STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1967 No. 1760

FACTORIES

The Baking and Sausage Making (Christmas and New Year) Order 1967

Made - - - - 24th November 1967
Coming into Operation 7th December 1967

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 1967 and shall come into operation on 7th December 1967.

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, 9th, 16th and 30th December 1967, and on Sundays, 10th, 17th and 31st December 1967, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon; and

(*b*) on Saturdays, 9th and 16th December 1967, and on Sundays, 10th and 17th December 1967, 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—

(*a*) on Saturdays, 16th, 23rd and 30th December 1967, and on Sundays, 17th, 24th and 31st December 1967, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon; and

(*b*) on Sunday, 17th December 1967, 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 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.

Signed by order of the Minister of Labour.

24th November 1967.

D. C. Barnes,
Secretary,
Ministry of Labour.

(**a**) 1961 c. 34. (**b**) 1889 c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order enables women who have attained the age of eighteen to be employed in England and Wales on the afternoons of Saturdays, 9th, 16th and 30th December 1967, and on Sundays, 10th, 17th and 31st December 1967, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon, and on the afternoons of Saturdays, 9th and 16th December 1967, and on Sundays, 10th and 17th December 1967, 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, 16th, 23rd and 30th December 1967, and on Sundays, 17th, 24th and 31st December 1967, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon, and on Sunday, 17th December 1967, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits).