2.—(1) For the purposes of the above table, the expression "Domestic Ration" means a quantity of soap ascertained as follows:—

Description of Soap	Quantity
Hard Soap	4 oz.
or	
Toilet Soap	3 oz.
or	
Soft Soap	6 oz.
or	
No. 1 Liquid Soap	½ pint
or	
No. 2 Liquid Soap	1 pint
or	
No. 1 Soap Powder	6 oz.
or	
No. 2 Soap Powder	12 oz.
or	
Flakes or Chips (or soap powder containing more than 56 per cent. anhydrous soap)	3 oz.

(2) The above weights are factory net weights in the case of—

(*a*) hard soap or toilet soap; and

(*b*) soap powder and soap flakes or chips, when the same are pre-packed; and in any other case are actual net weights.

(3) The above specified quantities are alternative and accordingly more than one of the above-mentioned descriptions of soap may be obtained or supplied, provided that the quantities above specified in relation to the descriptions of soap obtained or supplied are proportionately reduced.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order re-enacts the Soap (Licensing of Manufacturers and Rationing) Order, 1948, as amended, with the amendments necessary to provide for the use of the new ration documents valid for the rationing year beginning on 22nd May, 1949.

The Soap (Licensing of Manufacturers and Rationing) (Amendment) Order, 1949

1949 No. 1255

Made - - - -	1*st July*, 1949
Laid before Parliament	4*th July*, 1949
Coming into Operation	10*th July*, 1949

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Regulation 55 and 55AA of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(a) as extended

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10; and S.R. & O. 1945 (Nos. 1611 and 1615–25) II, pp. 39 and 45–56.

by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(a), and of all other powers him enabling, the Minister of Food hereby makes the following Order:—

1. The Soap (Licensing of Manufacturers and Rationing) Order, 1949(b), shall be amended as follows:—

(*a*) by deleting from paragraph (*c*) of the definition of ration document in Article 1 thereof the words "except a Clothing Book C.B.1., C.B.4., or C.B.2.";

(*b*) by substituting in paragraph (4) of Article 8 thereof, which relates to the delivery to the Minister of certain Deposit Slips S.P. 2, Order Forms S.P. 3 and Buying Permits S.P. 4, for the words "Not later than the end of the first week of ration period No. 2" the words "Not later than the end of the first week of ration period No. 3".

2. This Order shall come into operation on the 10th day of July, 1949, and may be cited as the Soap (Licensing of Manufacturers and Rationing) (Amendment) Order, 1949.

Dated the 1st day of July, 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 amending Order makes two small corrections to the principal Order, namely—

(1) Reference to clothing books is deleted;

(2) Article 8 (4) thereof is corrected to provide that certain ration documents S.P. 2, S.P. 3 and S.P. 4 be surrendered, as previously, not later than the end of the first week of each 8-week ration period.

The Soap (Licensing of Manufacturers and Rationing) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1949

1949 No. 1872

Made - - - -	*6th October,* 1949
Laid before Parliament	*7th October,* 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(c) as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(a), and of all other

(a) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.
(b) S.I. 1949 No. 973, p. 663 above.
(c) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10; and S.R. & O. 1945 (Nos. 1611 and 1615-25) II, pp. 39 and 45-56.