1963 No. 1962

FACTORIES

The Baking and Sausage Making (Christmas and New Year) Order 1963

Made - - - - 4*th December* 1963
Coming into Operation 10*th December* 1963

The Minister of Labour by virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 117 of the Factories Act 1961(a) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following special exemption order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Baking and Sausage Making (Christmas and New Year) Order 1963 and shall come into operation on 10th December 1963.

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) In this Order " women " means women who have attained the age of eighteen.

3. The employment of women in England and Wales—

(*a*) on Saturdays, 21st and 28th December 1963, and on Sundays, 22nd and 29th December 1963, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon ; and

(*b*) on Sundays, 15th and 22nd December 1963, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits),

or in work incidental or ancillary to such work, is hereby exempted from the provisions of section 86(*b*) of the Factories Act 1961 (so far as that paragraph prohibits the employment of women after one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday) and from the provisions of section 93 of that Act (which relates to the prohibition of Sunday employment).

4. The employment of women in Scotland on Saturdays, 21st and 28th December 1963, and on Sundays, 22nd and 29th December 1963, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon, or in work incidental or ancillary to such work, is hereby exempted from the provisions of the said section 86(*b*) (so far as that paragraph prohibits the employment of women after one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday) and from the provisions of the said section 93.

Dated 4th December 1963.

Joseph Godber,
Minister of Labour.

(a) 9 & 10 Eliz. 2. c. 34. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order enables women who have attained the age of eighteen to be employed in England and Wales on the afternoons of Saturdays, 21st and 28th December 1963, and on Sundays, 22nd and 29th December 1963, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages, or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon, and on Sundays, 15th and 22nd December 1963, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits).

The Order also enables women who have attained the age of eighteen to be employed in Scotland on the afternoons of Saturdays, 21st and 28th December 1963, and on Sundays, 22nd and 29th December 1963, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages, or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon.