The Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland hereby approves of the foregoing regulations.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 22nd day of March, nineteen hundred and forty-five.

(L.S.) *W. D. Scott,*
Secretary to the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland.

Insurance Industry Special Scheme

ORDER DATED 2ND OCTOBER, 1945, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1936.

1945. No. 114

WHEREAS the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland by the Unemployment Insurance (Insurance Industry Special Scheme) Orders (Northern Ireland), 1921 to 1942, approved for the purposes of Section 18 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, a special scheme for the Insurance Industry and varied and amended the said scheme, which scheme as so varied and amended is hereinafter referred to as " the Scheme " ;

AND WHEREAS the Insurance Unemployment Board (hereinafter referred to as " the Board ") is the body charged with the administration of the Scheme ;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland by virtue of the powers conferred upon it by Section 77 of the Unemployment Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1936, Regulation 12 of the Unemployment Insurance (Emergency Powers) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1939, and of all other powers in that behalf and on the application of the Board hereby makes the following Order :—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Insurance Industry Special Scheme) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland), 1945, and this Order and the Unemployment Insurance (Insurance Industry Special Scheme) Orders (Northern Ireland), 1921 to 1942, may be cited together as the Unemployment Insurance (Insurance Industry Special Scheme) Orders (Northern Ireland), 1921 to 1945.

(2) This Order shall have effect as from the 2nd November, 1944.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the interpretation of this Order, as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2. The provisions of the Second Schedule to the Scheme shall be amended in the following manner :—

(1) Subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph (3) of this paragraph the classes of persons and conditions and weekly rates of benefit specified in the First Schedule to the Unemployment Insurance (Increase of Benefit) Act (Northern Ireland), 1944, shall be substituted for the classes of persons and standard rates of benefit specified in Column 1 and Column 2 respectively of Part I of the said Second Schedule.

(2) Subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph (3) of this paragraph the following provisions and increases of weekly rates of benefit shall be substituted for those contained in Column 1 and Column 2 respectively of Part II of the said Second Schedule :—

" In respect of dependants other than children ...	16s.
In respect of each of the first two dependent children	5s.
In respect of each dependent child after the first two	4s."

(3) The classes of persons and conditions and provisions substituted by virtue of sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) of this paragraph shall only apply for the purposes of the appropriate rates substituted by those sub-paragraphs.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 2nd day of October, 1945, in the presence of

(L.S.) *F. C. S. Moore,*
Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

WAGES COUNCILS

Notices and Orders

THE WAGES COUNCILS AND COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY (NOTICES AND ORDERS) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945, DATED 19TH DECEMBER, 1945, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER THE WAGES COUNCILS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945. (9 & 10 GEO. 6, CH. 21).

1945. No. 139

The Ministry of Labour (hereinafter referred to as " the Ministry ") in pursuance of the powers conferred on it by sections 22 and 24 (3) of the Wages Councils Act (Northern Ireland), 1945 (hereinafter referred to as " the Act ") and by every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations :—