SCHEDULE

Col. 1 Specification Number	Col. 2 Description of goods	Col. 3 Manufacturers' maximum prices		
		On sale to wholesaler (per dozen)	On sale to retailer (per dozen)	On sale by retail (per handkerchief)
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
X61 ...	Men's handkerchief, plain white hemstitched.	12 9	13 6	1 4½
X62 ...	Men's handkerchief, plain dyed ...	13 0	13 9½	1 5
X63 ...	Men's handkerchief, coloured bordered.	11 11½	12 8	1 3¼
X64 ...	Ladies' handkerchief, plain white hemstitched.	4 8½	4 11½	6
X65 ...	Ladies' handkerchief, coloured bordered.	5 9½	6 2	7½
X601 ...	Agricultural and industrial workers' printed cotton handkerchief.	9 1	9 9½	11¾
X602 ...	Agricultural and industrial workers' printed cotton handkerchief.	11 0½	11 9	1 2

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order amends the principal Order relating to the marking and supply of utility handkerchiefs by providing increased manufacturers' maximum prices for the seven utility cotton handkerchiefs mentioned in the Schedule, except in the case specified in Article 4 of the principal Order.

The Household Textiles (Marking and Manufacturers' Prices) Order, 1950

1950 No. 52

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The Board of Trade in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Regulations 55, 55AA 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**), hereby order as follows:—

1.—(1) A person may, in the course of his business, apply the utility mark to any goods manufactured by him complying with a description specified in Part I of Schedule HT4.

(**a**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10; and S.R. & O. 1945 (Nos. 1611 and 1618) II, pp. 39 and 48.
(**b**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.

(2) Goods shall be deemed to comply with a description specified in Part I of that Schedule notwithstanding that Egyptian type yarn has been used where American type yarn is specified.

(3) A person, who applies the utility mark to goods complying with a description specified in Part I of that Schedule, shall not supply those goods until he has applied thereto, in a place adjacent to the utility mark, the specification number included in the second column of that Part in relation to that description.

2.—(1) A person may, in the course of his business, use any utility goods being cloth of any specification number included in the fourth column of Part II of Schedule HT4, for the purpose of making up goods complying with a description specified in that Part in relation to that specification number.

(2) A person, who makes up goods of any description from any utility goods under the authority of paragraph (1) of this Article, shall not supply those made up goods until he has applied thereto, in a place adjacent to the utility mark, the specification number included in the second column of Part II of that Schedule in relation to that description.

3.—(1) A person may, in the course of his business, apply the utility mark to any goods manufactured by him being—

(*a*) goods which comply with a description specified in section 2 of Part I, or in Part II, of Schedule HT4 except in not more than two of the respects mentioned in Part IV of that Schedule (hereinafter referred to as "the relevant description");

(*b*) goods, other than such goods as aforesaid, which were intended to comply with a description specified in section 2 of Part I, or in Part II, of that Schedule and which do so comply in respect of weight and size, but which do not so comply in one or more other respects.

(2) A person who, under the authority of this Article, applies the utility mark to any such goods shall not supply those goods until he has applied thereto, in a place adjacent to the utility mark—

(*a*) in the case of goods described in head (*a*) of paragraph (1) of this Article, the specification number included in the second column of section 2 of Part I, or in the second column of Part II, of Schedule HT4 in relation to the relevant description and, by means of a transfer, stamp or label in letters not less than $\frac{5}{16}$ of an inch in height, the word "seconds";

(*b*) in the case of goods described in head (*b*) of that paragraph, the specification number included in the second column of section 2 of Part I, or in the second column of Part II, of that Schedule in relation to the description with which those goods were intended to comply and, in the manner aforesaid, the word "reject" or "damaged".

4.—(1) Except as provided in this Article a person shall not apply to any cloth to which this Order applies (whether manufactured by him or not), or to any goods made up therefrom (whether by him or any other person), immediately before the specification number thereof, the letter and symbol 'R/', 'P/' or 'E/'.

(2) Whenever, in pursuance of this Order, a person applies a specification number to goods—

(*a*) complying with a description specified in Part I of Schedule HT4,

(*b*) complying with a description specified in section 2 of that Part except in not more than two of the respects mentioned in Part IV of that Schedule, or

(*c*) other than goods referred to in head (*b*) of this paragraph, which were intended to comply with a description specified in that section and which do so comply in respect of weight and size, but which do not so comply in one or more other respects,

and in the description, the relevant description or the description with which they were intended to comply (as the case may be), American type yarn is specified but in the manufacture of the goods Egyptian type yarn has been used—

(i) for the warp, he may apply thereto, immediately before that specification number, the letter and symbol 'R/';

(ii) for the weft, he may apply thereto, immediately before that specification number, the letter and symbol 'P/';

(iii) for both warp and weft, he may apply thereto, immediately before that specification number, the letter and symbol 'E/'.

(3) Whenever, in pursuance of this Order, a person applies a specification number to goods, made up from cloth bearing a specification number immediately preceded by the letter and symbol 'R/', 'P/' or 'E/', being goods—

(*a*) complying with a description specified in Part II of Schedule HT4,

(*b*) complying with a description specified in that Part except in not more than two of the respects mentioned in Part IV of that Schedule, or

(*c*) other than goods referred to in head (*b*) of this paragraph, which were intended to comply with a description specified in Part II of that Schedule and which do so comply in respect of weight and size, but which do not so comply in one or more other respects,

he may apply to those goods, immediately before the specification number thereof, the letter and symbol 'R/', 'P/' or 'E/', as the case may be.

5. The provisions of Part III of Schedule HT4 shall have effect in relation to the interpretation of Part I and Part II of that Schedule.

6.—(1) A person shall not, in the course of his business, charge in respect of the sale of any utility goods complying with a description specified in Part I or Part II of Schedule HT4, manufactured by him whether before or after the commencement of this Order but supplied thereafter, a gross price exceeding the amount specified in Part I or Part II, as the case may be, of that Schedule in relation to that description.

(2) A person shall not, in the course of his business, charge in respect of the sale of any utility goods of a description specified in paragraph (1) of Article 3 of this Order, manufactured by him whether before or after the commencement of this Order but supplied thereafter, a gross price exceeding—

(*a*) in the case of goods described in head (*a*) of that paragraph, the amount specified in Part I or Part II of Schedule HT4 in relation to the relevant description, less 20 per cent. thereof;

(*b*) in the case of goods described in head (*b*) of that paragraph, the amount so specified in relation to the description which they were intended to comply, less 33⅓ per cent. thereof.

(3) A person shall not, in the course of his business, charge in respect of the sale of any utility goods of a specification number included in Part V of

Schedule HT4, manufactured by him whether before or after the commencement of this Order but supplied thereafter, a gross price exceeding the amount specified in that Part in relation to that specification number.

(4) In relation to the sale of any utility goods to which this Order applies (not being down and wadded quilt cloths) otherwise than to a wholesaler or a person whose business includes the making-up of utility goods being household textiles or bedding, any amount specified in Part I, Part II or Part V of Schedule HT4, as the case may be, shall be deemed to be increased by 10 per cent. thereof.

(5) In relation to the sale of any utility goods to which under the authority of paragraph (2) or paragraph (3) of Article 4 of this Order or of the corresponding provisions of any Order hereby revoked, there has been applied, immediately before the specification number, the letter and symbol 'R/', 'P/' or 'E/', any amount specified in Part I or Part II, as the case may be, of Schedule HT4 shall be deemed to be increased—

(*a*) by 5 per cent. thereof where the specification number is preceded by the letter and symbol 'R/' or 'P/', and

(*b*) by 10 per cent. thereof where the specification number is preceded by the letter and symbol 'E/'.

(6) The price charged by any person in respect of the sale (otherwise than by retail) of any utility goods to which this Order applies, manufactured by him, shall be reduced by an amount not less than 2½ per cent. of the gross price in any case in which payment for those goods is made or tendered before the tenth day of the month immediately succeeding that during which the goods were consigned by the seller to, or to the order of, the buyer.

7. In relation to the supply of any utility goods to which the letter and symbol 'R/', 'P/' or 'E/' has been applied under the authority of paragraph (2) or paragraph (3) of Article 4 of this Order, the manufacturer thereof shall include in the invoice required to be furnished by virtue of Article 10 of the Utility Mark and Apparel and Textiles (General Provisions) Order, 1947(**a**), in addition to the matters specified therein, that letter and symbol immediately before the specification number included in that invoice in respect of those goods.

8. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit the doing of anything under the authority of a licence granted by the Board of Trade under this Article and in accordance with any condition attached thereto.

9. In this Order—

"gross price" means the price inclusive of all delivery charges payable either by the buyer or the seller and before any deductions by way of discount have been made:

Provided that no account shall be taken of delivery charges payable by the buyer—

(*a*) on a sale by retail, or

(*b*) on a sale otherwise than by retail of goods to which this Order applies, whether or not the goods are included in a parcel comprising goods to which this Order does not apply, where the total price in respect of such goods or, where such goods are included in such a

(a) S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 2642) II, p. 160.

parcel, in respect of such parcel (exclusive of the appropriate amount of purchase tax where such tax is chargeable and exclusive of delivery charges) does not exceed £10 ;

*" Schedule HT4 " means the Schedule so named of descriptions of Household Textiles issued by the Board of Trade for the purposes of this Order.

10. The provisions of paragraph (2) of Article 15, and Article 18 of the Utility Mark and Apparel and Textiles (General Provisions) Order, 1947 (as amended from time to time), shall, so far as they are relevant, form part of and be incorporated with this Order.

11.—(1) The Household Textiles (Marking and Manufacturers' Prices) Order, 1949(**a**), the Household Textiles (Marking and Manufacturers' Prices) (Amendment) Order, 1949(**b**), and the Household Textiles (Marking and Manufacturers' Prices) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1949(**c**), are hereby revoked:

Provided that any current licence issued or having effect thereunder shall have effect as if it had been granted under this Order.

(2) This Order may be cited as the Household Textiles (Marking and Manufacturers' Prices) Order, 1950, and shall come into operation on the 23rd day of January, 1950.

Dated this 10th day of January, 1950.

Arthur G. Bottomley,
Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order supersedes the Household Textiles (Marking and Manufacturers' Prices) Order, 1949, as amended.

The principal changes are:—

(*a*) Schedule HT3 and Lists Nos. 1 and 2 of Amendments are replaced by Schedule HT4; Schedule HT4 contains descriptions of, and maximum prices for, utility household textiles ; and

(*b*) invoices to be furnished by manufacturers in respect of utility goods marked with the letter and 'R/', 'P/' or 'E/', indicating that in the manufacture of the goods Egyptian type yarn has been used in the place of American type yarn, must now, in addition to the specification number, contain a reference to that letter and symbol.

(a) S.I. 1949 No. 1033.
(b) S.I. 1949 No. 1641.
(c) S.I. 1949 No. 1926.

* For new definition substit. by S.I. 1950 No. 1905, *see* p. 160 below.