

**[ EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 531, September 12, 1952 ]**

**FIXING CEILING PRICES OF COMMODITIES, AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBERED THREE HUNDRED AND FORTY-TWO, EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBERED FOUR HUNDRED AND FORTY SEVEN, EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBERED FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THREE, EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBERED FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOUR, 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:

FOODSTUFFS (IMPORTED).

<u>Commodity</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Importer's Price</u>	<u>Wholesaler's Price</u>	<u>Retailer's Price</u>
<u>WITH 17% SPECIAL EXCISE TAX ON FOREIGN EXCHANGE BEVERAGE:</u>				
<u>Roasted-Ground Coffee</u> <u>Brand:</u>				
Hansen	24/1#	?64.25/cs.	?70.10/cs.	?3.28/tin
<u>WITHOUT 17% SPECIALS EXCISE TAX ON FOREIGN EXCHANGE CANNED MEAT:</u>				
<u>Corned Beef</u> <u>Brand:</u>				