Serial Number 1940/268



PRICE ORDER NO. 14.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon the Price Tribunal by the Control of Prices Emergency Regulations 1939, and with the authority of the Minister of Industries and Commerce, the Price Tribunal hereby makes the following Price Order:—

- 1. This Order may be cited as Price Order No. 14.
- 2. The maximum discounts which may be permitted by a manufacturer and/or an assembler of storage batteries of whatever brand or trade name, or a distributor or a wholesaler thereof to a vendor of such batteries selling by way of retail, shall be calculated on the list prices issued by the manufacturer and/or assembler of such storage batteries and approved by the Price Tribunal, and shall be not more than as follows:—
 - (a) 40 per cent. off list price and a further 10 per cent. off the then remaining residue when the storage battery carries a guarantee for a period in excess of eighteen months:
- (b) 33\frac{1}{3} per cent. off list price and a further 10 per cent. off the then remaining residue when the storage battery carries a guarantee for a period not exceeding eighteen months,—the net wholesale price calculated in accordance with the provisions of this Order to be increased by any sales tax chargeable, or, in the case of a wholesaler or distributor who is not permitted under the provisions of the Sales Tax Act, 1932–33, to collect sales tax, to be increased by an additional 10 per cent. of such net wholesale price.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1940.

The seal of the Price Tribunal was affixed hereto in the presence of—

[L.S.]

W. J. Hunter (Judge), President. H. L. Wise, Member.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act, 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette*: 17th day of October, 1940.

These regulations are administered in the office of the Price Tribunal.