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## THE MILK PRICE NOTICE 1975

PURSUANT to section 25 of the Milk Act 1967, the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries hereby gives the following notice.

### NOTICE

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) This notice may be cited as the Milk Price Notice 1975.

(2) This notice shall come into force on the 1st day of June 1975.

**2. Interpretation**—In this notice, unless the context otherwise requires,—

“Board” means the New Zealand Milk Board:

“Commercial user” means any person who buys milk for sale for consumption on premises occupied by him (whether in the form in which it is received by him or otherwise and whether separately or in combination with any other substance):

“Consumer” means any person who buys milk for any purpose other than resale:

“Litre”, and every other measure of capacity, means the appropriate measure of capacity specified under the Weights and Measures Act 1925:

“Milk” has the same meaning as in the Milk Act 1967; but does not include cream or goat’s milk:

“Shop dairy” means any shop where milk is sold for consumption or use off the premises, and where the milk so sold is sold in the form in which it was received into the shop.

**3. Application**—This notice applies to all milk sold anywhere in New Zealand to commercial users or consumers, or to occupiers of shop dairies.

**4. Maximum milk prices**—(1) Subject to this notice, the maximum price at which milk to which this notice applies may be sold shall be as follows:

- (a) When sold to the occupier of a shop dairy, the price shall be the appropriate price fixed in the Schedule hereto for milk sold to the occupier of a shop dairy for resale:
- (b) When sold to a commercial user or consumer by any person other than the occupier of a shop dairy, the price shall be the appropriate price fixed in the Schedule hereto for milk sold to a commercial user or consumer:

(c) When sold by the occupier of a shop dairy to a commercial user or consumer, the price shall be the appropriate price fixed in the Schedule hereto for milk sold to a commercial user or consumer.

(2) Where milk is sold in circumstances to which paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of subclause (1) of this clause applies, the price fixed by that subclause shall include the cost of delivery to the premises of the purchaser.

(3) Where milk is sold in circumstances to which paragraph (c) of subclause (1) of this clause applies, the price fixed by that subclause shall apply only in respect of delivery at the premises of the shop dairy.

**5. Rounding off**—(1) If the price computed in accordance with this notice is not an exact number of cents, the price may be computed to the next upward cent.

(2) Where an account is rendered to any purchaser for milk sold during any period comprising more than one day, the total sum shall be computed with respect to the total quantity of milk purchased for the period at the appropriate price fixed in the Schedule hereto, and, where the total sum so computed is not an exact number of cents, it may be computed to the next upward cent.

**6. No charge to be made for credit**—Where milk to which this notice applies is sold on credit, no charge (whether called interest, a booking fee, or by any other name) which would not be made if such milk were sold for cash shall be made at any time.

**7. Revocation**—The Milk Price Notice 1973\* is hereby revoked.

### SCHEDULE

#### MAXIMUM PRICE AT WHICH MILK MAY BE SOLD TO SHOP DAIRIES, COMMERCIAL USERS, AND CONSUMERS

Quantity Supplied on Any One Day Irrespective of Number of Deliveries	When Sold to the Occupier of a Shop Dairy for Resale	When Sold to a Commercial User or Consumer
In any quantity .....	At the rate of—	At the rate of—
Less than 600 ml .....	4.53 cents per litre	2 cents per 300 ml
600 ml or more but less than 12 litres .....	.....	4 cents per 600 ml
12 litres or more .....	.....	6.66 cents per litre

Dated at Wellington this 22nd day of May 1975.

C. J. MOYLE, Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*This note is not part of the notice, but is intended to indicate its general effect.*

This notice—

- (a) Reduces the maximum price for milk sold to shop dairies from 5.34 cents per litre to 4.53 cents per litre;
- (b) Removes the price reduction for sales of milk to commercial users or consumers in quantities of 12 litres or more;
- (c) Imposes a new condition on the sale of milk namely that where milk is sold on credit no charge can be made for such credit.

This notice comes into force on 1 June 1975.

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Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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This notice is administered in the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.