EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order reduces the maximum prices for common paraffin wax candles.

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(6) CARPETS

The Carpets (Maximum Prices) (Amendment) Order, 1948

1948 No. 1241

Made - - - -	*14th June*, 1948
Laid before Parliament	*15th June*, 1948
Coming into Operation	*21st June*, 1948

The Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Section 1 of the Goods and Services (Price Control) Act, 1941(a), as amended by the Defence (Price Control) Regulations, 1945(b), and all other powers in that behalf enabling them, hereby order as follows:—

Amendment of the Carpets (Maximum Prices) Order, 1947.

1. The Carpets (Maximum Prices) Order, 1947(c), shall have effect as if:—

(1) in Article 6, for the reference to sub-paragraph (ii) of paragraph (1) of Article 10 there were substituted a reference to sub-paragraph (i) of that paragraph;

(2) for the First Schedule thereto there were substituted the Schedule to this Order.

Citation and commencement.

2. This Order may be cited as the Carpets (Maximum Prices) (Amendment) Order, 1948, and shall come into operation on the 21st day of June, 1948.

Dated this 14th day of June, 1948.

Harold Wilson,
President of the Board of Trade.

(a) 4 & 5 Geo. 6. c. 31. (b) S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 1613) II, p. 81.
(c) S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 607) I, p. 869.

SCHEDULE

(The First Schedule to S.R. & O. 1947 No. 607)

SECTION A.—PIECE GOODS

Column 1	Column 2		Column 3						Column 4					
			(a) Manufacturer's maximum price on a sale otherwise than to a wholesaler carrying stocks. (b) Wholesalers' overriding maximum price on a sale otherwise than to a retail customer						Retailer's overriding maximum price (exclusive of purchase tax)					
Item Number	Code Number	Type to which code number generally applicable	Per linear yard (and pro rata) of the following widths :—						Per linear yard (and pro rata) of the following widths :—					
			2/4 (½ yard)	5/8 (⅝ yard)	3/4 (¾ yard)	4/4 (1 yard)	5/4 (1¼ yards)	6/4 (1½ yards)	2/4 (½ yard)	5/8 (⅝ yard)	3/4 (¾ yard)	4/4 (1 yard)	5/4 (1¼ yards)	6/4 (1½ yards)
			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1	A0	Axminster No. 0 ...	17 0	19 1	21 3	32 4	40 5	48 7	23 10	26 8	29 9	45 3	56 6	68 0
2	A1	,, No. 1 ...	11 6	12 7	14 4	21 10	27 4	32 9	16 0	17 7	20 1	30 8	38 3	45 10
3	A2	,, No. 2 ...	8 10	10 9	12 8	19 3	24 1	28 11	12 5	15 1	17 8	27 0	33 9	40 6
4	A3	,, No. 3 ...	7 6	9 2	10 9	16 5	20 6	24 8	10 7	12 10	15 1	22 11	28 9	34 6
5	W1	Wilton No. 1 Figured	17 7	21 4	*24 9	34 4	43 0	51 7	24 7	29 10	*34 7	48 0	60 2	72 2
6	W2	,, No. 2 Figured	14 5	17 5	*20 0	27 11	35 1	42 1	20 2	24 4	*27 11	39 2	49 2	58 11
7	W3	,, Two-tone woollen.	11 9	14 1	*16 0	22 9	28 6	34 3	16 5	19 9	*22 6	31 11	39 10	47 11
8	W4	,, No. 1 Plain ...	13 5	16 3	18 7	26 1	32 8	39 3	18 10	22 8	26 0	36 6	45 9	54 11
9	W5	,, No. 2 Plain ...	9 4	11 0	12 4	17 10	22 5	26 11	13 1	15 5	17 3	25 0	31 4	37 8
10	W6	,, No. 3 Plain ...	8 2	9 7	10 8	15 7	19 6	23 6	11 5	13 5	15 0	21 10	27 4	32 11
11	W7	,, Two-frame Stair.	7 6	8 7	—	—	—	—	10 7	12 0	—	—	—	—
12	T1	Tapestry Plain ...	6 10	7 11	9 1	12 2	—	18 1	9 7	11 1	12 8	17 0	—	25 4
13	T2	,, No. 4 ...	4 1	4 9	5 6	7 4	—	10 11	5 9	6 8	7 7	10 4	—	15 4
14	T3	,, (Printed Velvet.)	6 3	7 3	8 4	11 3	—	16 8	8 9	10 1	11 8	15 9	—	23 4
15	H1	Hair Pile	8 9	10 4	11 9	15 10	19 10	23 10	12 3	14 5	16 5	22 3	27 8	33 4
16	H2	Hair Cord	6 4	7 4	8 5	11 5	14 4	17 1	8 10	10 4	11 10	15 11	20 1	23 11
17	W5	Wilton No. 2 Plain ...				18 8					26 1			
18	H2	Hair Cord				12 9					17 10			

* In a case in which item 5, 6 or 7 is a breadth square (unsewn) the appropriate amounts specified in columns 3 and 4 in respect of a width of 3/4 (¾ yard) shall be increased by 3d. and 4d. respectively.

Section B.—MADE-UP SQUARES

The maximum price of a made-up square, that is to say, a square made up from piece goods described in Section A of this Part of this Schedule, and offered for sale as such a square, is an amount equivalent to the maximum price specified in Section A of this Part appropriate to the quantity of those piece goods comprised in such square.

Section C.—SEAMLESS SQUARES AND BROADLOOM

Column 1	Column 2 Description of Carpet		Column 3 (a) Manufacturer's maximum price on a sale otherwise than to a wholesaler carrying stocks; (b) Wholesaler's overriding maximum price on a sale otherwise than to a retail customer	Column 4 Retailer's overriding maximum price (exclusive of purchase tax)
Item Number	Code Number	Type to which code number generally applicable		
			Per square yard (and pro rata)	Per square yard (and pro rata)
			s. d.	s. d.
19	A0	Axminster No. 0 ...	29 1	40 9
20	A1	,, No. 1 ...	20 0	27 11
21	A2	,, No. 2 ...	17 8	24 9
22	A3	,, No. 3 ...	15 2	21 2
23	C0	Chenille Axminster No. 0	31 0	43 4
24	C1	,, ,, No. 1	23 5	32 8
25	C2	,, ,, No. 2	17 8	24 9
26	C3	,, ,, No. 3	14 10	20 9
27	C4	,, ,, No. 4	11 11	16 8
28	W1	Wilton No. 1 Figured	34 10	48 10
29	W2	,, No. 2 Figured	28 6	39 10
30	W3	,, Two-tone Woollen.	23 4	32 7
31	W4	,, No. 1 Plain ...	26 7	37 3
32	W5	,, No. 2 Plain ...	18 4	25 9
33	W6	,, No. 3 Plain ...	16 2	22 7
34	H1	Hair Pile	16 5	22 11
35	H2	Hair Cord	11 11	16 8
			Per seamless square of the undermentioned sizes (expressed in yards)	Per seamless square of the undermentioned sizes (expressed in yards)

			2×2½	2×3	2½×3	2½×3	3×3	3×3½	3×4	3½×4	3½×4½	2×2½	2×3	2½×3	2½×3	3×3	3×3½	3×4	3½×4	3½×4½
			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
36	T1	Tapestry Plain ...	65/1	73/10	83/0	92/3	111/9	130/2	147/7	178/4	196/10	91/2	103/4	116/3	129/2	156/5	182/3	206/7	249/8	275/7
37	T2	,, No. 4 ...	39/6	45/2	50/6	56/2	68/3	79/0	90/4	109/8	120/5	55/3	63/3	70/9	78/8	95/7	110/8	126/5	153/7	168/7
38	T3	,, (Printed Velvet).	59/11	68/3	76/10	84/11	102/8	120/5	136/6	—	—	83/11	95/7	107/7	118/11	143/8	168/7	191/2	—	—

SECTION D.—RUGS AND MATS

Column 1	Column 2		Column 3 (a) Manufacturer's maximum price on a sale otherwise than to a wholesaler carrying stocks; (b) Wholesaler's overriding maximum price on a sale otherwise than to a retail customer		Column 4 Retailer's overriding maximum price (exclusive of purchase tax)	
	Description of Carpet					
Item Number	Code Number	Type to which code number generally applicable	Rugs (not being sofa rugs), corridor rugs and mats	Sofa Rugs	Rugs (not being sofa rugs), corridor rugs and mats	Sofa Rugs
			Per square foot (and pro rata) s. d.	Per square foot (and pro rata) s. d.	Per square foot (and pro rata) s. d.	Per square foot (and pro rata) s. d.
39	A0	Axminster No. 0 ...	3 4	3 5	4 8	4 9
40	A1	,, No. 1 ...	2 3	2 4	3 2	3 3
41	A2	,, No. 2 ...	2 0	2 1	2 9	2 10
42	A3	,, No. 3 ...	1 8	1 9	2 5	2 6
43	C0	Chenille Axminster No. 0	3 6	3 7	4 11	5 0
44	C1	,, ,, No. 1	2 8	2 9	3 9	3 10
45	C2	,, ,, No. 2	2 1	2 2	2 10	2 11
46	C3	,, ,, No. 3	1 10	1 11	2 6	2 7
47	C4	,, ,, No. 4	1 5	1 6	2 0	2 1
				Per square yard (and pro rata) s. d.		Per square yard (and pro rata) s. d.
48	W1	Wilton No. 1 Figured	4 3	34 10	5 11	48 10
49	W2	,, No. 2 Figured	3 5	28 6	4 9	39 10
50	W3	,, Two-tone Woollen.	2 9	23 4	3 10	32 7
51	W4	,, No. 1 Plain ...	3 2	26 7	4 5	37 3
52	W5	,, No. 2 Plain ...	2 1	18 4	2 10	25 9
53	W6	,, No. 3 Plain ...	1 10	16 2	2 6	22 7
54	H1	Hair Pile	2 1	16 5	2 10	22 11
55	H2	Hair Cord	1 5	11 11	2 0	16 8

			Per rug of the undermentioned sizes :—	s.	d.	Per rug of the undermentioned sizes :—	s.	d.	Per rug of the undermentioned sizes :—	s.	d.	Per rug of the undermentioned sizes :—	s.	d.
56	T2	Tapestry No. 4 ...	22½″ × 46½″	5	11	45″ × 72″	18	2	22½″ × 46½″	8	3	45″ × 72″	25	5
			25″ × 52″	7	4	54″ × 78″	23	8	25″ × 52″	10	4	54″ × 78″	33	2
			27″ × 58″	8	9	63″ × 90″	31	11	27″ × 58″	12	3	63″ × 90″	44	7
			32″ × 66″	11	11				32″ × 66″	16	8			
			36″ × 72″	14	7				36″ × 72″	20	5			
57	T3	Tapestry (Printed Velvet).	27″ × 54″	12	7	45″ × 72″	27	9	27″ × 54″	17	7	45″ × 72″	38	11
			32″ × 63″	17	3	54″ × 78″	36	1	32″ × 63″	24	2	54″ × 78″	50	6
			36″ × 72″	22	3				36″ × 72″	31	1			

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order substitutes for the First Schedule to the Carpets (Maximum Prices) Order, 1947 (S.R. & O. 1947 No. 607) a new Schedule containing increased manufacturers' maximum prices and wholesalers' and retailers' overriding maximum prices for price control group carpets.

This Order also makes an amendment of detail to Article 6 of the principal Order.

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(7) CASEIN BUTTONS, BUCKLES AND SLIDES

[For revocation of the Casein Buttons, Buckles and Slides (Manufacturers' Maximum Prices) Order, 1947, *see* S.I. 1948 No. 350, p. 1565 below.]

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(8) CLOCKS AND WATCHES

The Clocks and Watches (Maximum Prices) Order, 1948

1948 No. 2421

Made - - - -	*5th November*, 1948
Laid before Parliament	*8th November*, 1948
Coming into Operation	*1st January*, 1949

The Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Sections 1, 13 and 18 of the Goods and Services (Price Control) Act, 1941(**a**), as amended by the Defence (Price Control) Regulations, 1945(**b**), and all other powers in that behalf enabling them, hereby order as follows:—

Scope of Order.

1.—(1) The maximum prices to be charged in the course of businesses of the following classes, namely, manufacturer, importer, wholesaler and retailer, in respect of spring wound clocks and watches to which this Order applies (hereinafter called "goods") shall be computed in accordance with the following provisions of this Order.

(2) The spring wound clocks and watches to which this Order applies are:—

(*a*) in relation to the business of a manufacturer, new spring wound clocks and watches (other than those described in the Second Schedule hereto) not imported as such into the United Kingdom but manufactured by him and having an imported movement, that is to say, a movement which consists of or comprises mechanism

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(**a**) 4 & 5 Geo. 6. c. 31. (**b**) S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 1613) II, p. 81.