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NOT FOR PUBLICATION, BROADCAST OR USE ON CLUB TAPES BEFORE 23.30. HOURS B.S.T. ON FRIDAY DECEMBER 17 (i.e. FOR MORNING PAPERS ON DECEMBER 18). THIS EMBARGO SHOULD BE RESPECTED OVERSEAS BY PREFACING ANY MESSAGES FILED WITH THE EMBARGO.

EXTRA SUGAR FOR COUGH AND COLD MEDICINES.

The Ministry of Food announces that, in view of the present exceptional demand for cough and cold medicines, it has been decided to grant a supplementary allocation of sugar, for the current period only, to chemists, doctors and wholesale druggists for the manufacture of medicines under official formulae.

Arrangements have accordingly been made for the issue to this class of user of supplementary permits for an amount of sugar corresponding to 25% of the allocation already granted for this purpose in respect of the current permit period.

MINISTRY OF FOOD.