

THE FISH (RECORDS AND DISPLAY OF PRICES) (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:-

1. In this Order

"the Committee" means the States of Guernsey Committee for the Control of Essential Commodities;

"block fillet" means fish from which all guts, bones and head have been removed but which has not been severed down the middle of the back, provided that the small bones in the flaps need not be removed.

"catering business" includes the business or undertaking of an inn, public house, hotel, restaurant, café, teashop, buffet, coffee-stall, or any place of refreshment open to the public, or of any club, boarding house, apartment-house, refreshment contractor, school feeding-centre, staff dining room or canteen, and the word "caterer" shall be construed accordingly;

"fillet" means fish from which all guts, roe, sound, bones, head, tail, fins and belly wall or flap and substantially all discoloured flesh have been removed, and includes, in the cases of haddock and whiting only, a block fillet which does not exceed $\frac{3}{4}$ lb. in weight; provided that the following need not be removed:-

- (a) small pieces of bone necessarily severed in filleting; and
- (b) in the case of any variety or description of flat fish, the belly wall or flap.

"fish" does not include canned fish or processed fish packed in advance ready for retail sale in containers made wholly or mainly of metal, glass or earthenware or any manufactured produce containing fish or cooked fish other than roes, milts, smokies and bucklings;

"headless" in relation to any fish means a whole fish from which both the head and guts have been removed;

"sale by retail" means in relation to a sale of fish, a sale to a person buying otherwise than for the purpose of resale and includes a sale to a caterer for the purposes of his catering business and the word "retailer" shall be construed accordingly.

2. (1) Every retailer shall keep or cause to be kept an accurate record of all his purchases of fish, that record to include in respect of each purchase the date thereof, the name and address of the person from whom the fish was purchased, the descriptions of fish purchased (indicating separately each species of fish and of any headless fish or fillets), the net weight of each such description and the price paid.
- (2) The retention by any person of an invoice or of a copy of an invoice shall as respects the particulars mentioned in that document be a sufficient compliance by that person with the provisions of this Article.

(3) Every person required by this Article to keep a record shall retain it for a period of one year from the date of the transaction to which it relates.

3. (1) Every retailer shall either -

(a) keep displayed in a conspicuous position in close proximity to each variety of fish offered or exposed by him for sale and so as to be clearly legible by all customers throughout the whole time during which such fish is offered or exposed for sale, a notice stating in plain figures the prices of such fish; or

(b) keep displayed on his premises (or in the case of a sale from a vehicle, stall or barrow on that vehicle, stall or barrow) in a conspicuous position and so as to be clearly legible by all customers throughout the whole time during which any fish is being offered or exposed for sale -

(i) in the case of a sale from premises or a stall, a notice board on which is stated in words and figures of not less than 1 inch in height, the descriptions and prices of all fish offered or exposed for sale;

(ii) in the case of a sale from a vehicle or barrow, a notice stating in plain words and figures, the descriptions and prices of all fish offered or exposed for sale.

(2) Subject to the provisions of the foregoing paragraph, all imported fish shall be clearly marked as such.

4. The provisions of this Order shall not apply to the sale of any fish as a meal or part of a meal served by a caterer in the course of his catering business.

5. Any record required by Article 2 of this Order to be kept by any person and any invoice or other document connected therewith shall be produced by that person on demand to any person authorised in that behalf by or on behalf of the Committee.

6. This Order may be cited as The Fish (Records and Display of Prices) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1950, and shall come into force on the 17th day of April, 1950.

Dated this 14th day of April, 1950.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE.

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

This Order is issued consequent upon the revocation of The Fish (Control and Maximum Prices) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1949, as amended, in order to continue in operation the provisions of that Order relating to (1) the keeping of records by retailers of all purchases of fish; (2) the display by retailers of the prices of all fish offered for sale; and (3) the marking of all imported fish as such.