1956 No. 344

The Baking Wages Council (England and Wales) Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1956

Made - - - -	*8th March,* 1956
Coming into Operation	*28th March,* 1956

Whereas the Minister of Labour and National Service (hereafter in this Order referred to as "the Minister") has received from the Baking Wages Council (England and Wales) the wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto;

Now, therefore, the Minister, by virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 10 of the Wages Councils Act, 1945(**a**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Baking Wages Council (England and Wales) Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1956.

2.—(1) In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 28th day of March, 1956, provided that where, as respects any worker who is paid wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, that date does not correspond with the beginning of the period for which the wages are paid, the expression "the specified date" means, as respects that worker, the beginning of the next such period following that date.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(**b**), applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto shall have effect as from the specified date.

Signed by order of the Minister of Labour and National Service this 8th day of March, 1956.

Harold Emmerson,
Secretary,
Ministry of Labour and National Service.

(**a**) 8 & 9 Geo. 6. c. 17. (**b**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

SCHEDULE

STATUTORY MINIMUM REMUNERATION

The Baking Wages Council (England and Wales) Wages Regulation Order, 1954(a) (Order BK(52)), shall have effect as if in the First Schedule thereto for paragraph 2 there were substituted the following paragraph:—

"2. Subject to the provisions of this Part of this Schedule, the general minimum time rates set out in the next following Table are payable to male workers (not being night workers) and to female workers (not being workers specified in paragraph 3 of this Schedule).

DESCRIPTION OF WORKERS	Column 1 All workers in LONDON AREA	Column 2 All workers in PROVINCIAL AREA A and workers in wholesale cake and flour confectionery branch in PROVINCIAL AREA B	Column 3 All workers in PROVINCIAL AREA B except those in wholesale cake and flour confectionery branch
	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.
(1) MALE WORKERS (not being night workers)			
(*a*) FOREMAN CONFECTIONER ...	3 6¾	3 6¼	3 5¼
(*b*) FOREMAN BAKER	3 6¾	3 6¼	3 5¼
(*c*) FIRST HAND	3 4½	3 4	3 3
(*d*) SINGLE HAND	3 4½	3 4	3 3
(*e*) SECOND HAND	3 3½	3 3	3 2
(*f*) DOUGHMAKER	3 3½	3 3	3 2
(*g*) CONFECTIONERY MIXER ...	3 3½	3 3	3 2
(*h*) OVENMAN	3 3½	3 3	3 2
(*i*) CONFECTIONER or TABLE HAND, aged 21 years or over, other than a worker to whom (1) (*j*) applies	3 2	3 1½	3 0½
(*j*) CONFECTIONER or TABLE HAND, aged 21 and under 23 years who is employed, wholly or mainly, in making bread and flour confectionery, or either of them, without the use of power machinery other than one dough-kneader or one cake mixer, or both, and has completed less than 5 years' employment in the trade ...	2 11¾	2 11¼	2 10¼
(*k*) STOKER	3 0¾	3 0	2 11
(*l*) CHARGE HAND (packing and despatch department)	1½d. per hour in addition to the rate appropriate to his age as specified in Column 1, 2 or 3 of (1) (*m*).		
(*m*) OTHER MALE WORKERS, being aged—			
21 years or over	3 0	2 11½	2 10½
20 and under 21 years	2 5	2 4½	2 3½
19 " " 20 "	2 2	2 1½	2 0½
18 " " 19 "	1 10	1 9½	1 8½
17 " " 18 "	1 6	1 5½	1 4½
16 " " 17 "	1 5¼	1 4¾	1 3¾
Under 16 years	1 4	1 3½	1 2½
(*n*) Workers employed as JOBBERS ...	2d. per hour in addition to the rate otherwise payable under (1) (*a*) to (*m*).		

(a) S.I. 1954/1508 (1954 II, p. 2502).

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	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.
(2) FEMALE WORKERS (not being workers specified in paragraph 3)			
(*a*) FOREWOMAN	*2 7*	*2 6½*	*2 5¼*
(*b*) CHARGE HAND other than a charge hand (packing and despatch department)	*2 5¾*	*2 5¼*	*2 4*
(*c*) CHARGE HAND (packing and despatch department)	1d. per hour in addition to the rate appropriate to her age as specified in Column 1, 2 or 3 of (2) (*f*).		
(*d*) SINGLE HAND	*2 4¾*	*2 4¼*	*2 3*
(*e*) CONFECTIONER, being aged—			
21 years or over	*2 3¾*	*2 3½*	*2 2*
20 and under 21 years	*1 11¼*	*1 10¾*	*1 9¾*
19 „ „ 20 „	*1 9¾*	*1 9¼*	*1 8¼*
(*f*) OTHER FEMALE" WORKERS, being aged—			
21 years or over	*2 2*	*2 1½*	*2 0½*
20 and under 21 years	*1 10½*	*1 10*	*1 9*
19 „ „ 20 „	*1 9¼*	*1 8¾*	*1 7¾*
18 „ „ 19 „	*1 8½*	*1 8*	*1 6¾*
17 „ „ 18 „	*1 6*	*1 5½*	*1 4½*
16 „ „ 17 „	*1 5*	*1 4½*	*1 3½*
Under 16 years	*1 4*	*1 3½*	*1 2½*
(*g*) Workers employed as JOBBERS ...	1½d. per hour in addition to the rate otherwise payable under (2) (*a*) to (*f*)."		

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which has effect from the 28th March, 1956, amends the Baking Wages Council (England and Wales) Wages Regulation Order, 1954 (Order BK(52)), by increasing the statutory minimum remuneration fixed by that Order.

New provisions are printed in italics.