

STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

1942 No. 174

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE)

Food (Saccharin)

ORDER, DATED JANUARY 31, 1942, AMENDING THE SACCHARIN
(CONTROL AND MAXIMUM PRICES) ORDER, 1941.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, as amended, and of all other powers him enabling the Minister of Food hereby makes the following Order:—

1. The Saccharin (Control and Maximum Prices) Order, 1941(a) (hereinafter referred to as “the Principal Order”), shall be amended:—

- (a) by deleting in paragraph (a) of the definition of “ Full-strength saccharin tablet ” in Article 1 thereof the words “ not less than 0.9 of a grain and ”,
- (b) by deleting in paragraph (a) of the definition of “ Half-strength saccharin tablet ” in Article 1 thereof the words “ not less than 0.7 of a grain and ”,
- (c) by inserting in the definition of “ Sweetening powder ” in Article 1 thereof after the word “ include ” the words “ soluble saccharin or ”,
- (d) by substituting for Articles 2 and 3 thereof the following Articles:—

“ 2. Except under and in accordance with the terms of a licence granted by or on behalf of the Minister of Food no person shall after the 30th day of March manufacture for sale or prepare for sale:

- (a) any mixture containing flour or starch and saccharin,
- (b) any mixture containing flour or starch and dulcin,
- (c) any saccharin solution or dulcin solution,
or
- (d) any sweetening powder,

Provided that a licence to manufacture any of the above products granted under the Food Substitutes (Control) Order, 1941(b), or the Starch Food Powders (Control) Order, 1941(c), or the Soya Flour (Control and Maximum Prices) Order, 1941(d), as the case may

(a) S.R. & O. 1941 No. 2129.

(b) S.R. & O. 1941 No. 1606.

(c) S.R. & O. 1941 No. 1742.

(d) S.R. & O. 1941 No. 1994.

be, shall have effect as if the same were granted for the purposes of this Article.

3. No person shall:—

- (a) Buy or sell by retail any saccharin solution, dulcin solution, saccharin in powder form or soluble saccharin in powder form, or after the 1st day of March, 1942, buy or sell by retail any sweetening powder.
- (b) After the 1st day of March, 1942, buy or sell any tablets (capable of being used as a substitute for sugar) other than half-strength saccharin tablets or full-strength saccharin tablets.
- (c) Sell by retail any full-strength tablets except in packets containing 50 or 100 of such tablets and bearing a label stating in clearly legible letters the number of tablets contained in the packet and the saccharin content of each tablet.
- (d) Sell by retail any half-strength saccharin tablets except in packets containing 100 of such tablets and bearing a label stating in clearly legible letters the number of tablets contained in the packet and the saccharin content of each tablet.”
- (e) by inserting in paragraph (1) of Articles 4 and 5 thereof after the word “saccharin” the words “soluble saccharin”,
- (f) by substituting for the Schedule thereto the Schedule to this Order.

2.—(1) This Order shall come into force on the 31st day of January, 1942.

(2) Copies of the Principal Order to be printed under the authority of His Majesty's Stationery Office after the coming into force of this Order shall be printed in accordance with the amendments provided for by this Order and the Principal Order shall take effect as hereby amended.

By Order of the Minister of Food.

H. L. French,

Secretary to the Ministry of Food.

Dated the 31st day of January, 1942.

THE SCHEDULE
MAXIMUM PRICES

PART I

Column 1	Column 2
<i>Saccharin in powder form</i>	
In quantities of:—	
more than 16 oz.	At the rate of:— £ s. d. 4 18 4 per lb.
more than 8 oz. but not more than 16 oz. ...	5 16 0 „
more than 4 oz. but not more than 8 oz. ...	6 0 0 „
more than 2 oz. but not more than 4 oz. ...	6 4 0 „
more than 1 oz. but not more than 2 oz. ...	6 8 0 „
not more than 1 oz.	6 12 0 „
<i>Soluble saccharin</i>	
In quantities of:—	
more than 16 oz.	3 19 4 „
more than 8 oz. but not more than 16 oz. ...	4 17 0 „
more than 4 oz. but not more than 8 oz. ...	5 1 0 „
more than 2 oz. but not more than 4 oz. ...	5 5 0 „
more than 1 oz. but not more than 2 oz. ...	5 9 0 „
not more than 1 oz.	5 13 0 „
<i>Dulcin in powder form</i>	6 0 0 „

PART II

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
	On any sale other than a sale by retail	On a sale by retail
	At the rate of:—	s. d.
Full - strength saccharin tablets	s. d. 4 6	6 per packet containing 50 tablets
	8 6	1 0 per packet containing 100 tablets
	6 3	per 1,000 tablets (when sold otherwise than in packets each containing 50 or 100 tablets)
Half-strength saccharin tablets	5 6	8 per packet containing 100 tablets
	3 9	per 1,000 tablets (when sold otherwise than in packets each containing 100 tablets)