or inspect copies thereof and who shall have given to the undertaking notice in writing of his desire so to do not less than seven days previously.

- 2.—Any obligation to publish any account, report or other document referred to in this Order (including any obligation to lay such document before either or both Houses of Parliament) which is imposed by or by virtue of any Act or other instrument determining the functions of the undertakers, is hereby suspended; and any other obligation or limitation so imposed is hereby relaxed so far as is necessary for compliance with the directions given by this Order.
- 3.—This Order may be cited as the Public Utility Undertakings (Prevention of Publications) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1941.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland this 27th day of November, 1941, in the presence of

D. A. E. Harkness, Assistant Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

Any of the following undertakings (including an undertaking carried on by a local authority) the carrying on of which is authorised by any Act (whether public general or local) or by any Order made under or confirmed by an Act—

Any undertaking for the supply of electricity;

Any canal, inland navigation, water transport, dock, harbour or pier undertaking.

## Undertakings (Restriction on Engagement).

ORDER, DATED 8TH APRIL, 1941, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER REGULATION 58A OF THE DEFENCE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1939.

1941. No. 90.

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry"), by virtue of the powers conferred on it by Regulation 58A of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, hereby makes the following Order:—

Short title and commencement. 1.—This Order may be cited as the Undertakings (Restriction on Engagement) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1941.

Engagement of agricultural workers

2.—(1) Subject as hereafter provided, an employer shall not seek to engage or engage any male worker whose normal employment is employment in agriculture or whose current unemployment book issued under the provisions of the Unemployment Insurance Acts (Northern Ireland), 1936 to 1940, bears the industry letters ZTF, ZTG, ZVN or ZVO, except for work in agriculture;

unless the worker is a person who has been submitted to the employer by an Employment Exchange as a person suitable for filling a vacancy previously notified by the employer to the Employment Exchange.

- (2) This Article shall not apply to the re-engagement of any person by an employer if the re-engagement of that person occurs—
  - (a) within a period of not more than fourteen consecutive days immediately following the day on which he was last employed by that employer or immediately following the end of a period of sickness if his engagement with that employer was terminated by reason of such sickness; or
  - (b) on his resumption of work on the termination of any stoppage of work due to a trade dispute where he ceased to be employed owing to such stoppage of work.
- 3.—Where the engagement or re-engagement of workers by em-Trade ployers is effected in accordance with arrangements made whether Unions. before or after the date of this Order between an employer or any organisation of employers and a trade union, being arrangements approved by the Ministry and in accordance with such directions, if any, as may be given by the Ministry with respect to the operation of the arrangements, the provisions of Article 2 of this Order shall not apply to the engagement or re-engagement.
- 4.—In this Order the following expression has the meaning hereby Interpreta-assigned to it:—
  - " agriculture " includes forestry and horticulture.
- 5.—The provisions of this Order shall come into force on the 14th Operation April, 1941.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 8th day of April, One thousand nine hundred and forty-one, in the presence of

(L.S.)

R. R. Bowman,

Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.