

BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE.

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE
No. 25 of 1949.

It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Bechuanaland Protectorate Dairies and Dairy Produce Regulations, published under High Commissioner's Notice No. 53 of 1941, the Resident Commissioner, with the approval of the High Commissioner, has—

(a) in terms of regulation 59 (1) of the said regulations, imposed the levies mentioned in Schedule A hereto;

(b) in terms of regulations 79, 83, 84, 86 and 87 of the said regulations, imposed the prohibitions mentioned in Schedule B hereto.

2. The aforesaid levies and prohibitions shall be deemed to have been operative as from the 1st day of November, 1948.

3. High Commissioner's Notices Nos. 42 of 1948 and 98 of 1948 are hereby cancelled.

By Command of His Excellency
the High Commissioner.

W. A. W. CLARK,
Chief Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,
Cape Town, 31st January, 1949.

SCHEDULE A.

There is hereby imposed on all—

(a) farm dairy butter a levy of one penny per pound;

(b) factory butter, a levy of one-twenty-fifth of a penny per pound;

(c) factory cheese, a levy of one-farthing per pound;

(d) farm cheese, a levy of one penny per pound.

SCHEDULE B.

BUTTERFAT AND BUTTER PRICES.

1. No producer of factory cream shall sell any such cream and no butter manufacturer shall purchase any such cream—

(a) otherwise than on the basis of the butterfat contained therein; or

(b) at a price other than two shillings and sevenpence per pound for first grade butterfat, two shillings and fivepence per pound for second grade butterfat and two shillings and threepence per pound for third grade butterfat contained in such cream.

2. (1) No butterfat manufacturer shall sell salted creamery butter at a price other than—

(a) two shillings and ninepence per pound for first grade butter;

(b) two shillings and sevenpence per pound for second grade butter; or

(c) two shillings and fivepence per pound for third grade butter.

(2) No butter manufacturer shall sell unsalted creamery butter at a price other than—

(a) two shillings and nine and a quarter pence per pound for first grade butter;

(b) two shillings and seven and a quarter pence per pound for second grade butter; or

(c) two shillings and five and a quarter pence per pound for third grade butter.

3. No person shall sell salted or unsalted creamery butter at a price exceeding—

(a) two shillings and elevenpence per pound for first grade butter;

(b) two shillings and ninepence per pound for second grade butter; or

(c) two shillings and sevenpence per pound for third grade butter, provided that this section shall not apply to butter manufacturers.

CHEESE MILK AND CHEESE PRICES.

4. No producer of cheese milk shall sell any such milk and no cheese manufacturer shall buy any such milk at a price other than twelve and a half pence per gallon if such milk is bought by the gallon or two shillings and nine and a half pence per pound butterfat contained therein if such milk is bought on the basis of its butterfat content.

5. No cheese manufacturer or farm cheese maker shall sell cheese—

(a) of the Cheddar type—

(i) in quantities of twelve pounds or more at a time at a price other than one shilling and eight and a quarter pence per pound for first grade cheese, one shilling and seven and a quarter pence

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per pound for second grade cheese and one shilling and five and a quarter pence per pound for third grade cheese;

Provided that where the quantity of cheese sold is composed of whole uncut cheese weighing less than twelve pounds each, the price shall be one shilling and nine and a quarter pence per pound for first grade cheese and one shilling and eight and a quarter pence per pound for second grade cheese and one shilling and six and a quarter pence per pound for third grade cheese;

(ii) in quantities of less than twelve pounds at a time at a price exceeding one shilling and eleven and a quarter pence per pound for first grade cheese, one shilling and ten and a quarter pence per pound for second grade cheese and one shilling and eight and a quarter pence per pound for third grade cheese.

(b) of the Gouda type—

(i) in quantities of twelve pounds or more at a time at a price other than one shilling and eight and a quarter pence per pound for first grade cheese, and at a price below one shilling and four and a quarter pence or above one shilling and eight and a quarter pence per pound for ungraded cheese;

Provided that where the quantity of cheese sold is composed of whole uncut first grade cheese weighing not more than five pounds each, the price shall be one shilling and nine and a quarter pence per pound, and provided further that where the quantity of cheese sold is composed of whole uncut, ungraded cheese weighing not more than five pounds each, the price may be more than as stated herein, but shall not exceed one shilling and nine and a quarter pence per pound for such cheese;

(ii) in quantities of less than twelve pounds at a time at a price exceeding one shilling and ten and a quarter pence per pound for such cheese.

6. (i) No person shall sell cheese—

(a) of the Cheddar type at a price exceeding one shilling and eleven and a quarter pence per pound for first grade cheese, one shilling and ten and a quarter pence per pound for second grade cheese and one shilling and eight and a quarter pence per pound for third grade cheese;

Provided that a whole uncut cheese weighing less than twelve pounds may be sold at a price not exceeding two shillings and a quarter pence per pound for first grade cheese, one shilling and eleven and a quarter pence per pound for second grade cheese and one shilling and nine and a quarter pence per pound for third grade cheese;

(b) of the Gouda type at a price exceeding one shilling and eleven and a quarter pence per pound; provided that a whole uncut cheese weighing not more than five pounds may be sold at a price not exceeding two shillings and a quarter pence per pound.

(ii) The provisions of this section shall not apply to cheese manufacturers of farm cheese makers.