



# Factories Act 1937

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## PART VI

EMPLOYMENT OF WOMEN AND YOUNG PERSONS.

### *Special Exceptions.*

#### **82 Exception for factories operating the five-day week.**

- (1) In any factory conducted on the system of employing women and young persons on not more than five days in the week, the total hours worked in any day may extend to ten and the period of employment in any day may extend to twelve hours and, in the case of women and young persons who have attained the age of sixteen, the total hours worked in any day may be further extended by overtime employment to ten and a half.
- (2) An occupier may, notwithstanding that he avails himself of this exception, employ women and young persons who have attained the age of sixteen on a sixth day in any week, subject to the following conditions:—
  - (a) the total hours worked on that day shall not exceed four and a half; and
  - (b) no woman or young person shall be employed overtime on any other day in that week;

and any such employment as aforesaid on a sixth day shall be deemed for the purposes of the foregoing provisions of this Part of this Act to be overtime employment, and this exception shall not cease to apply to the factory by reason only of such employment.