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INDUSTRIAL ORGANISATION AND
DEVELOPMENTThe Hosiery and Knitwear Industry (Scientific Research
Levy) (Amendment) Order 1979*Laid before Parliament in draft**Made - - - 21st December 1979**Coming into Operation 1st January 1980*

Whereas the Secretary of State has consulted the organisations appearing to him to be representative of substantial numbers of persons carrying on business in the hosiery and knitwear industry and the organisations representative of persons employed in the industry appearing to him to be appropriate:

And whereas a draft of this Order has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Industrial Organisation and Development Act 1947(a) and now vested in him(b) hereby orders as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Hosiery and Knitwear Industry (Scientific Research Levy) (Amendment) Order 1979 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1980.

2. The Hosiery and Knitwear Industry (Scientific Research Levy) Order 1969(c) shall have effect as if—

- (a) in Article 4 after the words “in each year” there were inserted the words “up to and including 30th June 1982”; and
- (b) in the proviso to Article 5, in its application to any levy period beginning after 31st December 1979, for the amount “£5,000” there were substituted the amount “£250,000”.

David Mitchell,

Parliamentary Under Secretary of State,
Department of Industry.

21st December 1979.

(a) 1947 c. 40.

(b) S.I. 1970/1537.

(c) S.I. 1969/882.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order provides that scientific research levies under the Industrial Organisation and Development Act 1947 shall cease to be payable in the hosiery and knitwear industry in respect of any period after that ending on 30th June 1982, and from 1st January 1980 extends the exemption from liability to pay the levy to persons carrying on business in the industry having a chargeable turnover of not more than £250,000.

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