division.

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