(B) BARLEY

(*a*) *Great Britain.* | (*b*) *Northern Ireland*, p. 679.

(a) GREAT BRITAIN

The Barley (Control and Prices) (Great Britain) Order, 1947 (Amendment No. 4) Order, 1948

1948 No. 1759

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In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Regulations 55 and 55AB of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939(**a**), as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(**b**) as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(**c**), and of all other powers him enabling, the Minister of Food hereby makes the following Order:—

1. The Barley (Control and Prices) (Great Britain) Order, 1947, as amended(**d**), shall be further amended as follows:—

(*a*) by substituting for Article 2 thereof the following Article—

"2.—(1) No grower shall in any way dispose of any barley grown by him except by way of sale to an approved buyer or an ultimate user, or use such barley except for the purposes of such sales, and no person other than an approved buyer or an ultimate user shall obtain barley from a grower:

Provided that nothing in this Article shall prohibit a grower—

(*a*) from using any such barley for sowing on land in his occupation or for human consumption by his own household;

(*b*) from using for feeding to pedigree pigs kept on land in his occupation any such barley certified in writing by a County Agricultural Executive Committee or in Scotland by a Scottish Agricultural Certifying Officer to be necessary for that purpose;

(*c*) from using for feeding to any livestock in his ownership, possession or control—

(i) tailings or screenings produced by any threshing of such barley, so, however, that the total weight of tailings and screenings so used does not exceed—

(*aa*) in the case of any threshing of barley performed during the period 1st October, 1948, to 30th June, 1949 (both dates inclusive), 10 per cent., or

(*bb*) in the case of any other threshing, 5 per cent.,

of the total weight of barley (including tailings and screenings) produced by that threshing;

(**a**) *See* Note, p. 15 above.

(**b**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10; and S.R. & O. 1945 (Nos. 1611 and 1615–25) II, pp. 39 and 45–56.

(**c**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.

(**d**) S.R. & O. 1947 (Nos. 1636, 1887 and 2775) II, pp. 762, 773 and 775: and S.I. 1948 No. 619, p. 673 above.

(ii) any such barley certified in writing by a County Agricultural Executive Committee or in Scotland by a Scottish Agricultural Certifying Officer to be unsuitable for sale because of its condition or of the inaccessibility of the farm or holding on which the barley is lying;

(iii) any such barley which has been offered by an approved buyer (on behalf of the grower) for sale to the Minister and which has been certified in writing by a purchasing officer authorised to purchase on behalf of the Minister to be non-millable;

(iv) any such barley certified in writing by a Local Wheat Committee or any person duly authorised by the Minister to be non-millable:

Provided that, in the case of barley certified to be non-millable in accordance with sub-paragraphs (iii) or (iv) of this proviso, if the grower on being granted a certificate is notified by the person or Local Wheat Committee granting the same that the barley in question may not be used for feeding to livestock except with the written consent of the County Agricultural Executive Committee for the area in which the barley is situate or in Scotland of a Scottish Agricultural Certifying Officer, the grower shall not use any such barley for feeding to livestock without first obtaining such consent;

(*d*) from using for feeding to any livestock in his ownership, possession or control any barley grown by him and harvested in 1948:

Provided that at no time shall he have so used a quantity of such barley in excess of 20 per cent of the total weight of such barley already threshed by him after deduction of tailings, barley unsuitable for sale because of its condition and non-millable barley.

(2) Every application made by a grower for a certificate under sub-paragraph (iv) of proviso (*c*) to paragraph (1) of this Article shall be accompanied by a sample of not less than 4 ozs. of barley properly representing, both as to quality and condition, the whole barley in respect of which the application is made.";

(*b*) by substituting in paragraph (1) of Article 9 thereof (which fixes the price of M.A.F. sacks) for the figure " 1s." the figure " 1s. 5d.";

(*c*) by deleting Article 13 thereof (which forbade transport of barley from England or Wales to Scotland);

(*d*) by substituting for Parts II and III of the Second Schedule thereto the Parts so numbered in the Schedule to this Order;

(*e*) by substituting in sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 5 of Part IV of the said Second Schedule (which prescribes charges for non-returnable sacks other than M.A.F. sacks) for the figures " 1s. 1d." and " 1s. 4d." the figures " 1s. 3d." and " 1s. 6d." respectively.

2. The Barley (Control and Prices) (Great Britain and Northern Ireland) Orders, 1947 (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1947(a), is hereby revoked so far as it applies to Great Britain but without prejudice to any proceedings in respect of any contravention of the Barley (Control and Prices) (Great Britain) Order, 1947, as amended thereby.

3. This Order shall come into force on the 1st day of August, 1948, and may be cited as the Barley (Control and Prices) (Great Britain) Order, 1947 (Amendment No. 4) Order, 1948.

John Strachey,
Minister of Food.

Dated the 27th day of July, 1948.

THE SCHEDULE

PART II—MAXIMUM PRICES OF BARLEY FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION (HOME GROWN AND ISLE OF MAN BARLEY)

Column 1	Column 2
	At the rate of—
1. On a sale by a grower, other than a grower of Isle of Man barley	s. d. 30 0 per cwt. net
2. On a sale by an approved buyer who has bought from a grower	30 7½ ,, ,,
3. On a sale by an approved buyer who has bought from another approved buyer or from an Isle of Man approved buyer	31 3 ,, ,,
4. On any other sale	30 7½ ,, ,,

PART III—MINIMUM PRICES OF MILLABLE AND POTENTIALLY MILLABLE BARLEY

A.—Millable Barley

Column 1	Column 2
	At the rate of—
	s. d.
1. On a sale by a grower	23 0 per cwt. net
2. On a sale by an approved buyer to the Minister ...	23 6 ,, ,,
3. On a sale by an approved buyer to an ultimate user	23 7½ ,, ,,

B.—Potentially Millable Barley

The minimum price shall be that applicable to millable barley less a reasonable deduction (not exceeding 2s. 6d. per cwt., proper allowance being made for wastage) representing the cost of converting the potentially millable barley into millable barley.

(a) S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 2775) II, p. 775.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order, amending the Barley (Control and Prices) (Great Britain) Order, 1947, increases the maximum prices of barley for human consumption, the minimum prices of millable and potentially millable barley and the charges for M.A.F. and other non-returnable sacks.

It permits growers to use for feeding to their livestock 20 per cent. of their millable and potentially millable barley harvested in 1948 and varies the conditions on which they may so use other barley.

It also removes the restriction on the consignment of barley to Scotland.

(b) NORTHERN IRELAND

The Barley (Control and Prices) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1947 (Amendment No. 3) Order, 1948

1948 No. 1762

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In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Regulations 55 and 55AB of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939(a), as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(b) as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(c), and of all other powers him enabling, the Minister of Food hereby makes the following Order:—

1. The Barley (Control and Prices) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1947, as amended(d), shall be further amended as follows:—

(*a*) by substituting for paragraph (4) of Article 2 thereof the following paragraph—

" (4) The restrictions imposed by the foregoing paragraphs of this Article shall not prohibit a grower from using for feeding to livestock in his ownership, possession or control—

(i) tailings or screenings produced by any threshing of such barley, so however that the weight of the tailings and screenings so used does not exceed—

(*a*) in the case of any threshing of barley performed during the period 1st October, 1948, to 30th June, 1949 (both dates inclusive), 10 per cent., or

(*b*) in the case of any other threshing, 5 per cent.

of the total weight of barley (including tailings and screenings) produced by that threshing;

(ii) any barley grown by him and harvested in 1948:

Provided that at no time shall he have so used a quantity of such barley in excess of 20 per cent. of the total weight of such barley already threshed by him after deduction of tailings and non-millable barley.";

(a) *See* Note, p. 15 above.

(b) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10; and S.R. & O. 1945 (Nos. 1611 and 1615–25) II, pp. 39 and 45–56.

(c) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.

(d) S.R. & O. 1947 (Nos. 1637, 1887 and 2775) II, pp. 777, 773 and 775.