

1968 No. 1608

STATISTICS OF TRADE

The Census of Production (1969) (Returns and Exempted Persons) Order 1968

<i>Made</i> - - - -	8th October 1968
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	16th October 1968
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	31st December 1968

The Board of Trade, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Sections 2 and 11 of the Statistics of Trade Act 1947(a) and all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby order as follows:—

Matters to which returns may relate

1. The matters about which a person carrying on an undertaking may be required to furnish returns for the purposes of the census of production being taken under the said Act by the Board of Trade in 1969 shall be all the matters set out in the Schedule to the said Act as amended(b).

Exempted persons

2. Any person carrying on an undertaking in the field of production of coal gas, electricity, or crude or refined petroleum shall be exempted from the obligation to furnish returns for the purposes of the said census.

Interpretation, citation and commencement

3.—(1) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order in like manner as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) This Order may be cited as the Census of Production (1969) (Returns and Exempted Persons) Order 1968 and shall come into operation on 31st December 1968.

8th October 1968.

Edmund Dell,
Minister of State,
Board of Trade.

(a) 1947 c. 39.

(c) 1889 c. 63.

(b) See S.I. 1963/1329 (1963 II, p. 2310).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order prescribes the matters about which a person carrying on an undertaking may be required to furnish returns for the purposes of the Census of Production being taken in 1969 and exempts from the obligation to furnish such returns any person carrying on an undertaking in the field of production of coal, gas, electricity, or crude or refined petroleum.