1957 No. 1623

The Wages Regulation (General Waste Materials Reclamation) (Amendment) Order, 1957

Made - - - - 12*th September*, 1957
Coming into Operation 27*th September*, 1957

Whereas the Minister of Labour and National Service (hereafter in this Order referred to as " the Minister ") has received from the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Council (Great Britain) 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 (General Waste Materials Reclamation) (Amendment) Order, 1957.

2.—(1) In this Order the expression " the specified date " means the 27th day of September, 1957, 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 and as from that date the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Council (Great Britain) Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1956(c), shall cease to have effect.

Signed by order of the Minister of Labour and National Service this 12th day of September, 1957.

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

(a) 8 & 9 Geo. 6. c. 17. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(c) S.I. 1956/345 (1956 II, p. 2608).

SCHEDULE

STATUTORY MINIMUM REMUNERATION

The General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Council (Great Britain) Wages Regulation Order, 1954(a) (Order D.B.(48)) shall have effect as if in the Schedule thereto for paragraphs 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 there were substituted the following paragraphs:—

"MALE WORKERS

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME RATES

2. The general minimum time rates payable to male workers employed in any section of the trade are:—

	Per hour s.	d.
Workers aged under 16 years	1	1
" " 16 and under 17 years	1	5
" " 17 " " 18 "	1	8½
" " 18 " " 19 "	2	2
" " 19 " " 20 "	2	7
" " 20 " " 21 "	2	11½
" " 21 years or over	3	1½

PART III

FEMALE WORKERS

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME RATES

3. Subject to the provisions of paragraphs 4 and 9 of this Schedule, the general minimum time rates payable to female workers employed—

(a) wholly or mainly on one or more of the operations of the sorting or grading of either woollen rags or woollen and worsted waste materials, or of both such rags and materials, to shade or quality or to both shade and quality, or

(b) in receiving, stripping, packing, compressing, teagling, craning, despatching or warehousing, when carried on in, or in association with, or in conjunction with, any establishment or department in which the sorting or grading of either woollen rags or woollen and worsted waste materials, or of both such rags and materials, to shade or quality or to both shade and quality, constitutes the sole or main work of the establishment or department,

are as follows:—

	Per hour s.	d.
Workers aged under 16 years	1	1
" " 16 and under 16½ years	1	4½
" " 16½ " " 17 "	1	9½
" " 17 " " 17½ "	1	10½
" " 17½ " " 18 "	2	2½
" " 18 years or over	2	3½

4. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 3 of this Schedule, where a worker is employed for the first time after reaching the age of 18 years on any work therein mentioned and her employer causes her to be well and sufficiently instructed in the sorting and grading of woollen rags or woollen and worsted waste materials or of both such rags and materials, to shade

(a) S.I. 1954/1696 (1954 II, p. 2569).

or quality or to both shade and quality, the general minimum time rate payable during the periods following shall be:—

	Per hour s.	d.
(a) during the first three months of such employment ...	*2*	*1½*
(b) during the second three months of such employment ...	*2*	*2*

5. Subject to the provisions of paragraphs 6 and 9 of this Schedule, the general minimum time rates payable to female workers other than the workers specified in paragraph 3 or paragraph 4 of this Schedule are as follows:—

	Per hour s.	d.
Workers aged under 16 years	*1*	*1*
„ „ 16 and under 16½ years	*1*	*3½*
„ „ 16½ „ „ 17 „	*1*	*8*
„ „ 17 „ „ 17½ „	*1*	*9*
„ „ 17½ „ „ 18 „	*2*	*1*
„ „ 18 years or over	*2*	*2*

6. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 5 of this Schedule, where a worker is employed for the first time after reaching the age of 18 years and her employer causes her to be well and sufficiently instructed in the sorting and grading of waste paper, rags and paper-making materials, or of paper-making materials, the general minimum time rate payable during the periods following shall be:—

	Per hour s.	d.
(a) during the first three months of such employment ...	*2*	*0*
(b) during the second three months of such employment ...	*2*	*0½*

PIECE WORK BASIS TIME RATES

7. The following piece work basis time rates are applicable to female workers employed on piece work:—

	Per hour s.	d.
(a) the workers specified in paragraph 3 or paragraph 4 of this Schedule	*2*	*4½*
(b) all other workers	*2*	*3"*

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which has effect from 27th September, 1957, amends the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Council (Great Britain) Wages Regulation Order, 1954 (Order D.B.(48)), as amended by the General Waste Materials Reclamation Wages Council (Great Britain) Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1956 (Order D.B.(50)), by increasing the statutory minimum remuneration fixed by those Orders. Order D.B.(50) is revoked.

New provisions are printed in italics.