(b) if paid at the appropriate rate of statutory minimum remuneration for work to which statutory minimum remuneration applies and at the same rate for any work for the same employer to which such remuneration does not apply.

"STATUTORY MINIMUM REMUNERATION" means minimum remuneration (other than holiday remuneration) fixed by a Wages Regulation Order made by the Ministry to give effect to proposals submitted to it by the Baking Wages Council (Northern Ireland).

"WEEK" means "pay week."

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order, which comes into operation on 2nd January 1967, sets out the holidays which an employer is required to allow to workers and the remuneration payable for those holidays in substitution for the holidays and holiday remuneration fixed by the Baking Wages Regulation (Holidays) Order (Northern Ireland) 1965 (Order N.I.Bk. (331)).

Order N.I.Bk. (331) is revoked.

New provisions in the Schedule are printed in italics.

1966. No. 301 **[NC]**

FACTORIES

The Abstract of Special Regulations (Aerated Water) Order (Northern Ireland) 1966

ORDER, DATED 14TH DECEMBER 1966, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER SECTION 139 OF THE FACTORIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1965.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 139(1) of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(a) and of all other powers in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Abstract of Special Regulations (Aerated Water) Order (Northern Ireland) 1966, and shall come into operation on the 14th day of December 1966.

2. The Abstract of the Aerated Water Regulations 1921 for posting in pursuance of Section 139(1) of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 in any factory in which those Regulations are for the time being in force shall be in the form set out in the Schedule to this Order.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 14th day of December 1966.

(L.S.) *W. Slinger,*
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1965. c. 20 (N.I.).

SCHEDULE

Article 2
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FACTORIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1965

Prescribed Abstract of the

AERATED WATER

Regulations 1921

S.R. & O. 1921 No. 1932

These Regulations apply to all factories where aerated water is made, including incidental processes. The individual Regulations are summarised below.

IT IS THE DUTY OF THE EMPLOYER TO OBSERVE THE REGULATIONS SUMMARISED IN PARAGRAPHS 1 TO 5.

1. Machines for filling bottles or syphons must as far as possible be so constructed, placed or fenced that if a bottle or syphon bursts workers shall not be struck by fragments (Regulation 1).

2. The fittings of a syphon which has been filled at a pressure of 130 lbs. per sq. inch or more must not be polished unless the syphon is held in a box constructed to prevent as far as possible the escape of fragments of a bursting syphon (Regulations 2 and 8).

3. Persons filling bottles or syphons must be provided with suitable guards to protect the face, neck and throat, and suitable gauntlets to protect the whole of both hands and arms; and these must be maintained in good condition. This does not apply where bottles are filled by an automatic machine so constructed that no fragments from a bursting bottle can escape; and where a machine is so constructed that only one arm of the operator is exposed to danger a gauntlet need not be provided for the unexposed arm (Regulation 3).

4. Persons engaged in corking, crowning, screwing, wiring, foiling, capsuling, sighting, or labelling, and persons engaged in any other process who so request, must be provided with suitable guards to protect the face, neck and throat, and suitable gauntlets for both arms which will protect the arm and at least half of the palm and the space between the thumb and forefinger; and these must be maintained in good condition (Regulation 4).

5. Waterproof aprons with bibs and waterproof boots or clogs must be provided and maintained in good condition for the use of persons whose work involves exposure to wet. However, the Chief Inspector of Factories may give the occupier a certificate exempting him from the obligation to provide waterproof boots or clogs if he thinks them unnecessary (Regulation 5).

6. Persons employed in the processes or under the conditions described in paragraphs 3, 4 and 5 above must wear, as appropriate, the face guards, gauntlets and waterproof aprons and waterproof boots or clogs provided (Regulations 7 and 9).

IT IS THE DUTY OF EVERY EMPLOYED PERSON TO OBSERVE THE REGULATIONS SUMMARISED IN PARAGRAPHS 2 AND 6 ABOVE.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order prescribes the Abstract of the Aerated Water Regulations 1921 for posting in pursuance of Section 139(1) of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 in any factory in which those Regulations are for the time being in force.