EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This amending Order—

(1) Sets out the minimum and maximum prices for oats in Northern Ireland for each month from July, 1949 to June, 1950;

(2) Permits a deduction not exceeding 2s. 0d. per cwt. from the minimum price on a sale of oats which are not in fair merchantable condition but are sound, sweet and commercially clean;

(3) Increases the maximum permitted charges for non-returnable sacks;

(4) Removes the restrictions on the transport of oats to Great Britain, apart from the transport of oats for use as an animal feeding stuff;

(5) Removes the requirement that oats must be certified by the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland before they may be sold below the minimum price but provides that, where a difference arises whether oats are of such a quality that the minimum price does not apply, the matter shall be referred to the Ministry.

The Oats (Northern Ireland) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1949

1949 No. 2039

Made - - - -	*3rd November*, 1949
Laid before Parliament	*4th November*, 1949
Coming into Operation	*6th November*, 1949

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Regulation 55 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 powers him enabling, the Minister of Food hereby makes the following Order:—

1. The Oats (Control and Prices) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1948, as amended(c), shall be further amended as follows:—

(*a*) by substituting in Article 1 thereof for the definition of "oatmeal miller" the following definition—

"'Oatmeal miller' means a person who in the course of his trade or business manufactures for human consumption any specified oat product and the expression 'milling' shall be construed accordingly";

(*b*) by deleting Article 2 thereof;

(*c*) by deleting in Article 4 thereof the words "milling or".

2. This Order shall come into operation on the 6th day of November, 1949, and may be cited as the Oats (Northern Ireland) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1949.

Dated the 3rd day of November, 1949.

John Strachey,
Minister of Food.

(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.

(c) S.I. 1948 (No. 1763) II, p. 696; and 1949 Nos. 1163, p. 452 above, and 1395, p. 489 below.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This amending Order alters the definition of oatmeal miller and provides that only such oatmeal millers as are licensed as approved buyers may purchase oats from growers.

(D) RYE

(a) *Control and Prices.* | (b) *Control of Mills and Products*, p. 470.

(a) CONTROL AND PRICES

(i) *Great Britain.* | (ii) *Northern Ireland*, p. 464.

(i) GREAT BRITAIN

The Rye (Great Britain) Order, 1949

1949 No. 1192

Made - - - -	25*th June*, 1949
Laid before Parliament	27*th June*, 1949
Coming into Operation	1*st July*, 1949

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him 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), and of all other powers him enabling, the Minister of Food hereby makes the following Order:—

Interpretation

1. In this Order—

"The Minister" means the Minister of Food.

"Approved buyer" means a person licensed as such under this Order and includes a person who, immediately before the coming into force of this Order, was licensed as an approved buyer under the Rye (Control and Prices) (Great Britain) Order, 1947, as amended(c).

"Buy", "obtain", "sell" or "supply" include offer or agree to buy, obtain, sell or supply, as the case may be.

"Distiller" means a person holding a licence under Article 1 of the Potable Spirits (Licensing and Control) Order, 1944(d), authorising him to manufacture spirits from a mash of cereal grains.

"Grower" means a grower of rye in Great Britain and includes the seller or supplier thereof on the first sale or disposition after threshing, but for the purposes of the Second and Third Schedules to this Order shall not include an approved buyer.

(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.
(c) S.R. & O. 1947 (Nos. 1538 and 1889) II, pp. 833 and 840; and S.I. 1948 (No. 1747) II, p. 705.
(d) S.R. & O. 1944 (No. 1103) II, p. 1021.