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STATISTICS OF TRADE

**Census of Retail Distribution and Other Services (1972)
(Scope of the Census)**

ORDER, DATED 13TH MAY 1971, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE UNDER SECTION 1(4) OF THE STATISTICS OF TRADE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1949.

The Ministry of Commerce, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Section 1(4) of the Statistics of Trade Act (Northern Ireland) 1949(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Census of Retail Distribution and Other Services (1972) (Scope of the Census) Order (Northern Ireland) 1971.

Interpretation

2. In this Order "the census" means the census of retail distribution and other services to be taken in the calendar year 1972 pursuant to the Census of Retail Distribution and Other Services (1972) Order (Northern Ireland) 1970(b).

Scope of the Census

3.—(1) The undertakings of the classes or descriptions set forth in the First Schedule are hereby prescribed as the undertakings in the field of retail distribution to which the census shall apply.

(2) The undertakings of the classes or descriptions set forth in the Second Schedule are hereby prescribed as the undertakings in the field of other services to which the census shall apply.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Commerce, this 13th day of May 1971.

(L.S.)

W. E. Bell,

Deputy Secretary.

FIRST SCHEDULE

(Undertakings in the field of *retail distribution* to which the census applies)

All undertakings in the field of retail distribution except any undertaking whose business in the field of distribution is confined to sales by auction.

SECOND SCHEDULE

(Undertakings in the field of *other services* to which the census applies).

All undertakings which provide any of the following services:—

1. Catering or residential services or the sale of intoxicating liquor for consumption on the premises, not being any such service provided—

(a) in any club exclusively for the benefit of members and guests of members;
or

(b) in any school; or

(c) in any hospital, nursing-home or other similar establishment; or

(d) in any canteen, run by an industrial or commercial establishment for its own employees.

2. Hairdressing, manicuring or beauty culture service, not being any such service provided—

(a) in an hotel, hostel, service flat, holiday camp or other similar residential establishment exclusively for the benefit of residents in such establishments;
or

(b) in any club exclusively for the benefit of members thereof.

3. Laundering, dry cleaning (including in relation to either of those services the provision of facilities for operation by customers), pressing or dyeing clothing, household textiles or carpets.

4. Installing, maintaining, repairing, renovating, altering or letting on hire—

sound or television broadcast, receiving sets or aerials

record players or records

tape recorders or tapes

washing machines or other domestic laundry equipment

domestic refrigerators

dish washers or food mixers

electric shavers

electric hair dryers or other domestic hairdressing equipment

vacuum cleaners or floor polishers

heating or cooking appliances

other domestic electrical equipment

furniture

musical instruments

sewing machines

cycles

motor vehicles

perambulators

watches or clocks

jewellery, gold or silverware

photographic or optical goods

leather goods

sports goods

boats or boating equipment
clothing
footwear
books
towels, table or bed linen
household textiles
floor coverings

5. Pawnbroking.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order prescribes the undertakings in the field of retail distribution and in the field of other services to which the census will relate.

The undertakings in the field of retail distribution which are excluded from the census are undertakings whose distributive business consists solely in selling by auction.

In the field of other services the census will cover only the services set out in the Second Schedule.