1966 No. 19

WAGES COUNCILS

The Wages Regulation (Rope, Twine and Net) (Amendment) Order 1966

Made - - -	11*th January* 1966
Coming into Operation	28*th January* 1966

Whereas the Minister of Labour (hereafter in this Order referred to as " the Minister ") has received from the Rope, Twine and Net 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 11 of the Wages Councils Act 1959(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 (Rope, Twine and Net) (Amendment) Order 1966.

2.—(1) In this Order the expression " the specified date " means the 28th January 1966, 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) 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 Minister of Labour.

11th January 1966.

L. J. Dunnett,
Secretary,
Ministry of Labour.

SCHEDULE

Statutory Minimum Remuneration

The Wages Regulation (Rope, Twine and Net) Order 1965(c) (Order R. (144)) shall have effect as if in Schedule I thereto:—

(a) 7 & 8 Eliz. 2. c. 69.
(b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(c) S.I. 1965/1423 (1965 II, p. 4213).

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

"1. The minimum remuneration payable to a worker to whom this Schedule applies for all work except work to which a minimum overtime rate applies under Part IV of this Schedule is:—

(1) in the case of a time worker, the general minimum time rate payable to the worker under Part II or Part III of this Schedule;

(2) in the case of a worker employed on piece work—

(*a*) where a general minimum piece rate applies under Part II of this Schedule, that piece rate increased *by 19 per cent. up to and including 31st August 1966 and thereafter by 22 per cent.*, or

(*b*) where no general minimum piece rate applies, piece rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker at least the same amount of money as the piece work basis time rate applicable to the worker under Part II or Part III of this Schedule."

2. for paragraph 4 there were substituted the following paragraph:—

" GENERAL MINIMUM TIME RATES AND PIECE WORK BASIS TIME RATES

4. The general minimum time rates payable to the male or female workers specified in Column 1 of the next following Table are the rates set out in Column 2 and the piece work basis time rates applicable to such workers, when employed on piece work with the materials specified in Column 3 or 4 as the case may be, are the rates set out in Column 3 or 4 respectively.

	General minimum time rates		Piece work basis time rates			
			Fibres other than man-made fibres of continuous filament		Man-made fibres of continuous filament	
Column 1	Column 2		Column 3		Column 4	
	Up to and including 31st August 1966	*On and after 1st September 1966*	*Up to and including 31st August 1966*	*On and after 1st September 1966*	*Up to and including 31st August 1966*	*On and after 1st September 1966*
	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.
MALE WORKERS OTHER THAN SHIFT WORKERS (including home-workers) being aged—						
21 years or over	*4 7½*	*4 9*				
20 and under 21 years	*4 4½*	*4 5½*				
19 " " 20 "	*3 10*	*3 11½*				
18 " " 19 "	*3 6½*	*3 7½*	*4 8½*	*4 10½*		
17 " " 18 "	*2 10*	*2 11½*				
16 " " 17 "	*2 4*	*2 4½*				
under 16 years	*1 10½*	*1 11*				

	General minimum time rates		Piece work basis time rates			
			Fibres other than man-made fibres of continuous filament		Man-made fibres of continuous filament	
Column 1	Column 2		Column 3		Column 4	
	Up to and including 31st August 1966	*On and after 1st September 1966*	*Up to and including 31st August 1966*	*On and after 1st September 1966*	*Up to and including 31st August 1966*	*On and after 1st September 1966*
	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.
FEMALE WORKERS OTHER THAN SHIFT WORKERS (including home-workers) being aged—						
18 years or over	*3 4½*	*3 6*				
17½ and under 18 years	*2 10½*	*2 11½*				
17 „ „ 17½ „	*2 6*	*2 7*	*3 5½*	*3 7*	*3 10½*	*4 0*
16½ „ „ 17 „	*2 3½*	*2 4½*				
16 „ „ 16½ „	*1 11½*	*2 0½*				
under 16 years	*1 10½*	*1 11*				
MALE SHIFT WORKERS, WHEN EMPLOYED ON DAY SHIFTS, being aged—						
21 years or over	*5 2*	*5 3½*				
20 and under 21 years	*4 10½*	*5 0½*				
19 „ „ 20 „	*4 3½*	*4 5½*	*5 3½*	*5 5½*		
18 „ „ 19 „	*3 11½*	*4 1*				
17 „ „ 18 „	*3 2½*	*3 3½*				
16 „ „ 17 „	*2 7½*	*2 8½*				
FEMALE SHIFT WORKERS, WHEN EMPLOYED ON DAY SHIFTS, being aged—						
18 years or over	*3 9½*	*3 11½*				
17½ and under 18 years	*3 2½*	*3 4*				
17 „ „ 17½ „	*2 9½*	*2 10½*	*3 10½*	*4 0*	*4 4*	*4 5½*
16½ „ „ 17 „	*2 6½*	*2 7½*				
16 „ „ 16½ „	*2 2½*	*2 3½*				
MALE SHIFT WORKERS, WHEN EMPLOYED ON NIGHT SHIFTS, being aged—						
21 years or over	*5 5½*	*5 7½*				
20 and under 21 years	*5 2*	*5 3½*				
19 „ „ 20 „	*4 6½*	*4 8½*	*5 7½*	*5 9½*		
18 „ „ 19 „	*4 2½*	*4 4*				

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3. for paragraph 12 there were substituted the following paragraph:—

" GENERAL MINIMUM TIME RATES AND PIECE WORK BASIS TIME RATES

12. The general minimum time rates payable to the male or female workers specified in Column 1 of the next following Table are the rates set out in Column 2 and the piece work basis time rates applicable to such workers when employed on piece work are the rates set out in Column 3:—

	General minimum time rates		Piece work basis time rates	
Column 1	Column 2		Column 3	
	Up to and including 31st August 1966	*On and after 1st September 1966*	*Up to and including 31st August 1966*	*On and after 1st September 1966*
	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.	Per hour s. d.
MALE WORKERS OTHER THAN SHIFT WORKERS (including home-workers) being aged—				
21 years or over	*4 7½*	*4 9½*		
20 and under 21 years	*4 4½*	*4 6½*		
19 " " 20 "	*3 10½*	*4 0*		
18 " " 19 "	*3 6½*	*3 7½*	*4 9*	*4 10½*
17 " " 18 "	*2 10*	*2 11½*		
16 " " 17 "	*2 4*	*2 4½*		
under 16 years	*1 10½*	*1 11*		
FEMALE WORKERS OTHER THAN SHIFT WORKERS (including home-workers) being aged—				
18 years or over	*3 5½*	*3 6½*		
17½ and under 18 years	*2 10½*	*2 11½*		
17 " " 17½ "	*2 6*	*2 7*		
16½ " " 17 "	*2 3½*	*2 4½*	*3 5½*	*3 7½*
16 " " 16½ "	*1 11½*	*2 0½*		
under 16 years	*1 10½*	*1 11*		
MALE SHIFT WORKERS, WHEN EMPLOYED ON DAY SHIFTS, being aged—				
21 years or over	*5 2½*	*5 4½*		
20 and under 21 years	*4 10½*	*5 0½*		
19 " " 20 "	*4 4½*	*4 5½*	*5 3½*	*5 5½*
18 " " 19 "	*3 11½*	*4 1*		
17 " " 18 "	*3 2½*	*3 3½*		
16 " " 17 "	*2 7½*	*2 8½*		
FEMALE SHIFT WORKERS, WHEN EMPLOYED ON DAY SHIFTS, being aged—				
18 years or over	*3 10½*	*3 11½*		
17½ and under 18 years	*3 2½*	*3 4*		
17 " " 17½ "	*2 9½*	*2 10½*	*3 10½*	*4 0½*
16½ " " 17 "	*2 6½*	*2 7½*		
16 " " 16½ "	*2 2½*	*2 3½*		
MALE SHIFT WORKERS, WHEN EMPLOYED ON NIGHT SHIFTS, being aged—				
21 years or over	*5 6½*	*5 8½*		
20 and under 21 years	*5 2½*	*5 4½*	*5 7½*	*5 9½* "
19 " " 20 "	*4 7½*	*4 9*		
18 " " 19 "	*4 2½*	*4 4*		

4. for paragraph 14 there were substituted the following paragraph:—

" MINIMUM OVERTIME RATES

14. *Subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph (3) of this paragraph, minimum overtime rates are payable to any worker to whom this Part of this Schedule applies as follows:—*

(1) Up to and including 31st August 1966

(a) on any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or a customary holiday—

(i) for the first two hours worked in excess of 8¼ hours .. .. *time-and-a-quarter*

(ii) thereafter .. .. *time-and-a-half*

(b) on a Saturday, not being a customary holiday—

(i) for the first two hours worked .. .. *time-and-a-quarter*

(ii) thereafter .. .. *time-and-a-half*

(c) on a Sunday or a customary holiday—

for all time worked .. .. *double time*

(2) *On or after 1st September 1966*

(a) on any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or a customary holiday—

(i) for the first two hours worked in excess of 8 hours .. .. *time-and-a-quarter*

(ii) thereafter .. .. *time-and-a-half*

(b) on a Saturday, not being a customary holiday—

(i) for the first two hours worked .. .. *time-and-a-quarter*

(ii) thereafter .. .. *time-and-a-half*

(c) on a Sunday or a customary holiday—

for all time worked .. .. *double time*

(3) Where the employer and the worker by agreement in writing fix in respect of each weekday the number of hours after which a minimum overtime rate shall be payable and the total number of such hours amounts *to 41¼ weekly up to and including 31st August 1966 and thereafter to 40 weekly*, the following minimum overtime rates shall be payable in substitution for those set out in sub-paragraphs *(1) and (2)* of this paragraph:—

(a) on any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or a customary holiday—

(i) for the first two hours worked in excess of the agreed number of hours .. .. time-and-a-quarter

(ii) thereafter .. .. time-and-a-half

(b) on a Saturday, not being a customary holiday—

for all time worked in excess of the agreed number of hours .. .. time-and-a-half

Provided that where the said agreement provides that Saturday shall not normally be a working day, the following minimum overtime rates shall apply—

(i) for the first two hours worked .. .. time-and-a-quarter

(ii) thereafter .. .. time-and-a-half

(c) on a Sunday or a customary holiday—

for all time worked .. .. double time "

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order, which has effect from 28th January 1966, amends Schedule I to the Wages Regulation (Rope, Twine and Net) Order 1965 (Order R. (144)), by reducing the number of hours to be worked before overtime is payable.

New provisions are printed in italics.