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WAGES COUNCILS

Wages Regulation (General Waste Materials Reclamation)

ORDER, DATED 27TH FEBRUARY 1968, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER THE WAGES COUNCILS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1945.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 10 of the Wages Councils Act (Northern Ireland) 1945(**a**), hereby makes the following Order to give effect to wages regulation proposals received from the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Council (Northern Ireland):—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1968.

Commencement

2. The wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule shall come into operation on the specified date and on the day immediately preceding that date the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1966(**b**) shall cease to have effect.

Interpretation

3. In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 12th day of March 1968, 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 wages are paid, the expression "the specified date" means, as respects that worker, the beginning of the next such period following that date.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 27th day of February 1968.

(L.S.) *Lancelot Browne,*
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1945. c. 21. (b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1966, No. 295.

SCHEDULE

Statutory Minimum Remuneration

The General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Regulation Order (Northern Ireland) 1964(c) (Order N.I.W.R. (69)) as amended by the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1966 (Order N.I.W.R. (76)) shall have effect as if in the Schedule thereto—

1.—for paragraphs 1 and 2 there were substituted the following paragraphs:—

"GENERAL MINIMUM TIME RATES

MALE WORKERS

Paragraph 1.

(A) Workers engaged on operations in connection with scrap rubber, scrap iron or other scrap metal, used tins, or broken glass or earthenware and who are aged—

	Per hour	Per week of 40 hours
	s. d.	s. d.
21 years and over	5 8½	228 4
18 and under 21 years	4 6½	181 8
17 „ 18 „	3 3½	131 8
16 „ 17 „	2 10½	115 0
under 16 years	2 4¾	95 10

(B) Workers engaged on operations in connection with materials other than those specified in (A) and who are aged—

21 years and over	5 7½	225 0
18 and under 21 years	4 5½	178 4
17 „ 18 „	3 2½	128 4
16 „ 17 „	2 9½	111 8
under 16 years	2 3¾	92 6

(C) Workers of 21 years of age and over employed as—

(a) power crane drivers will, for all time during which they are so employed, be entitled to *4½d.* per hour in addition to the statutory minimum remuneration otherwise payable.

(b) burner cutters will, for all time during which they are so employed, be entitled to *4d.* per hour in addition to the statutory minimum remuneration otherwise payable.

(c) drivers of lorries with the carrying capacities set out below will, for all time during which they are so employed, be entitled to the appropriate amount set out hereunder in addition to the statutory minimum remuneration otherwise payable—

Carrying Capacity	Additional Amount per hour
under 2 tons	*3½d.*
2 tons and under 8 tons	*5½d.*
8 tons and over	*7½d.*

"Carrying Capacity" means—

(i) the weight of the load which the vehicle has been designed or constructed to carry and/or haul according to the pay load rating as specified or declared by the manufacturers of the vehicle,

(ii) where a trailer is attached to a vehicle the carrying capacity of that vehicle shall be the carrying capacity of the vehicle and trailer combined.

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 52.

FEMALE WORKERS

Paragraph 2.	Per hour	Per week of 40 hours
Workers aged—	s. d.	s. d.
20 years and over	*3 0*	*120 0*
18 and under 20 years	*2 7*	*103 4*
under 18 years	*2 5*	*96 8"*

2.—for paragraphs 3 and 4 there were substituted the following paragraphs—

"PIECE WORK BASIS TIME RATES

Paragraph 3.	Per hour s. d.
(A) MALE WORKERS of the classes specified in paragraph 1(A)	*5 9½*
(B) MALE WORKERS of the classes specified in paragraph 1(B)	*5 8½*
Paragraph 4.	
FEMALE WORKERS	*3 2"*

3.—in paragraph 6(d) for "42" wherever it occurs there were substituted "40" and for "45" there were substituted "43."

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which comes into operation on 12th March 1968, amends the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Regulation Order (Northern Ireland) 1964 (Order N.I.W.R. (69)) as amended by the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1966 (Order N.I.W.R. (76)), by increasing the statutory minimum remuneration fixed by those Orders.

Order N.I.W.R. (76) is revoked.

New provisions in the Schedule are printed in italics.