

GOVERNMENT CIRCULAR

No. 146/50.

G.O. Reference No. 29749/20/54.

THE GOODS AND SERVICES (PRICE CONTROL) (No. 89) ORDER, 1950.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has made an Order under the Goods and Services (Price Control) Act, 1941, as extended to the Isle of Man by the Goods and Services (Price Control) (Isle of Man) Order, 1943, providing that the maximum prices and/or charges to be charged in the Isle of Man for

Utility Footwear

General Apparel

shall be the same as those fixed by Orders made by the Board of Trade, and terminating the application in the Isle of Man of Board of Trade Orders controlling the prices and charges of

Non-Utility Footwear

Men's Non-Utility Made-to-Measure Outerwear

which now cease to be price-controlled.

Several earlier Orders made by His Excellency are revoked, and others are amended to correspond with revocations and amendments of Board of Trade Orders relating to these goods.

The Order comes into force on the 12th day of June, 1950.

The new Board of Trade Orders concerned are specified in the First Schedule to the Order, a copy of which is appended.

The Utility Footwear (Maximum Prices) Order, 1950, S.I. 1950 No. 802 (price 3d.) supersedes the Utility Footwear (Maximum Prices) (No. 2) Order, 1949, as amended. The principal changes are as follows:—

- (1) Hitherto, wholesalers' and retailers' maximum prices were computed respectively by adding permitted margins to the price paid by the first purchaser, being a wholesaler or retailer, as the case may be, subject in both cases to different overriding maximum ("ceiling") prices.

Now, the maximum prices to be charged by all persons other than manufacturers are specified in the First Schedule, and are fixed in relation to certain main groups of descriptions, irrespective of size. There are no longer separate maximum prices for wholesalers and retailers.

- (2) The maximum prices for footwear of Grades 1 and 2 are increased, and are now higher than the "ceiling" prices previously fixed for retailers.
- (3) The percentage additions for wider fittings and larger sizes have been increased.

- (4) Wholesalers are no longer required to give discounts on sales to retailers.

The General Apparel (Manufacturers' Maximum Prices and Charges) (Amendment) Order, 1950, S.I. 1950 No. 809 (price 1d.) amends the General Apparel (Manufacturers' Maximum Prices and Charges) Order, 1949, in the following respects:—

- (1) Men's made-to-measure outerwear is excluded from the control of the principal Order to which it would otherwise revert on the revocation of the Men's Made-to-Measure Outerwear (Maximum Prices and Charges) Order, 1947.
- (2) The Order now applies to goods purchased by or on behalf of a Government Department and to services performed on behalf of a Government Department.

The Orders specified in the First Schedule to the Order may be seen or purchased at the Office of the Secretary of the Price Regulation Committee, 1 Hope Street, Douglas, or may be seen at any Police Station on application to the Officer in Charge, at the Douglas Public Library, the Douglas Town Hall and the Offices of all the Town and Village Commissioners.

Failure to comply with the terms of the Order renders a person liable to prosecution.

By Order,

J. N. PANES,

Government Secretary.

Government Office,
Isle of Man.
5th June, 1950.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

The Utility Footwear (Maximum Prices) Order, 1950, S.I. 1950 No. 802.

The General Apparel (Manufacturers' Maximum Prices and Charges) (Amendment) Order, 1950, S.I. 1950 No. 809.

The Goods and Services (Price Control) Act, 1941, extended to the Isle of Man by the Goods and Services (Price Control) (Isle of Man) Order, 1943.

ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

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BY HIS EXCELLENCY AIR VICE-MARSHAL SIR GEOFFREY RHODES BROMET, K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O., LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF THE SAID ISLE, &c., &c., &c.

THE GOODS AND SERVICES (MAXIMUM (PRICES) No. 89) Order, 1950.

WHEREAS the Board of Trade under the powers vested in them under the Goods and Services (Price Control) Act, 1941, have from time to time made Orders fixing the maximum prices and/or charges to be charged in the course of the businesses comprising the sale of goods and/or the performing of services in relation thereto, and requiring the keeping of records and the display of notices in respect of certain goods in the course of such businesses, and it is desirable that the prices and charges of such goods and services so fixed should be the maximum prices and charges to be charged and that such records should be kept and such notices displayed in respect of such businesses in the Isle of Man.

NOW I, the said Lieutenant Governor, by virtue of the powers conferred on me by Sections 1, 2 and 18 of the Goods and Services (Price Control) Act, 1941, as extended to the Isle of Man by the Goods and Services (Price Control) (Isle of Man) Order in Council, 1943, and all other powers and authorities me in this behalf enabling, DO HEREBY ORDER as follows:—

1. The maximum prices and charges to be charged, the records to be kept, and the notices to be displayed in the course of the businesses dealt with by the Orders of the Board of Trade set out in the First Schedule hereto, and in relation to the goods referred to in such Orders, ascertained in the manner specified in such Orders (the Orders being read together with any repeals, amendments or variations), shall be the maximum prices and charges which may be charged, the records which shall be kept, and the notices which shall be displayed in respect of such businesses and in relation to such goods in this Island.

2. The Orders set out in the first column of the Second Schedule hereto shall have effect subject to the omission from the respective Schedules thereto of the Orders of the Board of Trade set out in the second column of the Second Schedule hereto.

3. The Orders set out in the Third Schedule hereto are hereby revoked.

4. This Order may be cited as "The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 89) Order, 1950," and shall come into force on the 12th day of June, 1950.

GIVEN under my hand this 5th day of June, 1950.

G. R. BROMET,
Lieutenant Governor.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

- The Utility Footwear (Maximum Prices) Order, 1950, S.I. 1950 No. 802.
 The General Apparel (Manufacturers' Maximum Prices and Charges) (Amendment) Order, 1950, S.I. 1950 No. 809.
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SECOND SCHEDULE.

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| The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 54) Order, 1947, (Government Circular No. 134/47). | The Utility Footwear (Maximum Prices) Order, 1947, (S.I. 1947 No. 1614). |
| The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 81) Order, 1949, (Government Circular No. 211/49). | The Utility Footwear (Maximum Prices) (No. 2) (Amendment) Order, 1949, (S.I. 1949 No. 1724). |
| The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 65) Order, 1948, (Government Circular No. 97/48). | The General Apparel, Furnishings and Textiles (Manufacturers' Maximum Prices and Charges) Order, 1948, (S.I. 1948 No. 775). |
| The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 66) Order, 1948, (Government Circular No. 124/48). | The General Apparel, Furnishings and Textiles (Manufacturers' Maximum Prices and Charges) (Amendment) Order, 1948, (S.I. 1948 No. 832). |
| The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 74) Order, 1949, (Government Circular No. 29/49). | The General Footwear (Maximum Prices and Charges) Order, 1949, (S.I. 1949 No. 205). |
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THIRD SCHEDULE.

- The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 34) Order, 1946, (Government Circular No. 4060).
 The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 40) Order, 1946, (Government Circular No. 4223).
 The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 55) Order, 1947, (Government Circular No. 215/47).
 The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 60) Order, 1948, (Government Circular No. 44/48).
 The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 70) Order, 1948, (Government Circular No. 230/48).
 The Goods and Services (Maximum Prices) (No. 80) Order, 1949, (Government Circular No. 191/49).