

done or suffered, penalty incurred or proceeding instituted thereunder.

(2) On and after 1st January 1919 all persons who import, manufacture, or deal in paper or paper-making materials shall comply with such Regulations as to the importation, distribution and priority of supply of paper and paper-making materials as the Board of Trade may issue from time to time under the hand of the Controller of Paper.

(3) All persons who, under any such Regulations, may be entitled to priority of supply of paper or paper-making materials shall comply with the requirement of such Regulations in relation thereto.

(4) Any Priority Certificate issued under such Regulations shall be deemed to be issued under the provisions of this Order.

(5) This Order may be cited as The Paper Restriction Order, No. 3, 1918.

H. LLEWELLYN SMITH.

*Board of Trade,
7 Whitehall Gardens,
London, S.W. 1.*

THE PAPER (RELAXATION OF RESTRICTIONS) ORDER, 1918, dated the 18th day of December 1918, made by the Board of Trade under Regulations 2F to 2JJ of the Defence of the Realm Regulations.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, the Board of Trade hereby order as follows:—

1. The Paper Restriction Order, 1917, No. 3 (prohibiting the publication of new newspapers), The Paper Restriction Order, 1917, No. 4 (prohibiting the publication of new magazines and serial publications), and The Paper Restriction (Posters and Circulars) Order, 1918, are hereby revoked without prejudice to any matter or thing done or suffered proceeding instituted or penalty incurred thereunder.

2. This Order may be cited as The Paper (Relaxation of Restrictions) Order, 1918.

H. LLEWELLYN SMITH.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated the 31st October 1918, the Trade Board established under this Act and the Trade Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation Act, 1913, for the Tin Box and Canister Trade in Great Britain, as defined in the Regulations made by the Board of Trade and dated 12th June 1914, having given due notice on 27th July 1918 of Proposal to Vary, as therein shown, the rates as set out in the Notice varying minimum rates, dated 8th October 1917, have given notice that they have varied the General Minimum Time Rates of Wages, so previously fixed by them on 8th October 1917, for *female workers to 5½d. an hour* and for *male workers to 9d. an hour*, and have also varied the General Minimum Time Rates for younger workers correspondingly. They have also

given notice that they have received notification from the Minister of Labour that he has made an Order, dated 11th December 1918, under Section 4 (2) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, confirming the rates as varied by the Trade Board, and specifying 13th December 1918 as the date from which such minimum rates should become effective.

The rates payable to younger workers are set out in the Notices issued by the Trade Board. These Notices will be furnished to any persons affected on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

G. T. REID, Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,
5 Chancery Lane,
London, W.C. 2.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated the 31st October 1918, the Trade Board established under this Act for that branch of the Box Trade in Great Britain, which is engaged in the making of boxes or parts thereof, made wholly or partially of paper, cardboard, chip, or similar material, having given due notice on 27th July 1918 of Proposal to Vary, as therein shown, the rates as set out in the Notice varying minimum rates, dated 7th January 1918, have given notice that they have varied the General Minimum Time Rates of Wages, so previously varied by them on 7th January 1918, for *female workers*, other than homeworkers, to *5½d. an hour*, for *female homeworkers to 5¾d. an hour*, and for *male workers to 9d. an hour*, and have also varied the General Minimum Time Rates for learners correspondingly. They have also given notice that they have received notification from the Minister of Labour that he has made an Order, dated 11th December 1918, under Section 4 (2) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, confirming the rates as varied by the Trade Board, and specifying 16th December 1918 as the date from which such minimum rates should become effective.

The rates payable to learners are set out in the Notices issued by the Trade Board. These Notices will be furnished to any persons affected on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

G. T. REID, Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,
5 Chancery Lane,
London, W.C. 2.

*Ministry of Munitions of War,
Whitehall Place, S.W. 1,
17th December 1918.*

ORDER.

CHROME ORE.

In reference to the following Order made by the Minister of Munitions, namely:—

The Chrome Ore Order, 1917, dated the 31st August 1917,