STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1975 No. 646

WAGES COUNCILS

The Keg and Drum Wages Council (Great Britain) (Abolition) Order 1975

Made	16th April 1975
Laid before Parliament	25th April 1975
Coming into Operation	1st June 1975

Whereas following a report dated 31st July 1973 of the Commission on Industrial Relations made pursuant to section 6(2) of the Wages Councils Act 1959(a) as amended by the Industrial Relations Act 1971(b), which recommended the abolition of the Keg and Drum Wages Council (Great Britain), the Secretary of State has, in accordance with section 4 of, and Schedule 1 to, the said Act of 1959, published notice of his intention to make an order abolishing the said Wages Council:

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 of 1959, and now vested in him (c), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

- 1. The Keg and Drum Wages Council (Great Britain) is hereby abolished.
- 2.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Keg and Drum Wages Council (Great Britain) (Abolition) Order 1975 and shall come into operation on 1st June 1975.
- (2) The Interpretation Act 1889(d) 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.

16th April 1975.

Harold Walker,

Joint Parliamentary Under Secretary of State,
Department of Employment.

(a) 1959 c. 69. (b) 1971 c. 72. (c) S.I. 1959/1769, 1968/729 (1959 I, p. 1795; 1968 II, p. 2108).

(d) 1889 c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order abolishes the Keg and Drum Wages Council (Great Britain) which was established in 1928 as a Trade Board under the Trade Boards Act 1909 (c. 22). The Trade Board was converted into a Wages Council by the Wages Councils Act 1945 (c.17) and was continued in existence as such by the Wages Councils Act 1959.

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