1965. No. 190 **[NC]**

WAGES COUNCILS

Wages Regulation (Rope, Twine and Net)

ORDER, DATED 20TH SEPTEMBER, 1965, 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 Rope, Twine and Net Wages Council (Northern Ireland):—

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Rope, Twine and Net Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1965.

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 Rope, Twine and Net Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1964(b) shall cease to have effect.

Interpretation

3. In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 28th day of September, 1965, 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.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 20th day of September, 1965.

(L.S.)

W. Slinger,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1945. c 21.

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964, No. 95.

SCHEDULE

Statutory Minimum Remuneration

The Rope, Twine and Net Wages Regulation Order (Northern Ireland) 1961(a) (Order N.I.R. (78)), as amended by the Rope, Twine and Net Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1964 (Order N.I.R. (84)) shall have effect as if in the Schedule thereto for paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 there were substituted the following paragraphs—

"GENERAL MINIMUM TIME RATES AND PIECE WORK BASIS TIME RATES

Male Workers	Area A — Workers employed in the area of the County of the City of Belfast and in districts situate within a radius of 15 statute miles therefrom		Area B — Workers employed in areas other than that specified in Area A	
	General minimum time rates	Piece Work basis time rates	General minimum time rates	Piece Work basis time rates
Paragraph 1. Charge Hands. Hemp Hand Dressers. Rope Layers (Walk). Sett Weighers (Rope and Binder Twine). Splicers.	Per hour	Per hour	Per hour	Per hour
Workers aged—	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
21 years and over	4 7¼	4 8¼	4 6½	4 7¾
20 and under 21 years	3 7½		3 7	
19 „ 20 „	3 4¾		3 3¾	
18 „ 19 „	3 3¼		3 2½	
17 „ 18 „	2 4½		2 4¼	
16 „ 17 „	2 0½		2 0½	
under 16 years	1 7¾		1 7¾	
Paragraph 2. Bull Hacklers (Hard Fibre Men). Hemp Cutters or Piecers-out. Rope Layers (House Machines).				
Workers aged—				
21 years and over	4 6¾	4 7¾	4 [illegible]	4 7
20 and under 21 years	3 7½		3 7	
19 „ 20 „	3 4¾		3 3¾	
18 „ 19 „	3 3¼		3 2½	
17 „ 18 „	2 4½		2 4¼	
16 „ 17 „	2 0½		2 0½	
under 16 years	1 7¾		1 7¾	
Paragraph 3. Hand Spinners. Hand Rope Makers (Walk).				
Workers aged—				
21 years and over	4 6¼	4 7¼	4 5¾	4 6¾
20 and under 21 years	3 7½		3 7	
19 „ 20 „	3 4¾		3 3¾	
18 „ 19 „	3 3¼		3 2½	
17 „ 18 „	2 4½		2 4¼	
16 „ 17 „	2 0½		2 0½	
under 16 years	1 7¾		1 7¾	

(a) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1961, No. 182.

MALE WORKERS (continued)	AREA A — Workers employed in the area of the County of the City of Belfast and in districts situate within a radius of 15 statute miles therefrom		AREA B — Workers employed in areas other than that specified in Area A	
	General minimum time rates	Piece Work basis time rates	General minimum time rates	Piece Work basis time rates
	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.
Paragraph 4.				
Batchers (Rope and Binder Twine). Beatsters. Binder Twine Balers or Baggers. Bobbin Boys.				
Hackling Machine Attendants (Soft Fibres). Hemp Softeners. Labourers.				
Line and Cord Makers, including Jack Minders.				
Lanyard Makers. Line Reelers (Walk). Drum Finishers or Polishers and Halter Makers.				
Oilers. Packers. Rope Followers. Strand Formers (House Machines). Storemen. Tarrers. Warehousemen.				
All other male workers not specified in paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 5 and 6 or in this paragraph.				
Workers aged—				
21 years and over	4 6	4 7	4 5½	4 6½
20 and under 21 years	3 7½		3 7	
19 „ 20 „	3 4¾		3 3¾	
18 „ 19 „	3 3¼		3 2½	
17 „ 18 „	2 4½		2 4¼	
16 „ 17 „	2 0½		2 0½	
under 16 years	1 7¾		1 7¾	
Paragraph 5.				
Hand Machine Net Weavers. Hand Machine Net Braiders.				
Workers aged—				
21 years and over	4 6	4 7½	4 5½	4 7
20 and under 21 years	3 7		3 6½	
19 „ 20 „	3 4¾		3 3¾	
18 „ 19 „	3 2½		3 1¾	
17 „ 18 „	2 4		2 3¾	
16 „ 17 „	2 0½		2 0½	
under 16 years	1 7¾		1 7¾	

	Area A		Area B	
	Workers employed in the area of the County of the City of Belfast and in districts situate within a radius of 15 statute miles therefrom		Workers employed in areas other than that specified in Area A	
Male Workers (continued)	General minimum time rates	Piece work basis time rates	General minimum time rates	Piece Work basis time rates
	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.
Paragraph 6. Needle Fillers. Net Examiners. Net Minders or Net Fixers. Net Mounters or Trimmers. Power Machine Net Weavers or Braiders. Ransackers (Fishing Nets). Semi-Power Machine Netting Weavers or Braiders. All other male workers in the Net Section of the trade not specified in paragraph 5 or in this paragraph.				
Workers aged—				
21 years and over	4 5½	4 7	4 5	4 6½
20 and under 21 years ..	3 6¾		3 6¼	
19 „ 20 „ ..	3 4½		3 3¾	
18 „ 19 „ ..	3 2½		3 1½	
17 „ 18 „ ..	2 4		2 3¾	
16 „ 17 „ ..	2 0½		2 0½	
under 16 years	1 7¼		1 7¾	
Female Workers				
Paragraph 7. Workers of 18 years of age or over of the following classes:—				
(a) Piecers-out (Soft Fibres)	3 4	3 4½	3 3¼	3 3¾
(b) House Machine Minders. Sample Makers	3 3¾	3 4¼	3 3	3 3½
(c) Reelers. Warpers ..	3 3¾	3 4	3 3	3 3½
(d) Ballers. Carders. Cop-winders. Drawers. Leeson Roll Winders. Parcellers. Piecers. Plaiters. Plaiting Winders. Polishers. Rovers. Scourers. Spinners. Spoolers. Spreaders. Twisters. Winders	3 3½	3 3¾	3 2¾	3 3¼
(e) Hemp Openers	3 3	3 3¼	3 2¼	3 2¾
(f) Layers	3 1¾	3 2¼	3 1¼	3 1¾
(g) Net Making Machine Operators	3 3¾	3 4½	3 3	3 4
(h) Hand Braiders (Nets). Net Examiners	3 3	3 3¾	3 2¼	3 3¼

FEMALE WORKERS (continued)	AREA A — Workers employed in the area of the County of the City of Belfast and in districts situate within a radius of 15 statute miles therefrom		AREA B — Workers employed in areas other than that specified in Area A	
	General minimum time rates	Piece Work basis time rates	General minimum time rates	Piece Work basis time rates
	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.
Paragraph 8.				
All other female workers of 18 years of age or over not specified in paragraph 7 ..	*3 1¾*	*3 2¼*	*3 1¼*	*3 1¾*
Paragraph 9.				
Workers under 18 years of age—				
Workers aged—				
17 and under 18 years ..	*2 4½*	—	*2 4*	—
16 „ 17 „ ..	*2 1½*	—	*2 1*	—
under 16 years	*1 10*	—	*1 9½*	— "

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 28th September, 1965, amends the Rope, Twine and Net Wages Regulation Order (Northern Ireland) 1961 (Order N.I.R. (78)), as amended by the Rope, Twine and Net Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1964 (Order N.I.R. (84)) by increasing the statutory minimum remuneration fixed by those Orders.

Order N.I.R. (84) is revoked.

New provisions in the Schedule are printed in italics.