STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1963 No. 776

FACTORIES

The Humid Factories (French or Dry Process Exceptions) (Revocation) Regulations 1963

Made - - - -	9*th April* 1963
Laid before Parliament	17*th April* 1963
Coming into Operation	29*th April* 1963

The Minister of Labour by virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 68 (3) of the Factories Act 1961(a) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Humid Factories (French or Dry Process Exceptions) (Revocation) Regulations 1963 and shall come into operation on 29th April 1963.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament, and as if these Regulations and the Order hereby revoked were Acts of Parliament.

2. The Order made by the Secretary of State on 24th December 1898(c) as to the maximum limits of humidity of atmosphere to be observed in the spinning of merino, cashmere or wool by the French or dry process, is hereby revoked.

Dated 9th April 1963.

John Hare,
Minister of Labour.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.*)

Section 68 of the Factories Act 1961 makes detailed provision as to the conditions on which artificial humidification of the atmosphere may take place in those factories for which provision has not been made in regulations under the Act, and, in particular, requires observance of the table of humidity set out in Schedule 1 to the Act, or of such other table as may be substituted therefor by regulations of the Minister of Labour.

The Order now revoked, made in pursuance of an enactment replaced by section 68 provided a schedule of maximum limits of humidity to be

(a) 9 & 10 Eliz. 2. c. 34. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(c) S.R. & O. 1898/1114 (Rev. VII, p. 104: 1898, p. 361).

observed, in place of the limits scheduled to the enactment, in certain factories in which the spinning of merino, cashmere or wool by the French or dry process was carried on. The conditions for which it provided are no longer applicable.