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(i) GENERAL PROVISIONS

The Apparel and Textiles (No. 6) Order and Directions, 1948

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The Board of Trade in pursuance of Regulation 55AB of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939(**a**), as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945(**b**), as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947(**c**), and of the Apparel and Textiles Order, 1942(**d**), as amended by subsequent Orders(**e**), hereby issue the following Order and Directions:—

1. The Apparel and Textiles Order, 1942, as amended by subsequent Orders, shall have effect as if at the end of paragraph (6) of Article 8 thereof there were added the following:—

" so however, that in calculating the amount of any such costs aforesaid the manufacturer shall not take into account the amount of any increase in such costs, computed by reference to the matters specified in paragraphs 2, 2A, 3, 4 and 5 of that Schedule, due—

(*a*) to any increase in the rate or scale of wages, salaries or commission paid or payable by him, agreed after the 4th day of February, 1948, or

(*b*) to any change in the terms or conditions of employment of persons employed by him, agreed after that date.".

2. The Directions issued under the Apparel and Textiles Order, 1942, which are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall have effect as if there were inserted in each, in the appropriate place and with the appropriate

(**a**) *See* Note, p. 15 above.
(**b**) 9 & 10 Geo. 6. c. 10; S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 1611) II, p. 39.
(**c**) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 55.
(**d**) S.R. & O. 1942 (No. 1000) II, p. 263.
(**e**) S.R. & O. 1942 (Nos. 2046 and 2464) II, pp. 274–6; 1943 (Nos. 278 and 1202) II, pp. 126–9.

number specified in the second column of that Schedule, the following paragraph:—

" In calculating the amount of any costs in accordance with these Directions with reference to any matters specified in the Fourth Schedule to the Apparel and Textiles Order, 1942 (as amended), the manufacturer shall not take into account the amount of any increase in such costs, computed by reference to such of the matters specified in paragraphs 2, 2A, 3, 4 and 5 of that Schedule as are relevant, due—

(1) to any increase in the rate or scale of wages, salaries or commission paid or payable by him, agreed after the 4th day of February, 1948, or

(2) to any change in the terms or conditions of employment of persons employed by him after that date.".

3. The Fur Apparel (No. 9) Directions, Licence and Order, 1946(**a**), as amended by subsequent Directions(**b**), shall have effect as if after paragraph 10 thereof there were inserted the following paragraph:—

" 10A. In calculating the amount of any costs in accordance with these Directions the manufacturer shall not take into account the amount of any increase in such costs, computed by reference to the matters specified in headings (*b*) and (*c*) in the definition of " prime cost " in paragraph 10 hereof, due,

(1) to any increase in the rate or scale of wages paid or payable by him, agreed after the 4th day of February, 1948, or

(2) to any change in the terms or conditions of employment of persons employed by him, agreed after that date."

4. This Instrument may be cited as the Apparel and Textiles (No. 6) Order and Directions, 1948, and shall come into operation on the 15th day of March, 1948.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1948.

Harold Wilson,
President of the Board of Trade.

SCHEDULE.*

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Name of Directions	Where inserted	How numbered
The Gloves (No. 8) Directions, 1945 (S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 67) II, p. 153), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1357) II, p. 169 ; 1947 (No. 836) II, p. 96).	After para. 4	4A
The Utility Apparel (Infants and Girls' Wear) (Consolidation) Directions, 1945 (S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 1092) II, p. 198), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 1520) II, p. 204 ; 1946 (Nos. 1153 and 1402) II, pp. 209–10 ; 1947 (Nos. 898, 2231 and 2390) II, pp. 117–118).	After para. 3	3A

(**a**) S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1162) II, p. 158; for revocation and replacement, *see* S.I. 1949 No. 432.

(**b**) S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1711) II, p. 168; S.R. & O. 1947 (Nos. 1268 and 2560) II, pp. 94–5; for revocation and replacement of these Directions, *see* S.I. 1949 No. 432.

* For revocation and replacement of the Directions specified in this Schedule, *see* below, p. 62 (gloves), p. 99 (lace) and p. 128 (utility apparel).

1 Name of Directions	2 Where inserted	2 How numbered
The Lace and Woven Curtain Net (Manufacture and Supply) Directions & Order, 1946 (S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1296) II, p. 192), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 2575) II, p. 106).	After para. 4	4A
The Utility Apparel (Men's Youths' and Boys' Outerwear) (Consolidation) Directions, 1946 (S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 794) II, p. 211), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1826) II, p. 237; 1947 (No. 89) II, p. 119).	After para. 8	8A
The Utility Apparel (Nurses' Uniforms) Directions, 1944 (S.R. & O. 1944 (No. 513) II, p. 160), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 1526) II, p. 140).	After para. 3	3A
The Utility Apparel (Oilskins) Directions, 1944 (S.R. & O. 1944 (No. 784) II, p. 167), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1944 (No. 1433) II, p. 207; 1947 (No. 369) II, p. 142).	After para. 3	3A
The Utility Apparel (Oilskins) (No. 2) Directions, 1945 (S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 1490) II, p. 235), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1947 (No. 370) II, p. 144).	After para. 6	6A
The Utility Apparel (Waterproofs) (Consolidation) Directions 1946 (S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1051) II, p. 309).	After para. 7	7A
The Utility Apparel (Women's and Maids' Outerwear) (Consolidation) Directions, 1946 (S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 795) II, p. 317), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1778) II, p. 319; 1947 (Nos. 599 and 1440) II, pp. 146, 148).	After para. 8	8A
The Utility Apparel (Women's and Maids' Underwear and Nightwear) (Consolidation) Directions, 1946 (S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1113) II, p. 331), as amended by subsequent Directions (S.R. & O. 1947 (Nos. 782 and 2389) II, pp. 151–9).	After para. 6	6A

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of this Instrument, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Instrument amends the provisions of the Apparel and Textiles Order, 1942, as amended, and of the Directions set out in the Schedule to this Order, relating to the method of calculation of a manufacturer's costs. Direct and indirect increases in wages, salaries and commission, agreed after February 4th, 1948, are not to be taken into account if and in so far as they result in a rise in the cost of goods, or if they are offset by a reduction in the prices paid for materials.