## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which has effect from the 21st May, 1956, sets out the statutory minimum remuneration payable and the holidays to be allowed to workers in substitution for the statutory minimum remuneration fixed, and holidays provided for, by the Retail Newsagency, Tobacco and Confectionery Trades Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation (Holidays) Order, 1949 (Order R.N.T.S. (4)), the Retail Newsagency, Tobacco and Confectionery Trades Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation Order, 1952 (Order R.N.T.S. (10)) and the Retail Newsagency, Tobacco and Confectionery Trades Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1955 (Order R.N.T.S. (14)), which Orders are revoked.

New provisions are printed in italics.

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# 1956 No. 461

# The Road Haulage Wages Council Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1956

*Made* - - - - 27*th March*, 1956
*Coming into Operation* 16*th April*, 1956

Whereas the Minister of Labour and National Service (hereafter in this Order referred to as "the Minister") has received from the Road Haulage Wages Council the wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto;

Now, therefore, the Minister, by virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 10 of the Wages Councils Act, 1945(**a**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

**1.** This Order may be cited as the Road Haulage Wages Council Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1956.

**2.**—(1) In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 16th day of April, 1956, 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 the wages are paid, the expression "the specified date" means, as respects that worker, the beginning of the next such period following that date.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(**b**), applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

**3.** The wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto shall have effect as from the specified date.

Signed by order of the Minister of Labour and National Service this 27th day of March, 1956.

*Harold Emmerson*,
Secretary,
Ministry of Labour and National Service.

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(**a**) 8 & 9 Geo. 6. c. 17. (**b**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

## SCHEDULE

## STATUTORY MINIMUM REMUNERATION

The Road Haulage Wages Council Wages Regulation Order, 1955(a), (Order R.H. (54)), shall have effect as if in the Schedule thereto:—

**1. for paragraph 1 there were substituted the following paragraph:—**

" Remuneration of regular road haulage workers (as defined in paragraph 29)

1.—(*a*) Workers whose home depot is situated in the London Area as defined in paragraph 40 (other than the workers specified in sub-paragraph (*c*) of this paragraph):—

(i) Drivers of vehicles other than steam wagons or tractors:—

| Age of driver | Carrying capacity of vehicle (as defined in paragraph 25) | Remuneration per week |
|---|---|---|
| | | *s. d.* |
| Under 18 ... ... ... | Of 1 ton or less ... ... ... ... | *82 9* |
| 18 and under 19 ... ... | | *98 3* |
| 19 „ „ 20 ... ... | | *109 6* |
| 20 „ „ 21 ... ... | | *121 6* |
| 21 and over ... ... | | *152 0* |
| All ages ... ... ... | Over 1 ton and up to and including 5 tons ... ... ... ... ... | **155 0* / *†156 0* |
| | Over 5 tons and up to and including 8 tons ... ... ... ... ... | **159 0* / *†160 0* |
| | Over 8 tons and up to and including 12 tons ... ... ... ... | *163 0* |
| | Over 12 tons and up to and including 15 tons ... ... ... ... | *167 0* |
| | *Over 15 tons and up to and including 18 tons* ... ... ... ... | *171 0* |
| | *Over 18 tons* ... ... ... ... | *176 0* |

* These rates apply to drivers whose employment commenced after 8th June, 1932.

† These rates apply to drivers in employment as such on 8th June, 1932, who have remained in the service of the same employer.

| | Per week *s. d.* |
|---|---|
| (ii) Drivers of steam wagons or tractors other than tractors not exceeding two tons unladen weight used exclusively for furniture removal work:— | |
| Carrying capacity of vehicle— | |
| Up to and including 8 tons ... ... ... ... ... | *159 0* |
| Over 8 tons and up to and including 12 tons ... ... | *163 0* |
| Over 12 tons ... ... ... ... ... ... ...: | *167 0* |
| (iii) Drivers of tractors not exceeding two tons unladen weight used exclusively for furniture removal work ... ... ... | *155 0* |
| (iv) Mates (all ages) on steam wagons ... ... ... ... | *151 0* |
| (v) Workers of 21 years of age or over employed as foremen, removal packers or porters in the Furniture Warehousing and Removing Industry— | |
| Foremen ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | *154 0* |
| Removal packers ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | *149 0* |
| Porters ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | *147 0* |
| (vi) Statutory attendants under 18 years of age ... ... ... | *89 0* |

(a) S.I. 1955/592 (1955 II, p. 3061).

| | per week s. | d. |
|---|---|---|
| (vii) Other road haulage workers:— | | |
| 21 years of age or over ... ... ... ... ... | *149* | *0* |
| 20 and under 21 years of age ... ... ... ... ... | *116* | *9* |
| 19 „ „ 20 „ „ ... ... ... ... ... | *104* | *9* |
| 18 „ „ 19 „ „ ... ... ... ... ... | *95* | *6* |
| 17 „ „ 18 „ „ ... ... ... ... ... | *71* | *6* |
| 16 „ „ 17 „ „ ... ... ... ... ... | *65* | *3* |
| Under 16 years of age ... ... ... ... ... ... | *59* | *0* |

(*b*) Workers (other than the workers specified in sub-paragraph (*c*) of this paragraph) whose home depot is situated outside the London Area, including those who are employed on long distance services as defined in paragraph 26.

(The rates in this sub-paragraph are subject to the provisions of paragraph 3 relating to vehicles loaded or unloaded in higher graded places and to the provisions of sub-paragraph (*d*) of this paragraph relating to workers temporarily transferred):

(i) Drivers, other than drivers of tractors not exceeding two tons unladen weight used exclusively for furniture removal work:—

| Age of driver | Carrying capacity of vehicle (as defined in paragraph 25) | Remuneration per week: Grade 1 areas (as defined in paragraph 40) and long distance services (as defined in paragraph 26) | Remuneration per week: Grade 2 areas (as defined in paragraph 40) |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | *s. d.* | *s. d.* |
| Under 18 ... ... | Of 1 ton or less ... ... ... | *80 9* | *78 9* |
| 18 and under 19 ... | | *96 3* | *94 3* |
| 19 „ „ 20 ... | | *107 6* | *105 6* |
| 20 „ „ 21 ... | | *119 6* | *117 6* |
| 21 and over ... | | *147 0* | *143 0* |
| All ages ... ... | Over 1 ton and up to and including 5 tons ... ... ... ... | *150 0* | *146 0* |
| | Over 5 tons and up to and including 8 tons ... ... ... ... | *154 0* | *150 0* |
| | Over 8 tons and up to and including 12 tons ... ... ... ... | *158 0* | *154 0* |
| | Over 12 tons and up to and including 15 tons ... ... ... ... | *162 0* | *158 0* |
| | *Over 15 tons and up to and including 18 tons ... ... ... ...* | *166 0* | *162 0* |
| | *Over 18 tons ... ... ... ...* | *171 0* | *167 0* |

| | *s.* | *d.* | *s.* | *d.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (ii) Drivers of tractors not exceeding two tons unladen weight used exclusively for furniture removal work ... ... ... ... ... | *150* | *0* | *146* | *0* |
| (iii) Workers of 21 years of age or over employed as foremen, removal packers or porters in the Furniture Warehousing and Removing Industry:— | | | | |
| Foremen ... ... ... ... ... ... | *149* | *6* | *147* | *6* |
| Removal packers ... ... ... ... | *146* | *6* | *144* | *6* |
| Porters ... ... ... ... ... ... | *144* | *6* | *142* | *0* |
| (iv) Statutory attendants under 18 years of age | *86* | *3* | *83* | *9* |

| | s. | d. | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (v) Other road haulage workers:— | | | | |
| 21 years of age or over ... ... ... | 146 | 0 | 142 | 0 |
| 20 and under 21 years of age ... ... | 112 | 6 | 110 | 0 |
| 19 „ „ 20 „ „ ... ... | 101 | 0 | 98 | 6 |
| 18 „ „ 19 „ „ ... ... | 92 | 9 | 90 | 3 |
| 17 „ „ 18 „ „ ... ... | 70 | 3 | 68 | 9 |
| 16 „ „ 17 „ „ ... ... | 63 | 0 | 61 | 6 |
| Under 16 years of age ... ... ... | 56 | 9 | 56 | 3 |

(c) Workers employed on the Carriage of Indivisible Loads—

(i) Workers on vehicles whilst used in connection with the movement of loads, other than live or dead cattle, which by reason of indivisibility require mechanical loading or unloading equipment carried on the vehicle and operated upon the responsibility of the driver.

| Carrying capacity of vehicle (as defined in paragraph 25) | London area (as defined in paragraph 40) | | Grade 1 and 2 areas (as defined in paragraph 40) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Drivers | Mates | Drivers | Mates |
| | Per week | | Per week | |
| | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| Over 6 tons and up to and including 10 tons | 167 0 | 149 0 | 163 0 | 146 0 |
| Over 10 tons and up to and including 16 tons | 174 0 | 149 0 | 170 0 | 146 0 |

(ii) Workers employed on vehicles authorised for the carriage of abnormal indivisible loads as defined in the Motor Vehicles (Authorisation of Special Types) General Order, 1955(a):—

| Carrying capacity of vehicle (as defined in paragraph 25) | London area (as defined in paragraph 40) | | Grade 1 and 2 areas (as defined in paragraph 40) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Drivers | Mates | Drivers | Mates |
| | Per week | | Per week | |
| | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d. |
| Over 16 tons and up to and including 20 tons | 180 0 | 151 0 | 176 0 | 148 0 |
| Over 20 tons and up to and including 25 tons | 185 0 | 155 0 | 181 0 | 152 0 |
| Over 25 tons and up to and including 45 tons | 190 0 | 155 0 | 186 0 | 152 0 |
| Over 45 tons ... ... ... ... ... | 215 0 | 155 0 | 211 0 | 152 0 |
| | Per week | | Per week | |
| | s. d. | | s. d. | |
| Heavy brakesman and steersman (as defined in paragraph 32) ... ... ... ... | 165 0 | | 162 0 | |

A worker who on any day is employed in the circumstances specified in this sub-paragraph shall be paid at the rate appropriate to the vehicle for all hours worked by him on that day notwithstanding that he may be employed on other work during some part of that day.

(a) S.I. 1955/1038 (1955 II, p. 2224).

(*d*) Workers temporarily transferred.—A worker who is temporarily transferred away from his normal home depot and stationed in another locality (beyond reasonable daily travelling distance from his home) for more than one week shall be paid the rates of wages appropriate to the locality in which his normal home depot is situated, to the new locality to which he has been stationed, or in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 3 ('Vehicles loaded or unloaded in higher graded places') whichever is the most favourable to the worker.

(*e*) Milk workers—Sunday work.—A milk worker (as defined in paragraph 34) shall be paid time-and-a-half for seven hours twenty minutes for any time worked or deemed to have been worked not exceeding seven hours twenty minutes on Sunday not being the worker's normal day of rest and, thereafter, in accordance with paragraph 13 (*b*)."

**2. for paragraph 11 (which relates to Subsistence) there were substituted the following paragraph :—**

" Subsistence

11.—(*a*) When a worker's period of rest occurs away from his home depot he shall be paid *15s. 0d.* in respect of each period of rest not exceeding 15 hours' continuous duration. When any such period of rest exceeds 15 hours the worker shall be deemed to be on duty and shall be entitled to be paid (in addition to the *15s. 0d.*) at the time rate which would be payable if he were actually at work for the period he is resting in excess of 15 hours but not in excess of 24 hours or 23 hours according to whether he is a five- or six-day worker. If the period of rest exceeds 24 or 23 hours, as the case may be, these arrangements will continue to apply until the worker resumes actual duty.

(*b*) Notwithstanding the provisions of sub-paragraph (*a*) of this paragraph the following provisions shall apply in the case of a worker who is temporarily transferred away from his normal home depot and stationed in another locality (beyond reasonable daily travelling distance from his home) for more than one week :—

(i) After payment in respect of the first week in accordance with the provisions of sub-paragraph (*a*) of this paragraph a worker shall, in respect of the second and subsequent weeks, be paid a weekly subsistence allowance of *70s. 0d.* (i.e., *10s. 0d.* per day) ;

(ii) If a worker already on temporary transfer is temporarily transferred to another new station beyond reasonable daily travelling distance from his home he shall (after payment in respect of the first week at such other new station in accordance with sub-paragraph (*a*) of this paragraph) be paid, in respect of the second and subsequent weeks, a weekly subsistence allowance of *70s. 0d.* (i.e., *10s. 0d.* per day) ;

(iii) For any period of rest occurring away from a new station and from his home, he shall be paid in accordance with the provisions of sub-paragraph (*a*) of this paragraph and, in respect of any day for which payment is made to the worker under the provisions of that sub-paragraph, the subsistence allowances of *10s. 0d.* per day (specified in (i) and (ii) above) shall be reduced to *6s. 9d.* per day."

**3. in paragraph 40 there were included in the Table of Grade 1 areas for England and Wales the following :—**

| Locality | Local Authority |
|---|---|
| *Dursley* ... ... ... ... ... ... | *RD* |

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which has effect from the 16th April, 1956, amends the Road Haulage Wages Council Wages Regulation Order, 1955 (Order R.H. (54)), by increasing the statutory minimum remuneration fixed by that Order, and by adding the Rural District of Dursley to the list of Grade 1 areas.

New provisions are printed in italics.

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## 1956 No. 1360

# The Wages Regulation (Road Haulage) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1956

*Made* - - - - *28th August*, 1956
*Coming into Operation* *12th September*, 1956

Whereas the Minister of Labour and National Service (hereafter in this Order referred to as "the Minister") has received from the Road Haulage Wages Council the wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto;

Now, therefore, the Minister, by virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 10 of the Wages Councils Act, 1945(**a**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

**1.** This Order may be cited as the Wages Regulation (Road Haulage) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1956.

**2.**—(1) In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 12th day of September, 1956, 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 the wages are paid, the expression "the specified date" means, as respects that worker, the beginning of the next such period following that date.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(**b**), applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

**3.** The wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto shall have effect as from the specified date.

Signed by order of the Minister of Labour and National Service this 28th day of August, 1956.

*Mary Smieton,*
Deputy Secretary,
Ministry of Labour and National Service.

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(a) 8 & 9 Geo. 6. c. 17. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.