1968. No. 151 **[C]**

SELECTIVE EMPLOYMENT PAYMENTS

Variation Order 1968

ORDER*, DATED 5TH JUNE 1968, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, WITH THE CONSENT OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, UNDER SECTION 10(1) OF THE SELECTIVE EMPLOYMENT PAYMENTS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1966.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, with the consent of the Ministry of Finance, in exercise of powers conferred by section 10(1) of the Selective Employment Payments Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(**a**), and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Selective Employment Payments Variation Order (Northern Ireland) 1968 and shall come into operation on 5th August 1968.

(2) In this order—

"the Act" means the Selective Employment Payments Act (Northern Ireland) 1966;

"knackery" has the meaning assigned to it in section 12(3) of the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland) 1958(**b**);

the expression "slaughter-house" shall apply only to premises licensed as a slaughter-house under section 1 of the Slaughter-houses Act (Northern Ireland) 1953(**c**).

Additions to employments to which section 1 of the Act applies

2. Section 1 of the Act (which specifies employments as respects which an employer is entitled to selective employment premium) shall have effect as if to subsection (2)(*a*) thereof there were added the following:

"(iv) testing manufactured products carried on for the manufacturer for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not they conform to a standard laid down in any statutory provision;

(v) slaughtering animals in a knackery or slaughter-house."

Removal from employments to which section 2 of the Act applies

3. Section 2 of the Act shall not apply to employment by a charity.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 5th day of June 1968.

(L.S.)

H. A. Lowry,
Assistant Secretary.

(**a**) 1966. c. 32 (N.I.).
(**b**) 1958. c. 27.
(**c**) 1953. c. 21.

*This order was affirmed by a Resolution of each House of Parliament on 27th June 1968.

The Ministry of Finance hereby consents to the foregoing order.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 5th day of June 1968.

(L.S.) *James Reid,*
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This order adds to the employments which may be eligible for payments under section 1 of the Selective Employment Payments Act (Northern Ireland) 1966, employments in establishments engaged in certain activities relating to statutory testing, and to the slaughtering of animals.

The order also removes from section 2 employment by charities. Charities are eligible for refund under section 6.