STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1975 No. 20

WAGES COUNCILS

The Wages Regulation (Retail Food) (England and Wales) (No. 2) Order 1974 (Amendment) Order 1975

Made - - - - 10*th January* 1975

Coming into Operation 24*th February* 1975

Whereas the Secretary of State has received from the Retail Food Trades Wages Council (England and Wales) the wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule hereto;

Now, therefore, the Secretary of State in exercise of powers conferred by section 11 of the Wages Councils Act 1959**(a)**, and now vested in him**(b)**, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Wages Regulation (Retail Food) (England and Wales) (No. 2) Order 1974 (Amendment) Order 1975.

2.—(1) In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 24th February 1975, 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**(c)** shall apply 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 Secretary of State.

10th January 1975.

D. J. Derx,
Deputy Secretary,
Department of Employment.

(a) 1959 c. 69.
(b) S.I. 1959/1769, 1968/729 (1959 I, p. 1795; 1968 II, p. 2108).
(c) 1889 c. 63.

Article 3

SCHEDULE

The Wages Regulation (Retail Food) (England and Wales) (No. 2) Order 1974(a) (Order R.F.C. (63)) shall have effect as if in the Schedule thereto for paragraph 15 there were substituted the following paragraph:—

"ADDITIONAL ANNUAL HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN WORKERS

15. In addition to the holidays specified in paragraph 14, an employer shall, between the date on which the provisions of this Schedule become effective and 31st March 1975, and thereafter in each year commencing on 1st April allow to every worker in his employment who has been employed by him at the said 1st April for a continuous period of not less than 3 years, further days of annual holiday (hereinafter referred to as 'additional annual holiday') as set out in the table below—

Period of employment	*Duration of additional annual holiday*			
	Where the worker's normal working week is			
	Six days	*Five days*	*Four days*	*Three days or less*
Five years or more	*6 days*	*5 days*	*3 days*	*2 days*
Three years or more	2 days	2 days	1 day	1 day"

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order, which has effect from 24th February 1975, amends the Wages Regulation (Retail Food) (England and Wales) (No. 2) Order 1974 by providing for additional days of annual holiday for certain workers.

New provisions are printed in italics.

(a) S.I. 1974/1619 (1974 III, p. 6002).

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