STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 1697

WAGES COUNCILS

The Wages Regulation (Licensed Non-residential Establishment) (Amendment) Order 1974

Made - - - 14*th October* 1974

Coming into Operation 5*th November* 1974

Whereas the Secretary of State has received from the Licensed Non-residential Establishment Wages Council the wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto;

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State in exercise of powers conferred by section 11 of the Wages Councils Act 1959(**a**), and now vested in him (**b**), 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 (Licensed Non-residential Establishment) (Amendment) Order 1974.

2.—(1) In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 5th November 1974, 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(**c**) shall apply 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 Secretary of State.
14th October 1974.

D. J. Derx,
Deputy Secretary,
Department of Employment.

(**a**) 1959 c. 69.
(**b**) S.I. 1959/1769, 1968/729 (1959 I, p. 1795; 1968 II, p. 2108).
(**c**) 1889 c. 63.

Article 3

SCHEDULE

The Wages Regulation (Licensed Non-residential Establishment) Order 1974(a) (Order L.N.R. (101)), shall have effect as if in the Schedule thereto:—

after paragraph 1 there were inserted the following additional paragraph:—

"COST OF LIVING PAYMENT

1A.—(1) In addition to the minimum remuneration specified in paragraph 1 of this Schedule, additional remuneration, hereinafter referred to as the 'cost of living payment', shall, in accordance with this paragraph, be payable to all workers to whom that paragraph applies.

(2) (a) The cost of living payment in respect of each complete pay week shall be:—

(i) £2·80 in the case of a regular worker as defined in paragraph 19 of this Schedule;

(ii) 7p multiplied by the number of hours normally worked by him in a week in the case of a worker to whom the proviso to paragraph 3(2) of this Schedule applies;

(iii) 7p multiplied by the number of hours worked (excluding overtime) by him in the relevant week in the case of a worker other than a worker to whom (a)(i) or (a)(ii) of this sub-paragraph applies;

(b) up to and including 15th November 1974, for each increase of 1·85 points above 209·5 in the Retail Price Index figure published by the Department of Employment, the cost of living payment in respect of each complete pay week under (a) of this sub-paragraph shall be increased by:—

(i) 40p in the case of a worker to whom (a)(i) of this sub-paragraph applies;

(ii) 1p multiplied by the number of hours normally worked by him in a week in the case of a worker to whom (a)(ii) of this sub-paragraph applies;

(iii) 1p multiplied by the number of hours (excluding overtime) worked by him in a week in the case of a worker to whom (a)(iii) of this sub-paragraph applies;

and the payments referred to in this sub-paragraph shall be payable from the first complete pay week following the publication of such Retail Price Index figure.

(3) On and after 16th November 1974, the cost of living payment to be payable under this paragraph shall be that which was payable in respect of the last complete pay week before that date.

(4) The cost of living payment shall not be treated as part of the minimum weekly remuneration for the purpose of calculating payment for overtime under paragraph 4 of this Schedule.

(5) Where, under the provisions of this paragraph, a cost of living payment is payable to a worker who is supplied by his employer with board, meals or lodging such payment shall be reduced in the following manner, that is to say, by:—

(a) S.I. 1974/11 (1974 I, p. 24).

(*i*) *25p for each 40p of such payment in the case of a worker who is supplied with full board and lodging;*

(*ii*) *5p, 10p or 15p respectively for each 40p of such payment in the case of a worker who is supplied with one, two or three meals per day;*

(*iii*) *10p for each 40p of such payment in the case of a worker who is supplied with lodging but no meals.*"

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Order.*)

This Order, which has effect from 5th November 1974, amends the Wages Regulation (Licensed Non-residential Establishment) Order 1974 (Order L.N.R. (101)) by providing for cost of living payments to be made to workers in relation to whom the Licensed Non-residential Establishment Wages Council operates.

New provisions are printed in italics.

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