RAG FLOCK AND OTHER FILLING MATERIALS

1954 No. 985

The Rag Flock and Other Filling Materials Regulations, 1954

Made - - - -	23*rd July*, 1954
Laid before Parliament	28*th July*, 1954
Coming into Operation	3*rd August*, 1954

The Minister of Housing and Local Government and the Secretary of State acting jointly, in exercise of their powers under sections 15, 30 and 34 of the Rag Flock and Other Filling Materials Act, 1951(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following regulations:—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Rag Flock and Other Filling Materials Regulations, 1954, and the Rag Flock and Other Filling Materials Regulations, 1951(b), and these regulations may be cited together as the Rag Flock and Other Filling Materials Regulations, 1951 and 1954.

(2) These regulations shall come into operation on the third day of August, 1954.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), applies to the interpretation of these regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The Rag Flock and Other Filling Materials Regulations, 1951, shall be amended as follows:—

(*a*) in paragraph 5 of the First Schedule (which prescribes a standard of cleanliness for certain types of woollen felt and woollen mixture felt), for the words "Not to contain more than 1·5 per cent. of soluble impurities" there shall be substituted the words "Not to contain more than 1·8 per cent. of soluble impurities";

(*b*) in the Third Schedule (which lists the prescribed analysts for the testing of samples), for the references to John Hudson and Sydney Bertram Cant there shall be substituted references to the following:—

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Marlow,
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George Ginger,
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Station Road,
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South Street,
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(a) 14 & 15 Geo. 6. c. 63. (b) S.I. 1951/1846 (1951 II, p. 332).
(c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

Cyril Henry Richards,
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Given under the official seal of the Minister of Housing and Local Government and the seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this twenty-third day of July, nineteen hundred and fifty-four.

(L.S.) *Harold Macmillan,*
Minister of Housing and Local Government.

(L.S.) *James Stuart,*
Secretary of State for Scotland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations effect a minor amendment in the standards of cleanliness prescribed for filling materials by the Rag Flock and Other Filling Materials Regulations, 1951, by altering the requirements of the impurities test for certain types of woollen felt and woollen mixture felt. At the same time the list of analysts prescribed for purposes of testing samples under the Rag Flock and Other Filling Materials Act, 1951, has been altered.