7. Section 4 of the Act provides:

"4. A list of goods to which section six of this Act shell apply may be established by Order of the Governor in Council which order shall be published in the Canada Gazette within fifteen days after the passing of such order, and such list may be amended by the Governor in Council by order so published: Provided that no article shall be included in such list unless the Governor in Council is satisfied that by reason of the scarcity in world markets or governmental controls in the countries of origin or allocation by intergovernmental arrangement to such article it is necessary to regulate or control the import of the same for the purpose of ensuring the best possible supply and distribution of the article in accordance with the needs of Canada, or unless the price of such article is supported under The Agricultural Prices Support Act, 1944. The Fisheries Prices Support Act, 1944. The Agricultural Products Cooperative Marketing Act, 1939, or is in effect supported under the Agricultural Products Act".

At the beginning of 1950, only two items, namely scrap iron or steel and rice remained under import control, under the provisions of Section 4 of this Act. The control on scrap iron and steel was terminated on Earch 28, 1950, by Order in Council P.C. 1562. The control on rice was terminated by Order in Council P.C. 2935 on August 31, 1950.