(78) VENEER

[*See* also TIMBER, p. 1017 above.]

The Veneer Prices Order, 1948

1948 No. 1134

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The Board of Trade in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Regulations 55 and 55AB of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939(a), as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(b), as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(c), hereby order as follows:—

1.—(1) No person shall buy or sell any veneer of a description for which a basic price is specified in Part II of the First Schedule to this Order at a price exceeding the appropriate maximum price calculated in accordance with the provisions of Part I of that Schedule.

(2) No seller shall charge and no buyer shall pay in addition to the price paid or payable for any such veneer any amount not authorised by or complying with the provisions set out in the Second Schedule to this Order in relation to the sale of that veneer.

(3) The seller of any such veneer shall if the buyer so requires furnish to the buyer in an invoice or otherwise a statement in writing showing in relation to the provisions of this Order how the price is made up or arrived at and giving sufficient particulars to enable the buyer to verify that the price is in conformity with the provisions of this Order.

2. Nothing in this Order shall

(*a*) apply to veneer comprised in any retail sale complying with the provisions of Article 8 of the Control of Timber (No. 32) (General Provisions) Order, 1944(d), as amended(e); or

(*b*) affect the price or the terms at or upon which any veneer may be sold to or bought from the Board of Trade.

3. In any proceedings in respect of any purchase or sale of any veneer in alleged contravention of Article 1 of this Order, it shall be a defence for the defendant to prove that the veneer was neither delivered nor intended to be delivered to any person in the United Kingdom other than a person under an obligation to carry the veneer on behalf of the buyer thereof to a place outside the United Kingdom.

4. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit the doing of anything under the authority of a licence issued by the Board of Trade hereunder and in accordance with any condition attached thereto.

(a) *See* Note, p. 15 above.
(b) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10; and S.R. & O. 1945 (Nos. 1611 and 1618) II, pp. 39 and 48.
(c) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.
(d) S.R. & O. 1944 (No. 917) II, p. 1594.
(e) The relevant amending Order is S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 2159) II, p. 1475.

5. The Control of Timber (No. 37) (Veneer Prices) Order, 1945(a), is hereby revoked.

6. This Order may be cited as the Veneer Prices Order, 1948, and shall come into operation on the 7th day of June, 1948.

Dated this 28th day of May, 1948.

John Belcher,
Parliamentary Secretary to the
Board of Trade.

FIRST SCHEDULE

PART I.

1.—(1) The maximum price for any veneer of a description for which a basic price is specified in Part II of this Schedule which is loaded at the expense of the seller on to a vehicle or vessel at the place where the veneer is lying, shall be the aggregate of—

(*a*) the appropriate basic price specified in that Part for veneer of that description;

(*b*) any appropriate permitted additions specified in that Part for veneer of that description; and

(*c*) if the veneer is not lying at the appropriate place, a carriage charge calculated as follows—

Distance from the appropriate place to the place where the veneer is lying	*Charge per 100 sq. ft.*
	d.
Not more than 60 miles	1
More than 60 miles but not more than 125 miles ...	1½
More than 125 miles but not more than 200 miles ...	2
More than 200 miles	3

(2) In this paragraph, the expression " appropriate place " means—

(*a*) in the case of veneer which has been stored in a Board of Trade store, that store;

(*b*) in the case of veneer which has not been stored in a Board of Trade store—

(i) if it was manufactured in the United Kingdom, the place of manufacture;

(ii) if it was not manufactured in the United Kingdom, the place of arrival in the United Kingdom.

2. The maximum price for any veneer of a description for which a basic price is specified in Part II of this Schedule which is not loaded as aforesaid, shall be the aggregate of the items specified in heads (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) of paragraph 1 (1), less the reasonable cost which the buyer has incurred or may expect to incur of loading the veneer on to a vehicle or vessel at the place where the veneer is lying.

(a) S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 640) II, p. 1471.

Part II

Division A—Veneer Imported into the United Kingdom

Section I—Face and Backing Veneer

Table 1—Face Veneer

(1)	Description of Veneer (2)	Thickness (3)	Basic price per 100 square feet (including cost of packing if packed) First Quality (4)	Second Quality (5)
			s. d.	s. d.
1	American and European Oak cut on the quarter.	not exceeding $\frac{1}{38}$ in. or ·7 mm.	20 6	18 6
2	American and European Oak cut on the quarter.	$\frac{1}{32}$ in. or ·8 mm. ...	22 0	19 9
3	American and European Oak cut on the quarter.	$\frac{1}{28}$ in. or ·9 mm. ...	24 3	21 10

Table 2—Backing Veneer

(1)	Description of Veneer (2)	Thickness (3)	Basic price per 100 square feet (including cost of packing if packed) First Quality (4)
			s. d.
1	American Hardwood ...	not exceeding $\frac{1}{48}$ in. ... or ·6 mm.	8 3
2	French Beech, Lime, Plane, Poplar or Sycamore.	not exceeding $\frac{1}{48}$ in. or ·6 mm.	7 0
3	Yugoslavian Beech ...	not exceeding $\frac{1}{48}$ in. or ·6 mm.	7 3
4	,, ,, ...	$\frac{1}{34}$ in. or ·75 mm. ...	7 9

Section II—Constructional Veneer and Veneer to British Standards Specifications 6V3 A, 6V3 B and DTD 427

Table 1—Birch

(1)	Thickness (2)	Basic price per 100 square feet (including cost of packing if packed) B.S.S. 6V3 A, 6V3 B and DTD 427 (3)	Constructional Quality (4)
		s. d.	s. d.
1	Not exceeding $\frac{1}{48}$ in....	13 3	9 9
2	$\frac{1}{38}$ in.		10 6
3	$\frac{1}{32}$,, ...		11 0
4	$\frac{1}{28}$,, ...		14 6
5	$\frac{1}{20}$,, ...		16 3
6	$\frac{1}{16}$,, ...		19 3
7	$\frac{1}{12}$,, ...		23 3
8	$\frac{1}{10}$,, ...		26 0
9	$\frac{1}{8}$,, ...		33 6

Division B—Veneer Manufactured in the United Kingdom

Section I—Face and Backing Veneer

Table 1—Face Veneer

(1)	Description of Veneer (2)	Thickness (3)	Basic price per 100 square feet (excluding cost of packing) First Quality (4)	Second Quality (5)
			s. d.	s. d.
1	Sapele	$\frac{1}{40}$ in. or ·6 mm. ...	12 6	11 4

Table 2—Backing Veneer

(1)	Description of Veneer (2)	Thickness (3)	Basic price per 100 square feet (excluding cost of packing) First Quality (4)	Reject Quality (5)
			s. d.	s. d.
1	Obeche	$\frac{1}{40}$ in. or ·6 mm. ...	6 6	3 11
2	,, ...	$\frac{1}{17}$ in. or 1·5 mm. ...		7 10
3	,, ...	Any of above thicknesses.	Offcuts and Waste Veneer £15 per ton	

Permitted addition to basic prices specified in Table 2

For Reject Quality Veneer serviced by the seller—50 per cent.

Section II—Constructional Veneer and Veneer to British Standards Specifications 6V3 A, 6V3 B, and DTD 427

Table 1—Birch and Maple

(1)	Thickness (2)	Basic price per 100 square feet (excluding cost of packing) B.S.S. 6V3 A, 6V3 B and DTD 427 (3)	Constructional Good Average Commercial Quality (4)	Reject Quality (5)
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1	Not exceeding $\frac{1}{85}$ in.	9 6	8 3	6 2
2	Over $\frac{1}{85}$ in. but not exceeding $\frac{1}{64}$ in. ...	9 6	8 3	6 2
3	,, $\frac{1}{64}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{48}$,, ...	9 6	8 3	6 2
4	,, $\frac{1}{48}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{36}$,, ...	11 6	9 6	7 2
5	,, $\frac{1}{36}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{32}$,, ...	13 3	10 3	7 9
6	,, $\frac{1}{32}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{28}$,, ...	16 3	13 3	9 11
7	,, $\frac{1}{28}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{20}$,, ...	18 6	15 0	11 3
8	,, $\frac{1}{20}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{18}$,, ...	22 3	17 9	13 4
9	,, $\frac{1}{18}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{12}$,, ...	27 3	21 9	16 4
10	,, $\frac{1}{12}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{10}$,, ...	31 9	25 6	19 2
11	,, $\frac{1}{10}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{8}$,, ...	37 0	29 9	22 4
12	All thicknesses	Offcuts and Waste Veneer—£15 per ton		

TABLE 2—GABOON

(1)	Thickness (2)	Specification (3)	Basic price per 100 square feet (excluding cost of packing) Good Average Commercial Quality (4)	Reject Quality (5)
			s. d.	s. d.
1	Not exceeding $\frac{1}{48}$ in.		5 9	3 6
2	Over $\frac{1}{48}$ in. but not exceeding $\frac{1}{36}$ in.	Lengths—not	6 3	3 9
3	,, $\frac{1}{36}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{32}$,,	less than 38 in.	6 8	4 0
4	,, $\frac{1}{32}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{28}$,,		8 2	4 11
5	,, $\frac{1}{28}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{20}$,,		9 5	5 8
6	,, $\frac{1}{20}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{16}$,,	Widths - random	12 3	7 4
7	,, $\frac{1}{16}$,, ,, ,, ·08 ,,	averaging not	14 10	8 11
8	,, ·08 ,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{12}$,,	less than 9 in.	15 7	9 4
9	,, $\frac{1}{12}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{10}$,,		17 3	10 4
10	,, $\frac{1}{10}$,, ,, ,, ·12 ,,		20 0	12 0
11	,, ·12 ,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{8}$,,		21 3	12 9
12	,, $\frac{1}{8}$,, ,, ,, ·136 ,,		22 5	13 5
13	,, ·136 ,, ,, ,, ·160 ,,		25 3	15 2
14	All thicknesses	Offcuts and Waste Veneer	£15 per ton	

Permitted additions to basic prices specified in Table 2

1. For Good Average Commercial Quality Veneer cut or jointed to make specified (" dimensionised ") widths—33⅓ per cent.

2. For Reject Quality Veneer, Offcuts or Waste Veneer serviced by the seller—50 per cent.

TABLE 3—VENEER FROM WOODS NOT PREVIOUSLY SPECIFIED IN THIS DIVISION—OTHER THAN DECORATIVE FINE WOODS

(1)	Thickness (2)	Basic price per 100 square feet (excluding cost of packing) Good Average Commercial Quality (3)	Reject Quality (4)
		s. d.	s. d.
1	Not exceeding $\frac{1}{48}$ in.	7 6	5 8
2	Over $\frac{1}{48}$ in. but not exceeding $\frac{1}{36}$ in. ...	8 7	6 5
3	,, $\frac{1}{36}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{32}$,, ...	9 1	6 10
4	,, $\frac{1}{32}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{28}$,, ...	12 3	9 2
5	,, $\frac{1}{28}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{20}$,, ...	13 10	10 5
6	,, $\frac{1}{20}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{16}$,, ...	16 5	12 4
7	,, $\frac{1}{16}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{12}$,, ...	19 9	14 10
8	,, $\frac{1}{12}$,, ,, ,, $\frac{1}{10}$,, ...	22 11	17 2
9	,, $\frac{1}{10}$,, ,, ,, 3·0 mm.	25 11	19 6
10	,, 3·0 mm. ,, ,, 3·2 ,,	26 10	20 2
11	,, 3·2 ,, ,, ,, 3·5 ,,	29 1	21 10
12	,, 3·5 ,, ,, ,, 4·0 ,,	32 7	24 5
13	All thicknesses	Offcuts and Waste Veneer—£15 per ton	

SECOND SCHEDULE

The following amounts may be charged and paid for the respective services set out below if agreed between the buyer and the seller and if an invoice is given for the veneer to which the amount relates stating separately each such amount and the service to which it relates :—

Services	*Amounts*
(1) The seller to provide transport beyond the place where the veneer is lying.	An amount which is reasonable in relation to the cost incurred by the seller in respect of that transport.
(2) The seller to give credit to the buyer beyond the date of delivery.	Interest from the date of delivery or such later date as may be agreed, at a rate not exceeding 6 per centum per annum.
(3) The seller to subject the veneer to any processing or conversion not provided for in the First Schedule.	An amount which is reasonable in relation to the cost incurred by the seller in respect of that processing or conversion.
(4) The seller to provide packing for veneer manufactured in the United Kingdom or to provide re-packing for veneer imported into the United Kingdom.	An amount which is reasonable in relation to the cost incurred by the seller in providing that packing or re-packing.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order replaces with modifications the Control of Timber (No. 37) (Veneer Prices) Order, 1945.

The principal changes are as follows :—

(*a*) this Order applies only to veneer for which basic prices are provided in the First Schedule;

(*b*) the descriptions of veneer for which basic prices are provided in the First Schedule have been revised and new descriptions have been added;

(*c*) the maximum price may now include a " carriage charge " in respect of imported veneer as well as veneer manufactured in the United Kingdom.

(79) WASTE PAPER AND WASTE TEXTILE MATERIALS

The Waste Paper and Waste Textile Materials (Prices) (Amendment) Order, 1948

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The Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Regulations 55 and 55AB of the Defence (General) Regulations,