1952 No. 1316

The Iron and Steel Distribution (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1952

Made - - - -	11*th July*, 1952
Laid before Parliament	14*th July*, 1952
Coming into Operation	21*st July*, 1952

The Minister of Supply in exercise of the powers conferred on him by Regulations 55, 55AA, and 98, 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 the Supplies and Services (Defence Purposes) Act, 1951(**c**), and continued in force by the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1951(**d**)), hereby orders as follows:—

Amendment of Principal Order

1. The Principal Order (that is, Iron and Steel Distribution Order, 1951(**e**), as varied by the Iron and Steel Distribution (Amendment No. 1) Order, 1952(**f**)) is hereby varied by making therein the amendments set out in the Schedule to this Order.

Coming into Operation: Citation

2. This Order shall come into operation on the 21st day of July, 1952: and may be cited as the Iron and Steel Distribution (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1952; and the Principal Order and this Order may be cited together as the Iron and Steel Distribution (Nos. 1–3) Orders, 1951–2.

Dated this 11th day of July, 1952.

Duncan Sandys,
Minister of Supply.

THE SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS TO IRON AND STEEL DISTRIBUTION (NOS. 1 AND 2) ORDERS, 1951–2

1. ARTICLE 4 (which is printed in the (Amendment No. 1) Order): at the beginning, *for* "A person", *substitute* "Notwithstanding anything in Article 2, 3, or 5, of this Order: a person".

2. ARTICLE 6: *substitute*—

SECTION IV—ACQUISITION RECORDS

Indents, Sub-Authorizations, "Forms M" and "Free-Issue Contracts" to be recorded and produced

6. Every person who gives any I.S. Indent, or issues any I.S. Sub-Authorization or any "Form M (Sheets)", or makes as an authorization holder under

(**a**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10; and S.R. & O. 1945/1618, 1611, 1625; 1945 II, pp. 45, 39, 56.
(**b**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.
(**c**) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 25.
(**d**) S.I. 1951/2116; 1951 III, p. 27.
(**e**) S.I. 1951/2006; 1951 III, p. 459.
(**f**) S.I. 1952/172, p. 3291 above.

Article 9 of this Order any "free-issue contract" under that Article, shall keep and preserve the particulars thereof together with that I.S. Authorization or I.S. Sub-Authorization or "Form M (Sheets)" under which he gave or issued such document or made such contract; and shall upon notice being given to him by or on behalf of the Minister of Supply produce those particulars and the said I.S. Authorization or I.S. Sub-Authorization or "Form M (Sheets)" to such person as may be designated in that notice.

3. FIRST SCHEDULE: *delete* Class (15); and *for* Classes (7) and (8), *substitute*—

(7) Angle, channel, tee, joist, piling section, other sectional material, (but not being cold formed from sheet or strip);

(8) Round, rod, square, hexagon, flat, other section and shape, (and whether black or bright—but not being cold formed from sheet or strip);

4. THIRD SCHEDULE, Part I: *delete* everything of Category (x); and *for* Category (vii) and its Description and Quantity, *substitute*—

Category	*Description*	*Quantity*
(vii *a*)	Tubes and pipes—other than electrical conduit ...	15 cwt.
(vii *b*)	Electrical conduit	3 cwt.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Order amends the Iron and Steel Distribution (Nos. 1 and 2) Orders, 1951–2, so that—

(1) Large Spring ceases to be controlled material, and it is made clear that

(i) Sectional Material, and (ii) Section and Shape, are not controlled material when cold formed from sheet or strip:

(2) under SQE, Electrical Conduit is now separated at 3 cwt. per month (Category (vii *b*)) from other Tubes and Pipes (Category (vii *a*)): and

(3) Records must be kept of all free-issue contracts (amended Article 6).

[NOTE.—If the amendments set out in the above Order are copied into the 1951 Order as amended by the (Amendment No. 1) Order, then the Explanatory Note to the 1951 Order as amended by the Explanatory Note to the (Amendment No. 1) Order should be further amended as follows—

p. 15, last paragraph on page, *substitute*—

'RECORDS must be kept of Indents, Sub-Authorizations, Forms M, Dockets and Free-Issue Contracts given, issued, delivered or made.']