

GUERNSEY

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

1950 No. 33

Amended by S.I. No. 7 of 1951  
Repealed  
Amended by S.I. 88 (1951)

THE LINOLEUM AND PRINTED FELT BASE (MAXIMUM PRICES AND CHARGES  
(BAILLIWICK OF GUERNSEY) ORDER, 1950.

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

Scope of Order.

1. The maximum prices to be charged in respect of the sale of new linoleum and printed felt base (hereinafter called "goods"), described in the First and Second Schedules hereto, and the maximum charges to be made in respect of the laying of such goods, described in the Third Schedule hereto, shall be computed in accordance with the following provisions of this Order.

Maximum Prices.

Retailer.

2. The maximum price to be charged in the course of the business of a retailer in respect of goods shall be the aggregate of the following amounts:-
  - (1) the purchase price paid or agreed to be paid to the manufacturer, wholesaler or importer by the first purchaser (being a retailer);
  - (2) an amount equal to 42.86 per cent thereof; and
  - (3) an amount equal to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent of the aggregate of the foregoing amounts.

Provided that in respect of goods described in the First and Second Schedules hereto, the maximum price shall not exceed the appropriate amount specified in Column 2 of the relevant Schedule in respect of those goods, plus  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent of such amount.

Meaning of Maximum Price and Variations of Maximum Price in  
relation to Delivery.

3. (1) In this Order the maximum prices specified are prices before any deduction by way of discount and inclusive of any charges in respect of delivery to the premises of or nominated by the customer.  
(2) If on any sale of goods the seller refuses to deliver them at the premises of or nominated by the buyer within the Island of Guernsey the maximum price computed in accordance with this Order shall be reduced by the amount of any delivery charges which could be reasonably incurred in the delivery of those goods to the premises of or nominated by the buyer.

Maximum Charges, Interpretation and Revocation.

Maximum Charge for Laying.

4. The maximum charge to be made in the course of any business in respect of the laying of goods in a private residence (including part of any premises separately used as a private residence) shall be the aggregate of -

- (1) the cost of labour, that is to say the actual amount paid for direct labour and an amount by way of remuneration for the direct labour (if any) of the proprietor of the business, being amounts which are reasonable having regard to the time (including travelling time) necessary for laying the goods;
- (2) the amount of any travelling expenses necessarily and properly incurred in connection with the laying of the goods;
- (3) an amount equivalent to 10 per cent of the aggregate of the amounts under heads (1) and (2) above; and
- (4) in a case in which an adhesive is necessarily used for laying the goods, the actual cost thereof.

Interpretation.

5. In this Order -

"Linoleum" means a composition of oxydised oil and resins, pigments, fillers, dryers, powdered cork or wood flour or any combination thereof with a backing of jute or impregnated paper felt and with a flat, ribbed or pyramid surface; and includes linoleum mats and linoleum carpets;

"printed felt base" means a floor covering consisting of impregnated paper felt on which has been applied a body colour and printed pattern;

"purchase price" means the price payable after all deductions by way of discount other than cash or settlement discounts not exceeding 5 per cent and inclusive of all delivery charges.

Revocation.

6. The Linoleum and Printed Felt Base (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1947, dated 6th June, 1947, is hereby revoked.

Citation and Commencement.

7. This Order may be cited as The Linoleum and Printed Felt Base (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1950, and shall come into operation on the 6th day of March, 1950.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 1950.

A. F. MINCHIN.

President,  
Alderney Committee for the Control  
of Essential Commodities.

A. FALLA.

President,  
States' Committee for the Control  
of Essential Commodities.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LINOLEUM WITH BACKING OF JUTE.

Plain Linoleum (Brown).

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Column 2.</u>			
		<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>			
		<u>2 yards or 2 metres wide.</u>	<u>Over 2 metres wide.</u>		
		s.	d.	s.	d.
Double Extra.	6.70	22	11	-	-
Medium Extra.	6.00	20	4	-	-
Extra Thick.	4.50	14	3	14	9
A.	3.50	11	8	12	3
B.	3.00	9	8	10	2
C.	2.50	8	2	8	8
X.	2.00	6	9	7	3

Plain Linoleum (other than Brown).

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Column 2.</u>			
		<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>			
		<u>2 yards or 2 metres wide.</u>	<u>Over 2 metres wide.</u>		
		s.	d.	s.	d.
Double Extra.	6.70	24	10	-	-
Medium Extra.	6.00	22	0	-	-
Extra Thick.	4.50	15	5	16	0
A.	3.50	12	5	13	0
B.	3.00	10	3	10	10
C.	2.50	8	8	9	3
X.	2.00	7	2	7	9

Plain Stair.

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Column 2.</u>	
		<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>	
		s.	d.
1.60	1.60	13	1

Printed Linoleum.

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Column 2.</u>			
		<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>			
		<u>2 yards or 2 metres wide.</u>	<u>Over 2 metres wide.</u>		
		s.	d.	s.	d.
No. 2, G or Y.	1.80	6	1	6	8
No. 3, H or Z	1.45	5	4	5	9
Stair Baize.	1.60	10	1	-	-

Printed Linoleum (Bordered Passages and Stairs).

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Width.</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per linear yard.</u>
			s. d.
No. 2, G or Y.	1.80	18"	3 3
		22 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	4 2
		27"	4 11
		36"	6 6
		45"	8 2
		54"	9 10
No. 3, H or Z.	1.45	18"	2 10
		22 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	3 7
		27"	4 2 $\frac{1}{2}$
		36"	5 8
		45"	7 1
		54"	8 6
Stair Baize.	1.60	18"	5 9
		22 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	6 5
		27"	7 9
		36"	10 3

Printed Linoleum (Unbordered Passages).

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Width.</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per linear yard.</u>
			s. d.
No. 2, G or Y.	1.80	18"	3 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
		22 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	3 11 $\frac{1}{2}$
		27"	4 8 $\frac{1}{2}$
		36"	6 1
No. 3, H or Z.	1.45	18"	2 9 $\frac{1}{2}$
		22 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	3 6
		27"	4 2
		36"	5 7

Printed Linoleum Carpets.

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>			
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Size.</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per carpet.</u>		
			s. d.		
No. 2, G or Y.	1.80	2 x 3 yards.	49 10		
		2 $\frac{1}{4}$ x 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ "	51 5		
		2 $\frac{1}{4}$ x 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	60 9		
		2 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 3 "	62 4		
		3 x 3 "	74 11		
		3 x 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	87 5		
		3 x 4 "	99 8		
		3 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 4 "	116 4		
		3 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	130 10		
		3 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 5 "	145 3		
		4 x 4 "	133 1		
		4 x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	149 5		
		4 x 5 "	166 2		
		Shadow.	1.80	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 3 "	69 5
				3 x 3 "	83 7
				3 x 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	97 5
3 x 4 "	111 3				
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 4 "	129 10				
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	145 11				

Printed Linoleum Mats.

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Size.</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per mat.</u>	
			s.	d.
No. 2, G or Y.	1.80	18" x 18"	1	11
		18" x 24"	2	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
		27" x 18"	2	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
		36" x 20"	4	3
		27" x 36"	5	9
		27" x 45"	7	2
		36" x 36"	7	8
		36" x 45"	9	6
		36" x 54"	11	6
		72" x 36"	15	3
		72" x 72"	30	6
		90" x 72"	38	2
No. 3, H or Z.	1.45	27" x 18"	2	6
		36" x 20"	3	8 $\frac{1}{2}$
		27" x 36"	5	0
		27" x 45"	6	4
		36" x 54"	10	1

Inlaid Linoleum.

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>		<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>	
			s.	d.
Super Parquet and Super Marble (2 yards wide) -				
4.50	4.50		21	6
1st.	3.50		16	1
3rd or C.	2.00		10	5
4th.	1.60		8	9
Inlaid (2 yards wide) -				
4.50	4.50		19	2
1st.	3.50		14	1
3rd or C.	2.00		8	9
4th.	1.60		7	6
Embossed (2 yards wide) -				
1st.	3.50		14	9
3rd or C.	2.00		9	1

Inlaid Linoleum Borders.

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Width.</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per linear yard.</u>	
			s.	d.
Super Parquet and Super Marble -				
1st.	3.50	6"	3	7
		9"	5	0
3rd or C.	2.00	12"	6	10
		6"	2	2
		9"	3	3
Inlaid -		12"	4	4
1st.	3.50	6"	2	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
		9"	4	5
3rd or C.	2.00	12"	5	11
		6"	1	10
		9"	2	9
		12"	3	8

Inlaid Linoleum (Bordered Passages).

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Width.</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per linear yard.</u>
			s. d.
Super Parquet and Super Marble -			
First.	3.50	24"	11 0
		36"	16 6
Third.	2.00	24"	7 3
		36"	10 10
Inlaid -			
1st.	3.50	24"	9 9
		36"	14 7
3rd.	2.00	24"	6 2
		36"	9 3

Silver Grain Parquet.

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>	
		s.	d.
4.50	4.50	22	10
1st.	3.50	17	4
3rd.	2.00	11	8

Granites, Jaspé, Moiré and Sheet Marble Linoleum.

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>	
		s.	d.
Granites, Jaspé, Moiré -			
6.70	6.70	26	4
4.50	4.50	18	9
1st.	3.50	13	2
3rd or C.	2.00	8	3
4th.	1.60	6	5
Sheet Marble			
1st.	6.70	27	9
	4.50	19	0
1st.	3.50	14	0
3rd or C.	2.00	8	8
Felt -			
3rd or C.	2.00	8	3

Jaspé, Moiré and Granite Mats.

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Size.</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per mat.</u>
			s. d.
3rd or C.	2.00	27" x 18"	3 11
		27" x 36"	7 9
		27" x 45"	9 8

Linrubber or Ribbed and Pyramid Cork.

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>	
		s.	d.
1st.	3.50	10	5
2nd.	2.50	8	2
3rd (on felt base).	2.50	4	9

Cork Carpet (2 yards wide).

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>			
	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>		<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>			
	<u>Taylor.</u>	<u>Walton.</u>	<u>Brown.</u>		<u>Other Colours.</u>	
			s.	d.	s.	d.
Triple.	8.00	6.50	20	8	21	8
A.	6.50	5.50	16	6	17	3
B.	4.50	3.50	12	1	12	9
C.	3.50	3.00	9	3	9	10
Art.	2.50	2.50	7	6	7	11
Art (painted back).	-	2.50	7	6	8	0

Linoleum and Cork Carpet Billiard Mats  
(To fit table 12' x 6')

<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>		
<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>	<u>Retailers' maximum price per set.</u>		
		£	s.	d.
Linoleum -				
Extra Thick.	4.50	15	0	0
A.	3.50	12	8	7
Cork Carpet -				
A.	-	17	2	10

Cork Carpet Mats.

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Size.</u>	<u>Column 2.</u>	
	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>			<u>Retailers' maximum price per mat.</u>	
	<u>Taylor.</u>	<u>Walton.</u>		s.	d.
"A"	6.60	5.60	18" x 18"	5	4
			18" x 24"	7	2
			18" x 27"	8	0
			24" x 36"	14	3
			27" x 36"	16	2
			27" x 45"	20	1
			36" x 36"	21	5
			36" x 45"	26	9
"B"	4.60	3.60	36" x 54"	32	2
			18" x 18"	4	0
			18" x 24"	5	4
			18" x 27"	6	0
			24" x 36"	10	8
			27" x 36"	11	11
			27" x 45"	14	11
			36" x 36"	15	11
			36" x 45"	19	11
			36" x 54"	23	11

Double Cork Carpet Mats.

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Size.</u>	<u>Column 2.</u>	
	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>			<u>Retailers' maximum price per mat.</u>	
				s.	d.
Double Cork.		13.00	12" x 18"	6	11
			18" x 18"	10	4
			18" x 24"	13	9
			18" x 27"	15	6
			24" x 36"	27	6

Cork Underlay (2 yards wide).

<u>Quality.</u>	<u>Column 1.</u>		<u>Column 2.</u>	
	<u>Manufacturers' gauge in millimetres (approximate).</u>			<u>Retailers' maximum price per square yard.</u>
				s.
Rough.		3.50	4 6	
Close.		2.50	4 10	

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Printed Felt Base.

Column 1.

Column 2.

Retailers' maximum price  
per square yard.

Quality.

Up to 2  
metres wide.

Over 2  
metres wide.

Squares.

s. d.

s. d.

s. d.

"C"

2 0½

2 1½

2 4

"A"

3 0½

3 2½

3 6

THIRD SCHEDULE.

Increase for Cutting and Splitting Full Piece Rolls.

Description.

Rate at which the increase of  
the maximum price is to be  
calculated.

1. CUTS ACROSS THE PIECE:

On a sale of less than a full piece (i.e. a piece of 25 yards long):

(a) Patterned Inlaid Linoleum:

2 yards wide.

24" and 36" passages.

6" and 9" borders.

12" borders.

(b) Other Linoleum and Printed Felt Base:

2 yards wide.

18", 22½", 27", 36", 45" and 54" passages.

6" and 9" borders.

12" and 18" borders.

6d. per square yard.

6d. per linear yard.

1½d. per linear yard.

3d. per linear yard.

3d. per square yard.

3d. per square yard.

¾d. per linear yard.

1½d. per linear yard.

2. SPLITTING LENGTHWISE:

On a sale of less than a full piece of 25 yards long.

2d. per square yard.

3. CUTTING ACROSS THE PIECE AND CUTTING LENGTHWISE:

(a) On a sale of a full piece 25 yards long and 2 yards wide.

3s. for each split lengthwise and 1s. for each cut across the width.

(b) On a sale of mats of the sizes specified in Schedules 1 and 2, whether with square or rounded corners.

An amount equal to 25 per cent calculated on the appropriate maximum price.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

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

This Order supersedes The Linoleum and Printed Felt Base (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1947.

The principal changes are as follows:-

- (1) Retailers' maximum prices for all types of linoleum described in the First Schedule and for Grade A and Grade C printed felt base are reduced.
- (2) Retailers' maximum prices, which apply to all new linoleum and printed felt base, are fixed at the price paid, 42.86 per cent thereof, plus  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent of the aggregate of such amounts but the price so computed must not, in the case of linoleum and printed felt base described in the First and Second Schedule to the Order, exceed the appropriate amount specified in that Schedule plus  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent thereof.
- (3) Additions and amendments are made to the types of linoleum described in the First Schedule. Linoleum with a backing of impregnated paper felt and Grade B printed felt base are no longer scheduled.