Control of Employment in Agriculture

THE CONTROL OF EMPLOYMENT (AGRICULTURE) (NORTHERN IRELAND) (AMENDMENT) ORDER, 1946, DATED 15TH OCTOBER, 1946, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER REGULATIONS 58A AND 98 OF THE DEFENCE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1939, AS HAVING EFFECT BY VIRTUE OF THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1945 (a).

1946. No. 158

The Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Regulations 58A and 98 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, hereby makes the following Order :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Control of Employment (Agriculture) (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order, 1946, and shall come into force on the date hereof, and this Order and the Control of Employment (Agriculture) (Northern Ireland) Orders, 1942 (**b**), may be cited together as the Control of Employment (Agriculture) (Northern Ireland) Orders, 1942 to 1946.

2. The following paragraph shall be substituted for paragraph (2) of Article 4 of the Control of Employment (Agriculture) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1942 (**c**) as amended by Article 2 of the Control of Employment (Agriculture) (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order, 1942 (**d**) :—

" (2) The foregoing provisions of this Article shall not apply to—

(*a*) agricultural workers employed solely at piece rates on work for which it is customary to make payment at piece rates ;

(*b*) agricultural workers casually employed—

(i) in threshing work ; or

(ii) in any other work for a period consisting of not more than six consecutive days, provided that the total number of days on which any agricultural worker may be casually employed by any one farmer, does not exceed eight in any calendar month ;

(*c*) agricultural workers when called up for full time duty as Special Constables or in connection with enlistment in the Royal Ulster Constabulary."

(a) 9 Geo. 6, c. 10 ; and see S. R. & O. 1945, Nos. 1620 and 1625.
(b) S. R. & O. (Northern Ireland), 1942, Nos. 32 and 87.
(c) S. R. & O. (Northern Ireland), 1942, No. 32.
(d) S. R. & O. (Northern Ireland), 1942, No. 87.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this fifteenth day of October, 1946, in the presence of

(L.S.) *J. W. McConnell,*
Assistant Secretary to Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

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

The Control of Employment (Agriculture) (Northern Ireland) Orders, 1942, provide *inter alia* for the casual employment of agricultural workers in threshing work only, and the purpose of this Order is to extend the provision to the casual employment of agricultural workers in other types of farm work.

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ORDER, DATED OCTOBER 21ST, 1946, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER REGULATIONS 55 AND 55AA OF THE DEFENCE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1939, AS HAVING EFFECT BY VIRTUE OF THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1945.

1946. No. 165

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland by virtue and in exercise of the powers under Regulations 55 and 55AA of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, delegated to it by an instrument of delegation dated the 2nd day of July, 1946, made by the Board of Trade under the said Regulations, as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945, (a) hereby orders as follows :—

1. No person shall produce for disposal or distribute wholesale any fertiliser except under the authority of a licence granted to him by the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland (hereinafter called " the Ministry ").

2. No person described in a licence granted under Article 1 of this Order as (and hereinafter called) " a licensed wholesaler " shall dispose of or agree or offer to dispose of any fertiliser except to—

(*a*) another licensed wholesaler,

(*b*) a person described in a licence granted under Article 1 of this Order as (and hereinafter called) " a licensed secondary wholesaler ", or

(*c*) a person licensed under Article 5 of this Order.

(a) 9 and 10 Geo. 6, Ch. 10 ; and S. R. & O. 1945, Nos. 1618 and 1625.