

Operations at Unfenced Machinery

REGULATIONS, DATED 24th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1946, MADE BY THE
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER SECTION 16
OF THE FACTORIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1938 (2 GEO. 6,
CH. 23).

1946. No. 167

WHEREAS the Ministry of Labour has made the Factories (Operations at Unfenced Machinery) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1939 (a) (hereinafter referred to as the "Principal Regulations");

AND WHEREAS the Principal Regulations were amended by the Factories (Operations at Unfenced Machinery—Amended Schedule) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1942 (b);

AND WHEREAS it is desirable further to amend the principal Regulations;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance by virtue of Section 16 of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland), 1938, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

Short title
and com-
mencement.

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Factories (Operations at Unfenced Machinery—Amended Schedule) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1946, and shall come into force on the date hereof and these Regulations and the principal Regulations may be cited together as the Factories (Operations at Unfenced Machinery) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1939 and 1946.

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(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889, applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The Factories (Operations at Unfenced Machinery—Amended Schedule) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1942 (b), are hereby revoked and the principal Regulations shall have effect as if for the Schedule thereto there were substituted the Schedule to these Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and
National Insurance for Northern Ireland this 24th day of
October, 1946, in the presence of

(L.S.)

F. C. S. Moore,

Assistant Secretary.

Stormont, Belfast.

(a) S. R. & O. of N.I., 1939, No. 73, p. 178.

(b) S. R. & O. of N.I., 1942, No. 200, p. 96.

SCHEDULE.

1. All processes in the manufacture of—
 - (a) paper or paper-board,
 - (b) viscose transparent paper or film,
 - (c) flour from wheat,
 - (d) provender and compound foodstuffs for animal feeding,
 - (e) sodium carbonate by the ammonia soda or Solvay Process,

or

 - (f) caustic soda by the ammonia soda or Solvay Process, or by continuous causticising.
2. All processes in the milling of cereals, seeds or nuts.
3. All processes in the extraction of oil or other similar products from cereals or seeds.
4. The filtering process in the manufacture of sulphate of ammonia.
5. The phosphate reaction pumping process in the manufacture of concentrated fertiliser.
6. The electrolytic process for the manufacture of caustic soda.
7. Any manufacturing process in which a mixture of nitric and sulphuric acids is employed and where risk of fire or explosion would arise if the transmission machinery were stopped.
8. The kier process in the manufacture of aluminium from bauxite.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

Section 16 of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland), 1938, makes special provision for the carrying out of lubrication or of mounting or shipping of belts in the case of any part of transmission machinery used in any processes specified in Regulations made under that Section. The above Regulations substitute a new Schedule of processes so specified in place of the Schedule to the Factories (Operations at Unfenced Machinery) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1939 and 1942. The new Schedule differs from the one it replaces in that a new process is added namely the kier process in the manufacture of aluminium from bauxite.

Woodworking : Amendment of Scope

SPECIAL REGULATIONS, DATED 15TH DAY OF MAY, 1946, MADE BY THE
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER SECTION
65 OF THE FACTORIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1938.

1946. No. 65

WHEREAS the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by Section 79 of the Factory & Workshop Act, 1901 (a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, made the Woodworking Machinery Regulations (Northern Ireland) (b) (hereinafter referred to as "the principal Regulations") with respect to the use of wood-working machinery in factories or parts thereof and in places to which the provisions of the said Section 79 were applied by that Act ;

AND WHEREAS the Ministry is satisfied that the use of woodworking machinery in factories and in other premises, places, processes, operations and works to which the provisions of Part IV of the Factories

(a) 1 EDW. 7. C. 22.

(b) S. R. & O. of N.I., 1922, No. 72 and S. R. & O. of N.I., 1927 No. 64.