EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order replaces the Feeding Stuffs (Rationing) Order, 1943, as amended.

The principal changes are :—

(1) The ration documents and the feeding stuffs for which they are valid are now set out in a schedule to the Order.

(2) Rye is now unrationed.

(3) A new Pig Starter Food coupon and a buying permit for National Pig Starter Food are introduced.

(4) Various feeding stuffs are re-named and new items are included in the Schedule of Rationed Feeding Stuffs.

(5) A revised form of Monthly Return to be made by specified persons is provided.

(6) It is now specifically provided that it is an offence (with certain limited exceptions) to be in possession of feeding stuffs that have not been obtained in accordance with this Order.

B. PERSONAL POINTS

The Rationing (Personal Points) (Revocation) Order, 1949

1949 No. 699

Made - - - -	*7th April*, 1949
Laid before Parliament	*8th April*, 1949
Coming into Operation	*24th April*, 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:—

1.—(1) Subject as hereinafter provided the Rationing (Personal Points) Order, 1948, as amended(**c**), is hereby revoked but without prejudice to any proceedings in respect of any contravention thereof.

(2) Every trader who, during the period 27th March, 1949, to 23rd April, 1949, has supplied personal points foods to any other person shall, not later than 30th April, 1949, deliver to the Minister all ration documents in his possession which relate to personal points foods and furnish to the Minister such estimates, returns and information as the Minister may by notice require.

2. The General Licence dated 1st November, 1946(**d**), and the Rationing (Personal Points) (General Licence) Order, 1947(**e**), each granting a General Licence under the Food Rationing (General Provisions) Order, 1946(**f**), are hereby revoked.

(**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 Nos. 1632 and 2509.
(**d**) S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1779) II, p. 620. (**e**) S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 595) II, p. 473.
(**f**) S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1099) II, p. 567.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the 24th day of April, 1949, and may be cited as the Rationing (Personal Points) (Revocation) Order 1949.

Dated the 7th day of April, 1949.

John Strachey,
Minister of Food.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, as from 24th April, 1949, removes chocolate and chocolate and sugar confectionery from personal points rationing.

The Order provides that traders shall, not later than 30th April, 1949, deliver to the Minister all ration documents (including loose coupons) in their possession which relate to personal points foods and comply with certain other requirements of the Minister. These requirements will be included in the usual trade circulars issued by the Ministry.

The Order also revokes two General Licences which are no longer effective.

NOTE.—The rationing of chocolate, chocolate confectionery and sugar confectionery was re-imposed by the Rationing (Personal Points) Order, 1949 (S.I. 1949 No. 1523). This order and the Rationing (Personal Points) (Amendment) Order, 1949 (S.I. 1949 No. 2422) were revoked by the Food Rationing (General Provisions) Order, 1950 (S.I. 1950 No. 790) and replaced by the Rationing (Personal Points) Order, 1950 (S.I. 1950 No. 789). They are therefore omitted from this volume.

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