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**THE REPORTS OF APPOINTED FACTORY DOCTORS ORDER
(NORTHERN IRELAND) 1968**

ORDER, DATED 18TH OCTOBER 1968, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER SECTION 151 OF THE FACTORIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND): 1965.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland in exercise of powers conferred by Section 151(6) of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(a) and of all other powers in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Reports of Appointed Factory Doctors Order (Northern Ireland) 1968 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1969.

(2) The Reports of Appointed Factory Doctors Order (Northern Ireland) 1967(b) is hereby revoked.

2. The report to the Ministry required by Section 151(6) of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 to be made each year by every Appointed Factory Doctor as to examinations made and other duties performed by him in pursuance of that Act shall be made during the month of January in each year in respect of the year ended on the immediately preceding 31st December and shall be in the form set out in the Schedule.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 18th day of October 1968.

(L.S.)

W. Slinger,
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

Article 2.
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To be forwarded to the Chief Inspector of Factories, Ministry of Health and Social Services,
Fermanagh House, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8GP, on or before 31st January.

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**ANNUAL REPORT OF APPOINTED FACTORY DOCTOR
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER.**

Form Prescribed by the Ministry of Health and Social Services for the purposes of Section 151(6) of the Factories Act
(Northern Ireland) 1965

Tables I and II to be completed by an Appointed Factory Doctor for a District and by an Appointed Factory Doctor appointed
to carry out medical examinations of young persons for particular works.

**Table I.—Examinations for Certificates of Fitness for Employment under the Factories Act
(Sections 99, 116 and 117 of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965)**

Young Persons presented as being between 15 and 18 years of age (Each examination of each young person to be counted)	Number of Certificates						Number of Rejections	
	Without Conditions		Conditional		Provisional		Male	Female
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
A FIRST EXAMINATION AFTER LEAVING SCHOOL for employment under the Factories Act								
B SUBSEQUENT examinations including annual and those due to change of employment and those following conditional or provisional certificates								
C Boys over 16 years of age for employment AT NIGHT		—	—	—	—	—		—
TOTAL								

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Table II.—Causes of Rejection. (Columns (8) and (9) of Table I only)

Part 1			Part 2			
Defect or Disease	Number		Defect or Disease	Number		
	Male	Female		Male	Female	
Malnutrition			Circulatory System: Heart			
Undersize			" " " Anaemia			
Deformity			Nervous System: Chorea			
Skin			" " Epilepsy			
Pediculosis			" " Mental defect			
Eyes: Refractive errors			" " Other			
Eyes: Other, or Eyelids			Bones and joints			
Mouth and teeth			Specific fevers			
Nose			Rheumatism			
Throat			Hernia			
Ears: Defective hearing			Other causes—specify			
" Other						
Glands						
Respiratory System: Tuberculosis						
" " Other						
Total Part I			Total Part 2			
			Grand Total Parts 1 and 2			

[Please insert Signature overleaf

Table III is to be completed by an Appointed Factory Doctor for a District or by a Doctor appointed or approved under Regulations

Table III
Particulars of examinations undertaken in accordance with Special Regulations, and Sections 74 and 126 of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965

	Examinations (Each examination of each worker to be counted)		Suspensions*		Rejections on first examination as unfit	Certificates permitting return to work after suspension
	Males	Females	Males	Females		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
DETAILS OF STATUTORY PERIODIC MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS						
(i) Under Special Regulations:—						
Chemicals						
(a) Nitro and amido processes						
(b) Chrome processes						
Carcinogenic substances						
Chromium Plating and Anodic Oxidation						
Diving Operations						
Electric Accumulators						
Heading of Yarn						
Ionising Radiations (Sealed Sources)						
Lead Compounds (Carbonate, etc.)		—				
Lead Smelting, etc.:						
(a) Smelting of lead		—				
(b) Making of flaked litharge		—				
(c) Making of red and orange lead		—				
Paint and Colour Works						

Pottery (Health and Welfare):

(a) Lead processes (see Part I of the Schedule to Regulations)—

- (i) Glaze and colour mixing —
- (ii) Dipping —
- (iii) Majolica painting, glaze-blowing —
- (iv) Ware cleaning, cranking, etc. —
- (v) Glostplacing, flow weighing, etc. —
- (vi) Ground laying, colour dusting —
- (vii) Colour blowing, etc. —
- (viii) Litho-transfer making —
- (ix) Other lead processes —

(b) Other processes:

- Carrying clay, etc.
- Wheel turning

Tinning of Hollow-ware, etc.

Vitreous Enamelling of Metal or Glass

Work in Compressed Air

(ii) Under S. 74 or S. 126 of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 (and not included above):—

Processes involving use of Lead Compounds

* Suspensions means suspensions of all descriptions (excluding initial rejections—see col. (6)) under Regulations made at the periodic examination or otherwise. They include therefore those occasioned by notice of poisoning received by the Appointed Factory Doctor unless the worker has been suspended already by a medical practitioner appointed under the Regulations for the factory concerned.

— Indicates an entry is not applicable.

Signature of Doctor

Date

Address (Private Residence)

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order prescribes the form of report required to be made each year by appointed factory doctors under the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 and the time at which the report is to be made.