EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order specifies the foreign currencies which must be offered for sale to an Authorised Dealer. Danish Kroner, Faroese Kroner, Netherlands East Indies Guilders, Norwegian Kroner and Swedish Kronor have now been removed from the Schedule. Minor amendments have also been made in the description of certain territories and currencies.

FACTORIES

The Foundries (Parting Materials) Special Regulations, 1950

1950 No. 1700

Made - - - -	19*th October*, 1950
Laid before Parliament	23*rd October*, 1950
Coming into Operation	1*st December*, 1950

The Minister of Labour and National Service by virtue of the powers conferred upon him by section 60 of the Factories Act, 1937(a), (hereinafter referred to as " the principal Act "), section 8 of the Factories Act, 1948(b), and the Transfer of Functions (Factories, &c., Acts) Order, 1946(c), and of all other powers him enabling hereby makes the following Special Regulations.

Short title and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Foundries (Parting Materials) Special Regulations, 1950, and shall come into operation on the 1st December, 1950.

Interpretation

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act, 1889(d), applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) These Regulations are in addition to and not in derogation of the provisions imposing requirements as to health or safety contained in Parts I, II and IV of the principal Act.

(3) In these Regulations the expression " use of a parting material " means the application of a material to the surface or parts of the surface of a pattern or of a mould so as to facilitate the separation of the pattern from a mould or the separation of parts of the mould ; and the expression " used as a parting material " shall be construed accordingly.

(a) 1 Edw. 8 & 1 Geo. 6. c. 67.
(b) 11 & 12 Geo. 6. c. 55.
(c) S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 376) I, p. 1006.
(d) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

Application of Regulations

3. These Regulations shall apply to all factories in which there is use of a parting material in connection with the making of metal castings.

Prohibition of the use of certain materials as Parting Materials

4.—(1) A material shall not be used as a parting material if it is a material containing compounds of silicon calculated as silica to the extent of more than 3 per cent. by weight of the dry material:

Provided that this prohibition shall not prevent the following being used as a parting material, that is to say, natural sand or a substance specified in the Schedule to these Regulations if (in either case) the material does not contain an admixture of any other silica.

(2) Dust or other matter deposited from a fettling or blasting process shall not be used as a parting material or as a constituent in a parting material.

Dated this 19th day of October, 1950.

G. A. Isaacs,
Minister of Labour and
National Service.

SCHEDULE

1. Zirconium silicate (Zircon).
2. Calcined china clay.
3. Calcined aluminous fireclay.
4. Sillimanite.
5. Calcined or fused alumina.
6. Olivine.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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These Regulations prohibit the use of certain materials as parting materials in connection with the making of metal castings.

They prohibit the use of materials containing compounds of silicon calculated as silica to the extent of more than 3 per cent. by weight of the dry material; and of dust or other matter deposited from a fettling or blasting process.

The prohibition does not extend to natural sand or to a substance specified in the Schedule if (in either case) the material does not contain an admixture of any other silica.