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Price Order No. 2286 (Spirits and Beer)

PURSUANT to the Control of Prices Act 1947, the Price Tribunal hereby makes the following Price Order:

PRELIMINARY

1. This order may be cited as Price Order No. 2286 and shall come into force on the 2nd day of September 1974.

2. (1) Price Orders No. 2237*, 2258† and 2272‡ are hereby revoked.

(2) The revocation of the said price orders shall not affect the liability of any person for any offence in relation thereto committed before the coming into force of this order.

3. In this order, unless the context otherwise requires—

“Ounce” means fluid ounce as defined in the Weights and Measures Proclamation 1946§;

“Standard Measure” means five-eighths of an ounce;

“Quart” means a bottle customarily referred to in the licensed trade as a quart bottle, and having a capacity of approximately 26½ oz;

“Licensing Trust” means any Licensing Trust to which the Licensing Trusts Act 1949 applies and includes the Invercargill Licensing Trust and the Masterton Licensing Trust;

“Bacardi” means rum sold under the trade name of Ron Bacardi;

“Imported Whisky” means all imported whisky and includes Scotch, Bourbon, Rye, Corn, Irish, or Japanese whisky;

“New Zealand Whisky” means whisky produced and blended in New Zealand by Wilson Distillers Ltd., Dunedin;

“Ron Barbado” means that spirit sold under the trade name of Ron Barbado.

4. In this order, unless the context otherwise requires—

(a) The Act means the Control of Prices Act 1947, and

(b) Terms and expressions defined in the Act have the meanings so defined.

APPLICATION OF THIS ORDER

5. This order shall apply—

(a) To all intoxicating liquor sold in public bars of hotels, taverns or other premises licensed under the Sale of Liquor Act 1962, or sold in public bars administered by any Licensing Trust, and

(b) To all draught beer in flagons, and bottled beer in bottles containing 1 quart sold for consumption off the premises in—

(i) hotels and taverns licensed under the Sale of Liquor Act 1962, and

(ii) Licensing Trusts.

FIXING MAXIMUM PRICES OF BEER SOLD IN PUBLIC BARS

6. (1) Subject to the provisions of this order, the maximum price that may be charged for beer sold in public bars shall be—

(a) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as a 20 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 20 ounces, 27 cents.

(b) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as a 12 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 12 ounces, 17 cents.

(c) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as an 11 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 11 ounces, 16 cents.

(d) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as a 10 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 10 ounces, 15 cents.

(e) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as a 9 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 9 ounces, 14 cents.

(f) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as an 8 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 8 ounces, 13 cents.

(g) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as a 7 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 7 ounces, 12 cents.

- (h) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as a 6 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 6 ounces, 10 cents.
- (i) For beer served in a container customarily referred to in the trade as a 5 ounce container and having a capacity of approximately 5 ounces, 9 cents.
- (j) For jugs customarily referred to in the trade as 35 ounce jugs and having a capacity of approximately 35 ounces, 48 cents.
- (k) For beer sold in jugs of a capacity of more than 35 ounces the maximum price that may be charged shall be 48 cents increased by 1.4 cents for every ounce of capacity in excess of 35 ounces—provided that if the price so calculated contains fractions of a cent the maximum approved price shall be rounded to the nearest whole cent.
- (l) For beer sold in jugs of a capacity of less than 35 ounces, the maximum price that may be charged shall be 48 cents reduced by 1.4 cents for every ounce of capacity less than 35 ounces—provided that if the price so calculated contains fractions of a cent the maximum approved price shall be rounded to the nearest whole cent.
- (m) For beer sold in bottles or cans containing less than 1 quart: the authorised price per bottle or can ruling at the particular premises on 1 September 1974, increased by 2 cents per bottle or can.
- (n) For beer sold in bottles containing 1 quart: the authorised price per bottle ruling at the particular premises on 1 September 1974, increased by 2 cents per bottle.
- (o) For beer sold in a container other than those specified in (a) to (i) above, the maximum price shall be that lawfully ruling on 1 September 1974, or such other price as the Tribunal may from time to time authorise.

FIXING MAXIMUM PRICES OF SPIRITS SOLD IN PUBLIC BARS

7. Subject to the provisions of this order, the maximum price that may be charged shall be—

- (a) For each standard measure of spirits sold in public bars in premises licensed under the Sale of Liquor Act 1962.

	cents
Bacardi	26
Imported Whisky	25
Brandy	23
Rum	23
New Zealand Whisky	21
Vodka	21
Square Gin	21
Gin	20
Ron Barbado	20

- (b) For spirits sold in public bars in the premises of any Licensing Trust, the price lawfully ruling on 1 September 1974, increased by 1 cent.

8. An additional charge shall not be made for aerated water or cordial added to spirits sold in public bars but aerated water may be sold by the bottle as a separate transaction.

FIXING THE MAXIMUM PRICES OF BEER SOLD FOR CONSUMPTION OFF THE LICENSED PREMISES

9. Subject to the provisions of this order, the maximum price that may be charged for beer sold for consumption off the licensed premises shall be—

- (a) For beer sold in bottles containing 1 quart: the authorised price per bottle ruling at the particular premises on 1 September 1974, increased by 2 cents per bottle.
- (b) For beer sold in flagons, 90 cents, except that in those areas where additional freight costs are incurred in obtaining supplies of draught beer, the price of beer sold in flagons shall be the authorised price ruling at the particular premises on 1 September 1974, increased by 4 cents.
- (c) The additional charge for flagons supplied by the licensee shall be the amount that was lawfully ruling at the particular premises on 1 September 1974.
- (d) No additional charge shall be made where an empty flagon is supplied by the customer.

GENERAL

10. Notwithstanding anything in the foregoing provisions of the order and subject to such conditions, if any, as it thinks fit, the Tribunal, on application by the licensee of any licensed premises may authorise special maximum prices in respect of any beer or spirits to which this order applies where special circumstances exist or for any reason extraordinary charges (freight or otherwise) are incurred by the applicant. Any authority given by the Tribunal under this clause shall be exhibited in the manner prescribed by clause 11 hereof.

11. Every licensee or manager of licensed premises, shall keep this Price Order or a statement of the retail prices prominently displayed—

- (a) In the public bar, and
- (b) In every place on the premises where draught beer in flagons, and bottled beer in bottles containing 1 quart, is sold for consumption off the premises, in such a position as to be easily read by customers without having to ask for its production and without having to obtain permission to examine it.

Dated at Wellington this 29th day of August 1974.

The Seal of the Price Tribunal was affixed hereto in the presence of

[L.S.]

K. R. CONGREVE, President.
A. G. BEADLE, Member.
M. A. HERCUS, Member.
F. F. SIMMONS, Member.

*Gazette, 28 June 1973, Vol. II, p. 1259

†Gazette, 14 February 1974, Vol. I, p. 276

‡Gazette, 9 May 1974, Vol. II, p. 973

§S.R. 1946/68

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