

Treasury Chambers,
Whitehall, S.W.

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Dear Roy,

I had sent the revised version to the printer before getting your letter. The form in which the passage in question has gone to him is as follows:-

"Before there is any question of destroying local food stocks surplus to international requirements, the exporters concerned will be expected to offer them to the Control at a nominal price for disposal to a Nutritional Council or similar body."

Do you think this is objectionable?

Personally, I would much rather not raise the point at all for the reason you give. Your version is, I agree, harmless, but for that reason it looks all the more unnecessary and seems to be making a great pother about nothing.

I will wait and see what the Ministry of Food say.

Yours,

