

# Employment Protection (Consolidation) Act 1978

# **1978 CHAPTER 44**

## PART IX

#### MISCELLANEOUS AND SUPPLEMENTAL

## Supplementary provisions

## 148 Review of limits.

- (1) The Secretary of State shall in each calendar year review-
  - (a) the limits referred to in section 15;
  - (b) the limit referred to in section 122(5); and
  - (c) the limits imposed by paragraph 8(1) of Schedule 14 on the amount of a week's pay for the purposes of those provisions;

and shall determine whether any of those limits should be varied.

(2) In making a review under this section the Secretary of State shall consider—

- (a) the general level of earnings obtaining in Great Britain at the time of the review;
- (b) the national economic situation as a whole; and
- (c) such other matters as he thinks relevant.
- (3) If on a review under this section the Secretary of State determines that, having regard to the considerations mentioned in subsection (2), any of those limits should be varied, he shall prepare and lay before each House of Parliament the draft of an order giving effect to his decision.
- (4) Where a draft of an order under this section is approved by resolution of each House of Parliament the Secretary of State shall make an order in the form of the draft.

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- (5) If, following the completion of an annual review under this section, the Secretary of State determines that any of the limits referred to in subsection (1) shall not be varied, he shall lay before each House of Parliament a report containing a statement of his reasons for that determination.
- (6) The Secretary of State may at any time, in addition to the annual review provided for in subsection (1), conduct a further review of the limits mentioned in subsection (1) so as to determine whether any of those limits should be varied, and subsections (2) to (4) shall apply to such a review as if it were a review under subsection (1).

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