1. The provisions of the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) (No. 2) Regulations, 1921, shall cease to have effect as from the date of the making of these Regulations.

2. These Regulations may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1923, and may be read as one with the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) Regulations, 1920, the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) Regulations, 1921, and the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) (No. 2) Regulations, 1921 (in so far as those Regulations apply to Northern Ireland) and these Regulations and the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) Regulations 1920, and the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) Regulations, 1921, and the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) (Amending) (No. 2) Regulations, 1921 (in so far as those Regulations apply to Northern Ireland) may be cited together as the Unemployment Insurance (Courts of Referees) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1920 to 1923.

Given under the official seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 14th day of September, Nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

(L.S.) *J. A. Dale,*
Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

Insurance Industry Special Scheme (Amendment).

MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT, 1920. SPECIAL ORDER [No. 1.]

1923. No. 32.

WHEREAS the Minister of Labour for the United Kingdom by the Unemployment Insurance (Insurance Industry Special Scheme) Order, 1921 (*a*) approved for the purposes of section 18 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, a special scheme for the Insurance Industry.

AND WHEREAS by the Government of Ireland (Adaptation of Unemployment Insurance Acts) Order, 1922 (*b*) the scheme was continued in force in Northern Ireland as from the first day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-two.

AND WHEREAS application has been made to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland under sub-section 9 of Section 18 of the said Act for the variation and amendment of the provisions of the said scheme.

NOW THEREFORE the said Ministry by virtue of the powers conferred on it by the said section 18 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Special Order :—

1. The following amendments shall be made in the second Schedule to the said Scheme—

(*a*) Imp. S. R. & O., 1921, No. 1,281. (*b*) Imp. S. R. & O., 1922, No. 185.

(*a*) In paragraph (1), 20 shillings, 16 shillings, 10 shillings, and 8 shillings shall be substituted respectively for 17 shillings, 14 shillings, 8 shillings and sixpence, and 7 shillings.
(*b*) Paragraph (6) shall cease to have effect.

2. This Order may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Insurance Industry Special Scheme) (Amendment) Special Order (Northern Ireland), 1923, and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1st day of July, 1923.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this Thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

(Signed).

(L.S.) *J. A. Dale,*

Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT, (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1923. AMENDMENT ORDER NO. 1,

1923. No. 33.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 9 of the Unemployment Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1923 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1923"), that for the purpose of securing in the case of a special scheme that like rates of benefit shall be payable to the person to whom the scheme applies as are payable under the Act of 1923, and that the benefits under the scheme shall otherwise be not less favourable than those provided by the general provisions of the Unemployment Insurnace Acts (Northern Ireland), 1920 to 1922 (but for no other purposes), the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") may, after consultation with the body charged with the administration of the scheme, by order vary or amend the provisions of the scheme, and any such order may provide for consequential amendments as to the rates of contributions and otherwise.

AND WHEREAS by the Unemployment Insurance (Insurance Industry Special Scheme) Order, 1921 (*a*) the Insurance Industry Unemployment Insurance Scheme (hereinafter referred to as "the Scheme") was approved by the Minister of Labour for the United Kingdom under the powers conferred upon him by Section 18 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920.

AND WHEREAS by the Government of Ireland (Adaptation of Unemployment Insurance Acts), Order, 1922, the scheme was continued in force in Northern Ireland as from the first day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-two.

AND WHEREAS the Incorporated Insurance Industry Unemployment Insurance Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Joint Board") is the body charged with the administration of the scheme.

(*a*) Imperial S. R. & O., 1921, No. 1,281.