

No. 151. THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1940 TO (No. 4) 1942.

ORDER MADE BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY UNDER REGULATION 61.

In exercise of the powers vested in me by virtue of my appointment by the Governor as the Competent Authority for the purpose of regulation 61 of the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 4) 1942, I hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Defence (Dispensation of Drugs) Order, 1942, and shall come into operation on and from the date of its publication in the *Gazette*.

2. In this Order unless the context otherwise requires—

- (a) "drugs" means drugs as defined in clause 2 (2) of the Defence (Drugs) Order, 1940;
- (b) "chemist and druggist" means any person registered as chemist and druggist under the provisions of the Pharmacy Laws, 1900 and 1926, and includes any medical practitioner registered as such under the provisions of the Medical Registration Laws, 1936 and 1939 who is practising his profession in any village in which no registered chemist and druggist is carrying on business;
- (c) "dispensing" means the actual compounding of a prescription by utilizing or applying any of the methods or means mentioned in column (1) of the Schedule hereto.

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3.—(1) No chemist and druggist shall charge for dispensing any drugs a price in excess of the price shown in column (2) of the schedule hereto opposite to each method or means of dispensing.

(2) The charge for dispensing shall be in addition to the value of the drugs used in each prescription: Provided that whenever the charge for dispensing and value of drugs used taken together amount to less than 3p. there may be charged and paid therefor a sum of 3p.

4. Every person dispensing drugs shall supply the purchaser with a receipt showing separately :

- (a) the value of drugs ; and
- (b) the charges for dispensing.

5. Every person to whom clause 3 of this Order applies shall permit such person as I, or the Director of Medical Services may authorize, in writing in that behalf to enter upon and inspect his premises for the purpose of ascertaining whether the provisions of this Order have been, or are being complied with.

6. Any person who acts in contravention of the provisions of this Order is liable to the penalties prescribed in regulation 94 of the Defence Regulations, 1940 to (No. 4) 1942.

SCHEDULE.  
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(1)	(2)
Powders	Up to 6 .. .. . 1½p. each.
Cachets	For every additional up to 12 .. .. . 1p. each.
Pills	do. from 13 to 24 .. .. . 0½p. each.
Capsules	do. over 24 .. .. . 0¼p. each.
	Up to 100 c.c. .. .. . 12p.
Mixtures	For an additional 100 c.c. or fraction thereof
Emulsions	up to 200 c.c. .. .. . 6p.
Decoctions	For an additional 100 c.c. or fraction thereof
Infusions	from 201 c.c. to 300 c.c. . . . . 3p.
Liniments	For every additional 100 c.c. or fraction thereof
	over 301 c.c. .. .. . 1p.
	Up to 10 grammes .. .. . 9p.
Ointments	For every additional 10 grammes or fraction
Pastes	thereof up to 30 grammes .. .. . 2p.
	For every additional 10 grammes or fraction
	thereof over 30 grammes .. .. . 1p.
	Up to 200 c.c. .. .. . 9p.
Lotions	For an additional 100 c.c. or fraction thereof .. 3p.
Gargles	For every additional 100 c.c. or fraction thereof
	over 300 c.c. .. .. . 1p.
Eye-drops	Up to 10 c.c. .. .. . 6p.
Drops	For every additional 10 c.c. or fraction thereof 1p.
Suppositories	
Ovulae	.. .. . 4½p. each.
Pessi	
Mixing of	
powders	.. .. . 4½p. each.
Sterilization	
of solutions	

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