temporary branch shop managers and manageresses certain overtime provisions which did not apply to them before. New provisions in this Schedule are printed in italics.

The Second Schedule amends the Retail Food Trades Wages Council (England and Wales) Wages Regulation (Holidays) Order, 1949 (Order R.F.C.(4)), as amended by Order R.F.C.(15), by—

(1) excluding from the provisions of that Order workers who normally work for the employer for less than 9 hours in a week;

(2) providing for the reduction of the accrued holiday remuneration payable to a worker on the termination of his employment by the amount paid to him in respect of holidays allowed to him for which he had not qualified under the Order;

(3) substituting a new provision relating to the method of calculating the length of a period of employment qualifying a worker for an annual holiday or accrued holiday remuneration for that at present contained in the Order;

(4) adding a definition of "week".

1954 No. 878

The Retail Food Trades Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1954

Made - - - - 28*th June*, 1954
Coming into Operation 16*th July*, 1954

Whereas the Minister of Labour and National Service (hereafter in this Order referred to as "the Minister") has received from the Retail Food Trades Wages Council (Scotland) the wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto;

Now, therefore, the Minister, by virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 10 of the Wages Councils Act, 1945(**a**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Retail Food Trades Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1954.

2.—(1) In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 16th day of July, 1954, provided that where, as respects any worker who is paid wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, that date does not correspond with the beginning of the period for which the wages are paid, the expression "the specified date" means, as respects that worker, the beginning of the next such period following that date.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889(**b**), applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto shall have effect as from the specified date.

Signed by order of the Minister of Labour and National Service this 28th day of June, 1954.

Godfrey H. Ince,
Secretary,
Ministry of Labour and National Service.

(**a**) 8 & 9 Geo. 6. c. 17. (**b**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

SCHEDULE

STATUTORY MINIMUM REMUNERATION

The Retail Food Trades Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation Order, 1953(a), (Order R.F.C.S. (13)), shall have effect as if in the First Schedule thereto for paragraph 4 there were substituted the following paragraph:—

"WORKERS OTHER THAN SHOP MANAGERS, SHOP MANAGERESSES, TEMPORARY SHOP MANAGERS, TEMPORARY SHOP MANAGERESSES, CENTRAL TRANSPORT WORKERS AND RETAIL TRANSPORT WORKERS

4. Subject to the provisions of paragraph 1 of this Schedule, the weekly minimum remuneration payable to male or female workers of the classes specified in Column 1 of the following table employed in Area 1 or Area 2, as the case may be, is the appropriate amount set out in Column 2 of the said Table:—

Column 1	Column 2			
	Male Workers		Female Workers	
	Area 1	Area 2	Area 1	Area 2
	Per week s. d.	Per week s. d.	Per week s. d.	Per week s. d.
(1) CLERKS GRADE I other than those referred to in (2) of this paragraph, CLERKS GRADE II, SHOP ASSISTANTS, CENTRAL WAREHOUSE WORKERS, TRANSPORT WORKERS (other than those referred to in paragraph 5) and all other workers being workers aged:—				
15 and under 16 years	42 0	40 0	37 0	35 0
16 „ „ 17 „	47 0	45 0	40 0	38 0
17 „ „ 18 „	52 0	50 0	45 0	43 0
18 „ „ 19 „	63 0	61 0	51 0	49 0
19 „ „ 20 „	73 0	70 0	56 0	53 0
20 „ „ 21 „	83 0	80 0	65 0	62 0
21 „ „ 22 „	99 0	96 0	71 0	68 0
22 „ „ 23 „	105 0	101 0	77 0	73 0
23 years or over	*121 0*	*117 0*	*87 0*	*83 0*
(2) CLERKS GRADE I *aged 24 years or over*	*125 0*	*121 0*	*90 0*	*86 0*"

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order, which has effect from the 16th July, 1954, amends the Retail Food Trades Wages Council (Scotland) Wages Regulation Order, 1953 (Order R.F.C.S. (13)), by altering the weekly minimum remuneration payable to certain workers in relation to whom the Council operates.

New provisions in the Schedule are printed in italics.

(a) S.I. 1953/1333 (1953 II, p. 2596).