

[EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 479, October 25, 1951]

FIXING THE CEILING PRICES OF COMMODITIES, AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBERED THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-ONE, EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBERED THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THREE, AND EXECUTIVE ORDER FOUR HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVEN, REPEALING EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBERED THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

By virtue of the powers vested in me by section 3 of Republic Act No. 509, entitled "An Act declaring national policy, authorizing the President of the Philippines for a limited period to fix ceiling prices of commodities and to promulgate rules and regulations regarding prices of commodities to effectuate such policy, and authorizing the appropriation of a certain sum for the purpose," and upon the recommendation of the Price Administration Board, I, Elpidio Quirino, President of the Philippines, do hereby order:

SECTION 1. The following essential commodities shall not be sold at more than the maximum selling prices for importers, wholesalers and retailers set opposite each:

FOODSTUFF (IMPORTED)				
Commodity	Unit	Importer's	Wholesaler's	Retailer's
		price	price	price
<i>Without 17% Special Excise Tax on Foreign Exchange:</i>				
WHEAT FLOUR:				
<i>American Flour</i>				
1st Class	Bag/50 lbs.	P8.14/bag	P8.39/bag	P0.39/kilo
2nd Class	Bag/50 lbs.	7.69/bag	7.94/bag	0.37/kilo
3rd Class	Bag/50 lbs.	7.69/bag	7.94/bag	0.37/kilo
<i>Australian Flour</i>				
1st Class	Bag/50 lbs.	8.40/bag	8.65/bag	0.41/kilo
2nd Class	Bag/50 lbs.	7.86/bag	8.11/bag	0.38/kilo
<i>Canadian Flour</i>				
1st Class	Bag/50 lbs.	8.40/bag	8.65/bag	0.41/kilo
2nd Class	Bag/50	7.86/bag	8.11/bag	0.38/kilo

	lbs			
CANNED FISH:				
<i>Sardines in Tomato Sauce, Oval Brand</i>				
Morjon	48/15-oz.	P21.80	P23.78	P0.56
<i>Sardines in Tomato Sauce and Olive Oil Brand</i>				
Portola	48/15-oz.	25.66	28.00	0.66
<i>Sardines in Natural Sauce Brand</i>				
Morjon	48/15-oz.	16.12	17.58	0.41
<i>With 17% Special Excise Tax on Foreign Exchange</i>				
CANNED SOUP:				
(Net contents: 10-1/2 to 11-oz.)				
<i>Heinz Brand</i>				
Beef with Vegetable				
Chicken Noodle				
Cream of Chicken				
Cream of Mushroom	Cs./24	13.75	15.00	0.70
Chicken with Rice				
Clam Chowder				
Vegetable Soup	Cs./24	10.77	11.75	0.55
BAKING POWDER:				
<i>Brands</i>				
Calumet	24/8-oz.	8.50	9.25	0.43
Clabber Girl	4/10#	19.48	21.25	5.98

POULTRY FEED (IMPORTED)

With 17% Special Excise Tax on Foreign Exchange

POULTRY FEED:				
Digesta Bone Meal Bag	Bag/100#		16.06	18.25