STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1979 No. 34

PRICES

The Butter Prices (Amendment) Order 1979

Made	12th January 1979
Laid before Parliament	15th January 1979
Coming into Operation	5th February 1979

The Secretary of State, after consulting in accordance with subsection (6) of section 2 of the Prices Act 1974(a) with the organisations therein referred to, in exercise of his powers under subsections (1) and (8) of that section and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Butter Prices (Amendment) Order 1979 and shall come into operation on 5th February 1979.
 - 2. The Butter Prices Order 1978(b) is hereby further varied—
 - (a) in article 4(3), by the substitution for sub-paragraph (b) of the following sub-paragraph:-
 - "(b) a price ascertained under this paragraph means a price which is at least $13\frac{1}{2}$ p below the price per 8 oz. weight given by article 5(2)(b)."; and
 - (b) in article 5, by the substitution for the Table set out in that article of the following Table:-

TABLE

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Category of Butter	Price in pence per 8 oz. weight	Price in pence per 250 grammes weight
New Zealand butter (other than blended)	40	44
Any other variety of butter (other than blended) of any origin	42	46
Blended butter of any variety and of any origin	41	45

⁽a) 1974 c. 24; Section 2 was amended by the Prices Act 1975 (c. 32). section 2. (b) S.I. 1978/97, varied by S.I. 1978/835.

3. The Butter Prices (Amendment) Order 1978(a) is hereby revoked.

12th January 1979.

Robert Maclennan,
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State,
Department of Prices and Consumer Protection.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order further varies the Butter Prices Order 1978 by increasing the maximum retail prices of butter.

The Butter Prices (Amendment) Order 1978 is hereby revoked.



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