

cultural 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."

10. During the course of the year, some improvement was seen in the supply position of various food stuffs and primary industrial materials, allowing the removal of a number from control. In other instances, owing to present high levels of world demand and delays in rehabilitation of producing areas, the available world stocks have even deteriorated, as in the case of tin. It was important to prevent unwarrantable diversion of raw materials in world short supply away from products necessary to meet international allocations, as in the case of raw sugar, and import control of processed forms of such materials was necessary in order to protect allocations.
11. Discontinuance of bulk purchasing by the Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation has permitted return of private trading under import licensing in some commodities remaining under international allocation, as in the cases of cocoa and tin, and in other commodities has permitted removal of controls, as in the cases of coffee and dried fruits.
12. Under Section 4 of this Act, Order in Council I. C. 1892 of May 14, 1947, was passed, establishing a list of commodities under 67 tariff items in respect to which an import permit was required. On November 7th, by amending Order in Council, rye was added to the list. These items were regularly reviewed and as the reasons for the control lapsed, items were removed from the list by amending Order in Council. Four amending Orders in Council were passed