Furniture, Manufacture and Supply

THE FURNITURE (CONTROL OF MANUFACTURE AND SUPPLY) (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER, 1946, DATED 11TH MARCH, 1946, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER REGULATION 55 OF THE DEFENCE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1939, AS HAVING EFFECT BY VIRTUE OF THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1945 (a).

1946. No. 29

The Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland by virtue and in exercise of the powers under Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, delegated to it by, and for the purposes mentioned in Instruments of Delegation dated the 15th day of September, 1944, and 28th day of August, 1945, made by the Board of Trade under the said Regulations, as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945 (a), hereby orders as follows :—

1. The Furniture (Control of Manufacture and Supply) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1945, dated 16th February, 1945 (b), as amended by the Furniture (Control of Manufacture and Supply) (Northern Ireland) (No. 2) Order, 1945 (c), shall have effect as if :—

(i) for the First Schedule thereto there were substituted the First Schedule to this Order ;

(ii) for the Third Schedule thereto there were substituted Part I of the Second Schedule to this Order.

Provided that where an order for any furniture of a description specified in column 1 of Part II of the Second Schedule to this Order was received by the manufacturer—

(*a*) from a retail customer, before the date of the commencement of this Order ; or

(*b*) from a person who is not a retail customer, before the 22nd day of March, 1946,

the gross price chargeable by that manufacturer in respect thereof shall be the relevant maximum prices specified in column 2 of such Part.

2. The Furniture (Control of Manufacture and Supply) (Northern Ireland) (No. 2) Order, 1945 (c) is hereby revoked.

3. This Order may be cited as the Furniture (Control of Manufacture and Supply) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1946, and shall come into operation on the 19th day of March, 1946.

(a) 9 and 10, Geo. 6. C. 10 ; and S. R. & O. 1945, Nos. 1615-25.
(b) S. R. & O. (N.I.) 1945, No. 20.
(c) S. R. & O. (N.I.) 1945, No. 122.

Dated this 11th day of March, 1946.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland in the presence of

(L.S.)

W. Crone,
An Assistant Secretary of the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland.

FIRST SCHEDULE

(First Schedule to S. R. & O. 1945, No. 20)

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1. Any furniture of a kind commonly used for domestic purposes, including curbs containing not more than 10 per cent. of metal calculated by weight and wire and spring mattresses except—

(*a*) any article included in paragraph 2 below ;

(*b*) mattresses, bolsters, pillows, cushions, down quilts and other household textile articles containing stuffing, or any article made wholly of textile material or glass or any pottery or other shaped and fired clay products ;

(*c*) floor coverings ;

(*d*) musical instruments, including gramophones, radio gramophones, pianos, player pianos and other similar instruments, wireless receiving sets, sound amplification apparatus and loud speakers ;

(*e*) hearth furniture other than the curbs aforesaid.

2. Bedsteads (not being aseptic hospital beds) made wholly or mainly of metal.