

Home Office, Whitehall, S.W. 1, within 40 days of the date of this notice. The objections must be in writing and must state—

- (a) the draft regulations or portions of draft regulations objected to;
- (b) the specific grounds of objection; and
- (c) the omissions, additions or modifications asked for.

Home Office, Whitehall,
9th December 1921.

Downing Street,
7th December 1921.

The KING has been pleased to confirm the appointment of—

Rear-Admiral John Luce, C.B., Rear-Admiral in charge, Malta, and Admiral Superintendent, Malta Dockyard;

Colonel Arthur Frank Umfreville Green, C.M.G., D.S.O., Colonel on the Staff in charge of Administration: and

Group-Captain Charles Rumney Samson, C.M.G., D.S.O., A.F.C., Air Officer Commanding Royal Air Force, Malta,

to be Members of the Nominated Council for Malta.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

LAUNDRY TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES FOR FEMALE WORKERS AS VARIED AND MADE EFFECTIVE FROM 12TH DECEMBER 1921,* TOGETHER WITH MINIMUM RATES WHICH ARE NOT AFFECTED BY THE VARIATION AND WHICH REMAIN IN OPERATION.

The Schedule to this Notice sets out the Minimum Rates of Wages for all Female Workers in Great Britain and incorporates:—

(1) The General Minimum Time-Rates, Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates, Guaranteed Time-Rates and Overtime Rates for Female Workers in Great Britain (excluding the Administrative County of Cornwall and the Orkney and Shetland Islands) as varied by the Trade Board and confirmed by Order of the Minister of Labour specifying the 12th day of December 1921,* as the date from which they should become effective.

(2) The Overtime Rates for Female Workers in the Administrative County of Cornwall and the Orkney and Shetland Islands as varied by the Trade Board and confirmed by Order of the Minister of Labour specifying the 12th day of December 1921,* as the date from which they should become effective.

(3) The General Minimum Time-Rates, Piece-work Basis Time-Rates and Guaranteed Time-

*NOTE.—Should this date not correspond with the beginning of the period for which wages are paid by an employer who pays wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, the rates shall become effective as from the beginning of the next full pay period, but in any case not later than 18th December 1921.

Rates for Female Workers in the Administrative County of Cornwall and the Orkney and Shetland Islands, contained in the Notice W. (5) issued by the Trade Board and dated 4th November 1920, which remain unaffected by the variation.

Female Workers, other than those specially employed for emergency work or whose employment is of a casual nature:—

General Minimum Time-Rates.

1. Workers of 18 years of age and over with not less than 12 months' experience, 7½d. per hour.
2. Workers of 18 years of age and over with less than 12 months' experience. See Part I., Section I. of the Schedule set out below.
3. Workers under 18 years of age. See Part I., Section I. of the Schedule set out below.

Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates.

Female Workers of all ages, 9d. per hour.

Guaranteed Time-Rates for Piece-Workers.

1. Workers of 18 years of age and over, 6½d. per hour.
2. Workers under 18 years of age. See Part I., Section III. of the Schedule set out below.

Overtime Rates for Time-Workers.

See Part I., Section IV. of the Schedule set out below.

Female Workers specially employed for emergency work or whose employment is of a casual nature. See Part II. of the Schedule set out below.

The Rates in full as legally enforceable are set out in detail in the Schedule below.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

FEMALE WORKERS EMPLOYED IN GREAT BRITAIN OTHER THAN THOSE SPECIFIED IN PART II.

SECTION I.

General Minimum Time-Rates.

- Workers under 15 years of age, 12s. per week of 48 hours, i.e. 3d. per hour.
- Workers of 15 and under 16 years of age, 16s. per week of 48 hours, i.e. 4d. per hour.
- Workers of 16 and under 17 years of age, 20s. per week of 48 hours, i.e. 5d. per hour.
- Workers of 17 and under 18 years of age, 25s. per week of 48 hours, i.e. 6½d. per hour.
- Workers of 18 years of age and over, 30s. per week of 48 hours, i.e. 7½d. per hour.

Provided that:—

- (a) The Minimum Rate for Workers of 16 and under 18 years of age who have had less than six months' experience in the laundering of articles of any description, or the processes and operations incidental thereto, in any laundry which is carried on by way of trade or for the purpose of gain, or carried on as ancillary to another business, shall be:—

Workers of 16 and under 17 years of age, 16s. per week of 48 hours, i.e. 4d. per hour.