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To the Milk Control Board  
From Abraham Breitbard, Deputy Attorney General

This office is in receipt of your memorandum of November 24th, inquiring about the authority of the Board to regulate the delivery and distribution of milk to retail customers, or, as you put it in your inquiry, "The authority to issue and enforce orders prohibiting distribution of milk to the retail customer oftener than once in every 48 hours."

We understand from your inquiry that at the present time the O. D. T. has decreed such a regulation, and you wish to know whether you may continue with a regulation of this type, should the O. D. T. in the future annul these regulations.

We do not feel that the Board has such powers, nor do we think that the legislature contemplated that the Board should be vested with the power to limit the number of deliveries that may be made to retail customers in any number of days or hours.

Abraham Breitbard