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May 21, 1942

The Attorney General

John H. Welch, Warden
Maine State Prison
Thomaston, Maine

Re: War Production Board
General Limitation Order Number L29.

1. Metal signs which are fully completed are not covered by the Order.

2. Metal signs that are fully completed as far as work on the metal is concerned, even though they may not be painted, are not covered by the Order.

3. Metal signs that are not fully completed as far as the work on the metal is concerned are included in the Order and cannot be transferred in an unfinished state without the specific consent of the Director of Industry Operation.

4. No "raw" material or metal scrap can be transferred in an unfinished state without the specific consent of the Director of Industry Operations.

5. The total amount of metal that you can use in the manufacture of signs and/or accessories, whether said metal is in a "raw" state or whether it is partially processed, is 12 1/2 per cent of the total amount you used during the fiscal year 1940-41, and that use must be made during the period beginning April 1, 1942 and ending June 30, 1942.

6. You cannot use any metals for manufacture of metal signs and/or accessories after June 30, 1942.

If you have any further question under this War Production Board Order, let me know and I will do my best to answer it.

Frank I. Cowan
Attorney General

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Copy to Highway Department - Mr. Sawyer