PART II

Maximum Price of Uncooked Pastry

The maximum price of uncooked pastry shall be at the rate of 1s. 0d. per lb. net.

PART III

Additional Charges for Containers

1. In this Part of this Schedule, references to the weight of any flour confectionery do not include the weight of the container.

2. On a sale of a ready-made pudding in a non-returnable basin supplied by the seller, a sum not exceeding—

(*a*) 3d., if the weight of the pudding is less than 3 lb. ; or,

(*b*) 1½d. for every complete pound that the pudding weighs, if its weight is 3 lb. or more ;

may be added to the maximum price.

3. On a sale of trifle in a non-returnable cardboard container supplied by the seller, a sum not exceeding the actual and reasonable cost of the container to the seller may be added to the maximum price.

4. On any sale, not provided for in paragraphs 2 or 3 of this Part of this Schedule, of flour confectionery in a non-returnable cardboard container supplied by the seller, a sum not exceeding the actual and reasonable cost of the container to the seller, and not exceeding—

(*a*) 1½d., if the weight of the flour confectionery is not more than 1 lb. ;

(*b*) 3d., if the weight of the flour confectionery is more than 1 lb., but not more than 2 lb. ; or

(*c*) 4d., if the weight of the flour confectionery is more than 2 lb. ;

may be added to the maximum price.

5. Except as provided in this Part of this Schedule, no charge shall be made for any wrapper or container on a sale of flour confectionery.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order—

(1) prescribes a new method of calculating the maximum price of flour confectionery ; and

(2) allows certain additional charges to be made for cardboard containers.

(The maximum price of uncooked pastry, and the additional charges already allowed for containers of trifle and ready-made puddings, are unaltered.)

The Flour Confectionery (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1950

1950 No. 1646

Made - - - -	*7th October*, 1950
Laid before Parliament	*9th October*, 1950
Coming into Operation	*26th November*, 1950

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Regulations 55 and 55AB of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(a) as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(b), and of all other

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

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

powers him enabling, the Minister of Food hereby makes the following Order:—

1. The Flour Confectionery (Control and Maximum Prices) Order, 1946, as amended(a), shall be further amended by adding after paragraph 1 of Part I of the Second Schedule thereto (which prescribes the maximum prices of flour confectionery) the following two paragraphs:—

"1A. From the 26th November, 1950, until the 30th December, 1950, both dates inclusive, in the case of any cake in which the combined fat, sugar and dry-egg-solids content amounts to 40 per cent. or more, and which is wholly covered on the top or on the top and sides with any one or more of the following substances, namely, sugar icing, almond marzipan and chocolate, and which is substantially decorated, the maximum price shall be calculated at a rate not exceeding four times the cost of the edible ingredients (to which may be added the actual cost, to the manufacturer of the cake, of any inedible decoration or ornamentation, including any decorated or ornamental wrapping) or 3s. 9d. per lb. net (including the cost and the weight of any inedible decoration or ornamentation or decorated or ornamental wrapping) whichever is the lesser.

1B. For the purpose of ascertaining the maximum price under paragraph 1A of this Part of this Schedule, where some or all of the edible ingredients were supplied by the person to whom the cake is sold by the manufacturer, the value of the ingredients so supplied (such value to be determined as provided in Article 4 (2) hereof) shall be deducted from four times the cost of all the ingredients (with the addition of the cost of any inedible decoration or ornamentation, including any decorated or ornamental wrapping); and in any such case the maximum price shall be calculated at a rate not exceeding the amount arrived at after making such deduction, or 3s. 9d. per lb. net whichever is the lesser".

2. This Order may be cited as the Flour Confectionery (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1950; and shall come into operation on the 26th day of November, 1950, and shall cease to have effect on the 31st day of December, 1950.

Dated the 7th day of October, 1950.

Maurice Webb,
Minister of Food.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This amending Order provides that, from the 26th November, 1950, until the 30th December, 1950, cakes of a prescribed standard, that are both iced and decorated, may be sold at any price up to four times the cost of the edible ingredients plus the actual cost of any inedible ornaments or decorative wrapping, provided that the total price does not exceed 3s. 9d. a pound.

Special provision is made for those cases in which some or all of the ingredients of the cake are supplied by the customer.

(a) S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 418) II, p. 843; 1947 (No. 231) II, p. 691; S.I. 1948 (No. 2612) II, p. 420; and 1950 No. 87, p. 620 above.