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WAGES COUNCILS

**The Boot and Floor Polish Wages Council (Great Britain)
(Abolition) Order 1974**

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>1st April 1974</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>10th April 1974</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	<i>13th May 1974</i>

Whereas the Secretary of State in accordance with section 4 of and Schedule 1 to the Wages Councils Act 1959(a) published notice of his intention to make an order abolishing the Boot and Floor Polish Wages Council (Great Britain):

And whereas no objection has been made with respect to the draft order referred to in the said notice:

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State in exercise of powers conferred by section 4(1)(b) of, and paragraph 4 of Schedule 1 to, the said Act and now vested in him (b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. The Boot and Floor Polish Wages Council (Great Britain) is hereby abolished.

2.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Boot and Floor Polish Wages Council (Great Britain) (Abolition) Order 1974 and shall come into operation on 13th May 1974.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Signed by order of the Secretary of State.

1st April 1974.

Harold Walker,

Joint Parliamentary Under Secretary of State,
Department of Employment.

(a) 1959 c. 69.

(b) S.I.1959/1769, 1968/729 (1959 I, p. 1795; 1968 II, p. 2108).

(c) 1889 c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order abolishes the Boot and Floor Polish Wages Council (Great Britain), which was established as a Trade Board under the Trade Boards Acts 1909 and 1918 (c. 22 and c. 32), and became a Wages Council by virtue of the Wages Councils Act 1945 (c. 17).

The abolition of the Council was recommended by the Commission on Industrial Relations on the grounds that the Council is no longer necessary in order to maintain adequate pay and conditions for the workers in the boot and floor polish industry.

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