#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 1974 No. 427

### **FACTORIES**

# The Factories (Cleanliness of Walls and Ceilings) (Amendment) Order 1974

Made – – –

14th March 1974

Coming into Operation

1st April 1974

The Secretary of State in exercise of powers conferred by section 1(5) of the Factories Act 1961(a) and now vested in him(b) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

- 1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Factories (Cleanliness of Walls and Ceilings) (Amendment) Order 1974 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1974.
- (2) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
- 2. The Factories (Cleanliness of Walls and Ceilings) Order 1960(d) shall have effect as if, in Article 6(2) thereof, for the words "the medical officer of health of that council" there were substituted the words "an officer appointed for that purpose by the council".

Signed by order of the Secretary of State.

14th March 1974.

John Locke,
Deputy Secretary,
Department of Employment.

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

Article 6(2) of the Factories (Cleanliness of Walls and Ceilings) Order 1960 provides that in the case of any factory as respects which certain provisions of (now) the Factories Act 1961 are enforceable by a district council, the reference in Article 6(1) to the inspector for the district shall be construed as a reference to the medical officer of health of that council. This Order amends Article 6(2) by substituting for the reference to the medical officer of health a reference to an officer appointed for the purpose by the council.

The amendment is made in consequence of provisions of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1972 (c. 58), the Local Government Act 1972 (c. 70) and the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (c. 65).

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