1974 No. 197

CONTROL OF FUEL AND ELECTRICITY

The Motor Fuel (Maximum Retail Prices) Order 1973 (Amendment) Order 1974

Made - - - 11*th February* 1974

**To be laid before Parliament.*

Coming into Operation 12*th February* 1974

To be laid before Parliament

The Secretary of State, in exercise of his powers under section 2(1)(*b*) of the Fuel and Electricity (Control) Act 1973**(a)** and section 7 of the Emergency Laws (Re-enactments and Repeals) Act 1964**(b)** as having effect by virtue of section 5 of the Fuel and Electricity (Control) Act 1973, hereby orders as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Motor Fuel (Maximum Retail Prices) Order 1973 (Amendment) Order 1974 and shall come into operation on 12th February 1974.

2. The Motor Fuel (Maximum Retail Prices) Order 1973**(c)** shall be varied as follows:—

(*a*) Article 9 shall be omitted;

(*b*) for Schedule 1, there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in Schedule 1 to this Order; and

(*c*) for Schedule 2, there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in Schedule 2 to this Order.

Patrick Jenkin,
Minister for Energy.
Department of Energy.

11th February 1974.

*This instrument was laid before Parliament on 12th February 1974.

(a) 1973 c. 67. (b) 1964 c. 60. (c) S.I. 1973/2119. (1973 III, p. 7285).

SCHEDULE 1

Article 2(b)

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Column 1 Grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit and classes of diesel fuel	Column 2 Amount in pence
Motor Spirit	
5 star grade	51
4 star grade	50
3 star grade of not less than 96 minimum RON value	49½
Other 3 star grade	49
2 star grade of not less than 92 minimum RON value	48½
Other 2 star grade	48
Diesel Fuel	
Class A1	49½
Class A2	49½

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SCHEDULE 2

Article 2(c)

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Column 1 Zone or place	Column 2 Amount in pence	Column 3 Grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit or classes of diesel fuel
Zones		
Inner zone	—	—
Outer zone	½	4 star grade
General zone	½	All grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit and classes of diesel fuel
North Scotland (mainland only) zone	1	All grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit
	2½	Both classes of diesel fuel
Places		
Northern Ireland	½	4 star grade
Benbecula, Bute, Harris, Lewis, Millport, Skye, Uist and West Cowal	1	All grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit
	2½	Both classes of diesel fuel
Arran and Mull	2	All grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit
	2½	Both classes of diesel fuel
Colonsay and Islay	3	All grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit and classes of diesel fuel
Orkney Islands (mainland) and Shetland Isles (mainland)	1	All grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit
	2½	Both classes of diesel fuel
Other Orkney Islands and Shetland Isles	4	All grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit
	5½	Both classes of diesel fuel
Barra, Coll, Jura and Tiree	5½	All grades or subdivisions of a grade of motor spirit

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Motor Fuel (Maximum Retail Prices) Order 1973 by increasing the maximum retail prices imposed by that Order in respect of the supply of motor spirit and diesel fuel in Great Britain and by imposing maximum retail prices in respect of such supply in Northern Ireland.

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