

(d) by the substitution for article 5 of the following article:—

“5.—(1) A person shall not sell butter packed for retail sale in a rectangular pack (other than a pack the length and breadth of which are equal and the thickness of which is less than the length) of a weight of not less than 250 g or of not more than 500 g at a price which exceeds the price specified in paragraph (2) below.

(2) The price referred to in paragraph (1) above is the lower of the following prices, that is to say—

(a) the price given by article 4 above, and

(b) the price specified in column 2 of the following Table in relation to the category within which butter of the variety in question falls:—

Column 1 Category of butter	Column 2 Price in Pence per 250 g weight
New Zealand butter	49
Any other variety of butter (other than blended) of any origin	52
Blended butter of any variety and of any origin ...	50 ”;

3. The Concentrated Butter Prices Order 1978(a) is hereby varied by the substitution for the Table set out in article 2 of the following Table:—

Column 1 Net Weight	Column 2 Price in Pence
50 g	9
125 g	20
250 g	39½

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order varies the Butter Prices Order 1978 (as varied) and the Concentrated Butter Prices Order 1978. The principal changes are that—

- (i) the maximum retail prices of butter sold in certain rectangular packs of specified weights and of concentrated butter sold in packs of specified weights are increased, and
- (ii) those prices apply only in relation to metric units of weight.

