STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1963 No. 1901

SUGAR

The Sugar (Distribution Payments) (No. 9) Order 1963

Made - - - -	*25th November* 1963
Laid before Parliament	*27th November* 1963
Coming into Operation	*28th November* 1963

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 14(5) and 33(4) of the Sugar Act 1956(a), having effect subject to the provisions of section 3 of, and Part II of Schedule 5 to, the Finance Act 1962(b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, with the concurrence of the Treasury, and on the advice of the Sugar Board hereby makes the following order :—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Sugar (Distribution Payments) (No. 9) Order 1963 ; and shall come into operation on 28th November 1963.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. Notwithstanding the provisions of article 2 of the Sugar (Distribution Payments) (No. 8) Order 1963(d), the rates of distribution payments payable under and in accordance with the provisions of section 14 of the Sugar Act 1956, having effect as aforesaid, in respect of sugar and invert sugar imported or home produced or used in the manufacture of imported composite sugar products shall on and after 28th November 1963 be those rates specified in the Schedule to this order ; and section 10 of the Finance Act 1901(e) (which relates to new or altered customs or excise duties and their effect upon contracts) shall apply accordingly.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed on 25th November 1963.

(L.S.)

Christopher Soames,
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

We concur.
25th November 1963.

G. T. C. Campbell,
M. A. Hamilton,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

(a) 4 & 5 Eliz. 2. c. 48. (b) 10 & 11 Eliz. 2. c. 44. (c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(d) S.I. 1963/1809 (1963 III, p. 3405). (e) 1 Edw. 7. c. 7.

SCHEDULE

PART I

RATES OF DISTRIBUTION PAYMENT FOR SUGAR

Polarisation	Rate of Distribution Payment per cwt.
Exceeding—	s. d.
99°	32 8
98° but not exceeding 99°	30 9·6
97° " " " 98°	30 0·6
96° " " " 97°	29 3·2
95° " " " 96°	28 5·8
94° " " " 95°	27 8·4
93° " " " 94°	26 11
92° " " " 93°	26 1·6
91° " " " 92°	25 4·1
90° " " " 91°	24 6·7
89° " " " 90°	23 9·3
88° " " " 89°	22 11·9
87° " " " 88°	22 4·1
86° " " " 87°	21 8·2
85° " " " 86°	21 1·2
84° " " " 85°	20 6·1
83° " " " 84°	19 11·1
82° " " " 83°	19 4
81° " " " 82°	18 9·7
80° " " " 81°	18 3·5
79° " " " 80°	17 9·2
78° " " " 79°	17 2·9
77° " " " 78°	16 8·7
76° " " " 77°	16 2·4
Not exceeding 76°	15 8·1

PART II

RATES OF DISTRIBUTION PAYMENT FOR INVERT SUGAR

Sweetening matter content by weight	Rate of Distribution Payment per cwt.
	s. d.
70 per cent. or more	20 9
Less than 70 per cent. and more than 50 per cent.	14 11
Not more than 50 per cent.	7 3

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This order provides for decreases equivalent to 14s. 0d. per cwt. of refined sugar in the rates of distribution payment in respect of sugar and invert sugar which become eligible for such payments on and after 28th November 1963.