

1979 No. 360

WAGES COUNCILS

**Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation
(Second Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979***Made* 21st September 1979*Coming into operation* 1st October 1979

The Department of Manpower Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 10 of the Wages Councils Act (Northern Ireland) 1945(a), and now vested in it(b), hereby makes the following Order to give effect to wages regulation proposals received from the Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Council (Northern Ireland).

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (Second Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979.

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 Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979(c) shall cease to have effect.

Interpretation

3. In this Order the expression "the specified date" means 1st October 1979, 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 Department of Manpower Services on
21st September 1979.

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J. S. Crozier

Senior Assistant Secretary

(a) 1945 c. 21 (N.I.)

(b) 1946 c. 11 (N.I.); S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964 No. 205 (p. 937) and S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 Art. 6(1) and Sch. 3 (II, p. 2992)

(c) S.R. 1979 No. 95

SCHEDULE

Statutory Minimum Remuneration for Workers Employed in the Retail Bespoke Branch of the Trade

The Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976(d) (Order N.I.W.D. 161)) as amended by the Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1978(e) (Order N.I.W.D. (169)) and the Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (Amendment No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979 (Order N.I.W.D. (173)) shall have effect as if in the Schedule thereto for paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 there was substituted the following:—

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME RATES

	ALL AREAS Per hour
Paragraph 1.	
WORKERS who	p
(a) have had not less than two years' experience after <i>training</i> in the Retail Bespoke Dressmaking Branch of the trade (as defined in paragraph 18) and	
(b) who are employed as "fully qualified" Bodice, Skirt, Gown or Blouse Hands (as defined in paragraph 14)	105
Paragraph 2.	
WORKERS (including Out-workers as defined in paragraph 16) other than workers of the classes specified in paragraphs 1 and 3 ..	105
Paragraph 3.	
TRAINEES (as defined in paragraph 15):—	
Percentage of adult rate to be paid	
during 1st six months of employment	63%
during 2nd six months of employment	74%
during 2nd year of employment	86%

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 1st October 1979, amends the Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976 (Order N.I.W.D. 161)) as amended by the Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1978 (Order N.I.W.D. (169)) and the Dressmaking and Women's Light Clothing Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979 (Order N.I.W.D. (173)) by increasing the statutory minimum remuneration fixed by those Orders.

Order N.I.W.D. (173) is revoked.

New provisions in the Schedule are printed in italics.