Part II—Landings Payments

Grants under head (*b*) of paragraph 11 of this scheme may be paid at the following rates in respect of white fish of legal size landed and sold at first-hand (otherwise than by retail) for human consumption:—

(*a*) 4d. per stone in respect of all whole gutted fish (including roes and chitlings), wings of ray and skate and monkfish tails; and ungutted bass, bream, dogfish, eels, gurnards, mackerel, horse mackerel, mullet (red and grey), pilchards, redfish, smelts, sprats and whitebait;

(*b*) 3d. per stone in respect of all other whole ungutted fish.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The White Fish and Herring Industries Act, 1953, provides that with a view to promoting the landing in the United Kingdom of a continuous and plentiful supply of white fish, a scheme may be made for the payment of grants to the owners or charterers of fishing vessels not exceeding 140 feet in registered length engaged in catching such fish. This scheme provides for the payment of grants in respect of voyages made and fish landed by vessels fishing the near and middle water grounds, and for grants in respect of landings of fish by inshore vessels, during the period beginning on 1st August, 1953, and ending 31st July, 1955.

As required by section 11 of the Act, this scheme was approved by a resolution of the House of Commons on 15th July, 1953, and a resolution of the House of Lords on 23rd July, 1953.

FOOD AND DRUGS

1953 No. 1821

The Milk (Special Designation) (Pasteurised and Sterilised Milk) (Amendment) Regulations, 1953

Made - - - -	10*th December*, 1953
Laid before Parliament	12*th December*, 1953
Coming into Operation	20*th December*, 1953

The Minister of Health and the Minister of Food acting jointly in exercise of the powers conferred on them by sections thirteen and fifteen of the Food and Drugs (Milk, Dairies and Artificial Cream) Act, 1950(**a**), and of all other powers them enabling in that behalf, having consulted such representative organisations as appear to them substantially to represent the interests concerned with the purposes of these regulations, hereby make the following regulations:—

1.—(1) These regulations shall come into operation on the 20th day of December, 1953.

(**a**) 14 Geo. 6. c. 35.

(2) These regulations may be cited as the Milk (Special Designation) (Pasteurised and Sterilised Milk) (Amendment) Regulations, 1953, and these regulations and the Milk (Special Designation) (Pasteurised and Sterilised Milk) Regulations, 1949 and 1950, may be cited together as the Milk (Special Designation) (Pasteurised and Sterilised Milk) Regulations, 1949 to 1953.

2. The Milk (Special Designation) (Pasteurised and Sterilised Milk) Regulations, 1949(**a**) as amended(**b**), shall be further amended as follows:—

(*a*) by substituting in sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 7 of Part I of the Second Schedule thereto for the words "As from such date as the Minister shall appoint" the words "As from 1st October, 1954,";

(*b*) by substituting for Part II of the Second Schedule thereto the Schedule to these regulations.

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Health this tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) *Iain Macleod,*
Minister of Health.

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Food this tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) *G. Lloyd-George,*
Minister of Food.

THE SCHEDULE

PART III.—STERILISED

Interpretation

1. In this Part of this Schedule—

"bottle" means any container which has a capacity of not more than one gallon and is of a type approved by the licensing authority.

Conditions

2. The following conditions apply to milk in relation to which the special designation "Sterilised" is used:—

(1) The milk shall be filtered or clarified, homogenised and thereafter heated to and maintained at such a temperature, not less than 212°F., for such a period as to ensure that it will comply with the turbidity test prescribed in Part IV of the Third Schedule. The milk shall be heated as aforesaid in bottles and in such a manner that on or before completion of the treatment the bottles shall be sealed with an airtight seal.

(2) Such thermometers and pressure gauges as the licensing authority shall consider necessary shall be installed in suitable places in the apparatus so as to indicate the temperature or pressure to which the milk is raised or subjected, as the case may be.

(3) A sample of the milk taken in accordance with Part I of the Third Schedule after treatment and before delivery to the consumer shall satisfy the turbidity test prescribed in Part IV of that Schedule.

(4) Every bottle in which the milk is transported, exposed or offered for sale shall be conspicuously and legibly labelled or marked with the words "Sterilised Milk" or "Tuberculin Tested Milk (Sterilised)" as the case may be.

(**a**) S.I. 1949/1589; 1949 I, p. 1715. (**b**) S.I. 1950/409; 1950 I, p. 754.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

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

These amending regulations—

(1) appoint 1st October, 1954, as the date from which it shall be compulsory to use overlapping caps on containers of pasteurised milk ;

(2) allow milk to be sterilised in cans or other suitable containers as well as in bottles.

1953 No. 1876

The Milk and Dairies (Amendment) Regulations, 1953

Made - - - -	*17th December,* 1953
Laid before Parliament	*19th December,* 1953
Coming into Operation	*27th December,* 1953

The Minister of Health, the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries and the Minister of Food acting jointly in exercise of the powers conferred on them by sections one, two, four and six of the Food and Drugs (Milk, Dairies and Artificial Cream) Act, 1950(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, having consulted such representative organisations as appear to them substantially to represent the interests concerned with the purposes of these regulations, hereby make the following regulations :—

1. These regulations shall come into operation on the 27th day of December, 1953, and may be cited as the Milk and Dairies (Amendment) Regulations, 1953 ; and these regulations and the Milk and Dairies Regulations, 1949(b), may be cited together as the Milk and Dairies Regulations, 1949 and 1953.

2. The Milk and Dairies Regulations, 1949, shall be amended by substituting in paragraph (1) of regulation two thereof for the definition of distributor the following definition :—

" ' distributor ' means a person trading as a dairyman elsewhere than at or from premises in relation to which he is registered as a dairy farmer under these regulations but does not include a purveyor of cream in the hermetically sealed containers in which it is delivered to his premises provided that such a purveyor is not otherwise a purveyor of milk ; "

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Health this fifteenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) *Iain Macleod,*
Minister of Health.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries this seventeenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) *Tom Dugdale,*
Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Food this seventeenth day of December, nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) *G. Lloyd-George,*
Minister of Food.

(a) 14 Geo. 6. c. 35. (b) S.I. 1949/1588; 1949 I, p. 1698.