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THE FLOUR (BAILLIWICK OF GUERNSEY) ORDER, 1956

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Made 20th November, 1956.
Coming into operation 2nd December, 1956.

As Competent Authorities as respects the Bailiwick of Guernsey excluding the Island of Alderney and as respects the Island of Alderney respectively in relation to Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) (Guernsey) Regulations, 1945, we hereby make the following Order:-

1. In this Order:-

- (1) "The Board" means the States of Guernsey Board of Administration;
- (2) "oreta praeparata" means the substance so described in the British Pharmacopoeia or the British Pharmaceutical Codex, which conforms to the standards laid down therein and which is of granularity standard -
 - (i) not more than 0.1 per centum to remain on a 100 mesh sieve, and
 - (ii) not more than 0.2 per centum to remain on a 240 mesh sieve;
- (3) "flour" means the product derived from or separated during the milling or grinding of wheat (other than wheat offals and wheat germ separated for disposal as such) and includes meal and any flour derived wholly or partly from wheat that, before being ground or milled, has been malted or subjected to any process, but does not include semolina.

- 2. The Interpretation (Guernsey) Law, 1948, applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of a Guernsey enactment.
- 3. Subject to the provisions of this Order, any flour described in the first column of the Schedule to this Order which is intended for sale for human consumption shall contain the substances specified in relation thereto in the second column of the said Schedule.
- 4. No person shall sell, offer or expose or have in his possession for sale, consign or deliver any flour which does not comply with the last preceding Article.
- 5. Where in any prosecution a person is charged with an infringement of this Order and it is necessary for the prosecution to prove that any flour sold by such person did not comply as respects its ingredients with the provisions of the Schedule to this Order, it shall be a defence for him to prove that when he purchased the flour he did so in the bona fide belief that it complied in every respect with the provisions of this Order and that he had no reason to believe at the time of the commission of the alleged offence that it did not so comply.

- 6. (1) Every person who manufactures or imports flour shall:-
 - (a) keep or cause to be kept at some convenient place accurate records of the amount of flour manufactured or imported by him together with all books, documents and accounts relating thereto; and
 - (b) furnish to the Board at such times and in such manner and in such form as may be specified in a notice served upon him by or on behalf of the Board such estimates, returns or information relating to his dealings in flour as may be so specified.
- (2) Every person who is required by this Article to keep any record shall retain it for one year from the date of the manufacture or the transaction to which it relates.

7. (1) In any proceedings in respect of an infringement of this Order, the production by one of the parties of (i) a document purporting to be a certificate of the States Analyst or (ii) a document supplied to him by the other party as being a copy of such a certificate, shall be sufficient evidence of the facts stated therein, unless in the case mentioned under (i) above the other party requires that the person making the analysis shall be called as a witness.

(2) In any such proceedings:-

(a) if the prosecution intends to produce a certificate of the States Analyst, a copy of such certificate shall be served with the summons; and

(b) if a defendant intends to produce a certificate of the States Analyst or to require that the person making the analysis shall be called as a witness, he shall give to the other party at least three clear days' notice of his intention or requirement;

and, if any of these provisions is not complied with, the Court may, if it thinks fit, adjourn the hearing on such terms as it deems proper.

8. Infringements of this Order are offences against the Defence (General) (Guernsey) Regulations, 1945.

9. The Flour (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1953, is hereby revoked.

10. This Order may be cited as the Flour (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1956, and shall come into operation on the 2nd day of December, 1956.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1956.

R. H. JOHNS

C. G. KAY MOUAT

President,
States of Guernsey
Board of Administration.

Chairman,
States of Alderney
Finance Committee.

THE SCHEDULE

<u>Description of Flour</u>	<u>Compositional Requirement</u>
All flour other than flour containing the whole of the products derived from the milling of wheat.	To contain creta praeparata as follows:- (i) Not less than 235 milligrams per 100 grams of flour, and (ii) Not more than 390 milligrams per 100 grams of flour.
All flour	To contain quantities of the undermentioned nutrients as follows:- Iron ... Not less than 1.65 milligrams Vitamin B ₁ Not less than 0.24 milligrams Nicotinic acid or nicotinamide Not less than 1.60 milligrams per 100 grams of flour; such nutrients to be added (where addition is necessary) in the case of iron, in the form of reduced iron (ferrum redactum) or ferric

ammonium citrate and, in the case of vitamin B₁, nicotinic acid and nicotinamide, in a form conforming to the standards of the British Pharmacopoeia or the British Pharmaceutical Codex.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order prescribes the compositional requirements as regards certain nutriments in all flour and as respects creta praeeparata in all flour other than flour containing the whole of the products derived from the milling of wheat.

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