1955 No. 1796

The Welfare Foods (Great Britain) Amendment (No. 2) Order, 1955

Made - - - -	*29th November*, 1955
Laid before Parliament	*30th November*, 1955
Coming into Operation	*1st December*, 1955

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, the Secretary of State for Scotland and the Minister of Health, in pursuance of their powers under Regulations 55, 55AA, 55AB and 98 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 the Supplies and Services (Defence Purposes) Act, 1951(**c**), and continued in force by the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1954(**d**), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby order as follows:—

1.—(1) This Order shall come into operation on the first day of December, 1955, and may be cited as the Welfare Foods (Great Britain) Amendment (No. 2) Order, 1955.

(2) This Order shall not extend to Northern Ireland.

2.—(1) For sub-paragraph (*b*) of paragraph (1) of article 4 of the Welfare Foods (Great Britain) Order, 1954(**e**) (which provides as to the charges to be made for a supply of welfare milk other than free milk) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:—

"(*b*) charge the beneficiary for each pint of milk so supplied—

(i) if the milk is ordinary milk or pasteurised milk, a sum not greater than three-halfpence;

(ii) if the milk is sold as Kosher milk or Kedassia milk, a sum not greater than the aggregate of three-halfpence and the amount by which the total charge which the supplier is authorised under the Milk (Great Britain) Order, 1954(**f**), as amended(**g**), to make for a pint of milk of the description supplied exceeds the maximum price of a pint of ordinary milk;

(iii) in any other case, a sum not greater than the aggregate of three-halfpence and the amount by which the maximum price of a pint of milk of the description supplied exceeds the maximum price of a pint of ordinary milk."

(2) For sub-paragraph (*c*) of paragraph (2) of the said article 4 (which provides as to the charges to be made where milk other than ordinary milk or pasteurised milk is supplied against a token for free milk) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:—

"(*c*) if the milk so supplied is other than ordinary milk or pasteurised milk—

(i) in the case of milk sold as Kosher milk or Kedassia milk, charge the beneficiary for each pint of the milk a sum not greater than

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(**a**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10 and S.R. & O. 1945/1618 (1945 II, p. 48).
(**b**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 5. (**c**) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 25.
(**d**) S.I. 1954/1559 (1954 II, p. 2038).
(**e**) S.I. 1954/1401 (1954 II, p. 2119).
(**f**) S.I. 1954/385 (1954 II, p. 2078).
(**g**) S.I. 1955/1779 (p. 2507 above).

the amount by which the total charge which the supplier is authorised under the Milk (Great Britain) Order, 1954, as amended, to make for a pint of milk of the description supplied exceeds the maximum price of a pint of ordinary milk;

(ii) in any other case, charge the beneficiary for each pint of the milk a sum not greater than the amount by which the maximum price of a pint of milk of the description supplied exceeds the maximum price of a pint of ordinary milk."

(3) The first schedule to the said Order (which sets out the price chargeable for supplies of milk to beneficiaries in accordance with the said article 4) is hereby revoked.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food is hereunto affixed this twenty-ninth day of November, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

(L.S.) *D. Heathcoat Amory,*
Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this twenty-ninth day of November, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

(L.S.) *James Stuart,*
Secretary of State for Scotland.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Health this twenty-ninth day of November, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

(L.S.) *Iain Macleod,*
Minister of Health.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This amending Order—

(*a*) revokes the schedule to the Welfare Food (Great Britain) Order, 1954, showing prices to be charged for supplies of milk to persons entitled to Welfare Milk;

(*b*) provides that such persons, using a token for Welfare Milk not accompanied by a token for Free Milk, shall be charged a price not exceeding 1½d. a pint for ordinary or pasteurised milk, or higher amounts for milk of other descriptions, varying with the maximum controlled price of the milk;

(*c*) provides that where a token for Free Milk accompanies a token for Welfare Milk no charge shall be made for ordinary or pasteurised milk, the charges for milk of other descriptions varying with the maximum controlled price of the milk.