

GUERNSEY
STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

1950 No. 207

Amended by S.I.
No. 9 of 1951
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" " S.I. 85 of 1951

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THE UTILITY FURNITURE (MAXIMUM 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:-

Maximum Prices.

1. The maximum price to be charged in the course of the business of a distributor in respect of new utility furniture shall be either -
 - (a) in the case of imported furniture which bears a Type Symbol specified in Related Schedule UF4, the relevant price specified in Column 5 of that Schedule with the addition of an amount equal to $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent thereof; or
 - (b) in any other case, the aggregate of the following amounts:-
 - (i) the purchase price paid or agreed to be paid by the first purchaser, being a distributor carrying on a business as such in the Island of Guernsey;
 - (ii) an amount equal to $33\frac{1}{3}$ rd per cent thereof; and
 - (iii) an amount equal to $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of the aggregate of the foregoing amounts;

Provided that in the case of furniture which bears a Type Symbol specified in Column 2 of Related Schedule UF4, the maximum price shall not exceed the relevant price specified in Column 5 of that Schedule with the addition of $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Notice of Maximum Prices.

2. Any person carrying on a business in the course of which any utility furniture described in a Related Schedule is offered for sale to retail customers, shall display in a prominent place in each of his establishments at which such furniture is so offered where it can be easily read by any such customer a notice in the form specified in the First Schedule hereto and shall, if requested so to do by any such customer, show or cause to be shown to him a copy of any Related Schedule.

Revocation and Saving.

3. (1) The Orders specified in the Second Schedule hereto are hereby revoked.
(2) Nothing in this Order shall affect the execution of any agreement lawfully made under the Orders hereby revoked in a manner not prohibited by those Orders, or shall prejudice any prosecution in respect of any contravention thereof.

Meaning of Maximum Price and variations of Maximum Prices
in relation to delivery.

4. (1) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires, 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 within the Island of Guernsey.

- (2) If on any sale of utility furniture the seller refuses to deliver the furniture 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 would be reasonably incurred in the delivery of the furniture to the premises of or nominated by the buyer.

Other Definitions.

5. (1) In this Order -

"distributor" means a person carrying on a business of disposing of utility furniture whether as a principal or agent;

"imported furniture" means utility furniture manufactured outside the British Islands and imported into the Island of Guernsey;

"purchase price" means the price inclusive of all delivery charges payable after all deductions by way of discount;

"Related Schedule" means a Related Schedule in respect of utility furniture issued by the Board of Trade of the United Kingdom for the purposes of The Furniture (Maximum Prices) Order, 1949, of the United Kingdom and includes any Supplement thereto;

"retail customer" means a person to whom furniture is offered for sale by retail;

"utility furniture" means furniture to which the utility mark shown in the Second Schedule to The Furniture (Utility Mark) Order, 1948, of the United Kingdom has been applied under the authority of the Board of Trade.

- (2) Any reference to a price specified in Related Schedule UP4 shall be deemed to be a reference to that price increased by the appropriate amount, where applicable, specified in the Table to that Schedule.
- (3) References in this Order to any other Order shall be construed as references to that Order as amended by any other Order for the time being in force or to any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order with or without further amendment.
- (4) The Interpretation (Guernsey) Law, 1948, applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of a Guernsey enactment.

Citation and Commencement.

6. This Order may be cited as The Utility Furniture (Maximum Prices) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1950, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of December, 1950.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1950.

R. P. WALKER.

Chairman,
Alderney Committee for the Control
of Essential Commodities.

A. FALLA.

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

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

Form of Notice.

NOTICE.

(The Utility Furniture (Maximum Prices) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1950.

Overriding maximum prices or cash maximum prices have been fixed under the abovementioned Order for utility furniture which is offered for sale in this establishment.

Schedules from which such prices may be computed by the addition of $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent of the listed price will on request be shown to any customer.

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THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

The Utility Furniture (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1949, dated 26th February, 1949.

The Utility Furniture (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment) Order, 1949, dated 17th June, 1949 (S.I. 1949 No. 15).

The Utility Furniture (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) (Amendment No. 3) Order, 1949, dated 4th October, 1949 (S.I. 1949 No. 97).

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

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

This Order consolidates with amendments The Utility Furniture (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Bailiwick of Guernsey) Order, 1949, as amended by subsequent Orders. Under the new Order Related Schedule UF4 is substituted for Related Schedule UF3. Related Schedule UF4 specifies distributors' overriding maximum prices for utility furniture.