

1969 No. 1383

FACTORIES

**The Baking and Sausage Making (Christmas and
New Year) Order 1969***Made* - - - 24th September 1969*Coming into Operation* 6th October 1969

The Secretary of State, having received an application in that behalf and having carried out such consultations as appeared to her to be appropriate, by virtue of her powers under section 117 of the Factories Act 1961^(a) and of all other powers enabling her in that behalf, hereby makes the following special exemption order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Baking and Sausage Making (Christmas and New Year) Order 1969 and shall come into operation on 6th October 1969.

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act 1889^(b) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) In this Order “women” means women who have attained the age of eighteen.

3. The employment of women in England and Wales—

(a) on Saturdays, 20th and 27th December 1969, and on Sundays, 21st and 28th December 1969, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon; and

(b) on Saturday, 20th December 1969, and on Sunday, 21st December 1969 in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits),

or in work incidental or ancillary to such work, is hereby exempted from the provisions of section 86^(b) of the Factories Act 1961 (so far as that paragraph prohibits the employment of women after one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday) and from the provisions of section 93 of that Act (which relates to the prohibition of Sunday employment).

4. The employment of women in Scotland—

(a) on Saturdays, 20th and 27th December 1969 and 3rd January 1970, and on Sundays, 21st and 28th December 1969 and 4th January 1970 in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon; and

(b) on Sundays, 21st and 28th December 1969 in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits),

or in work incidental or ancillary to such work, is hereby exempted from the provisions of the said section 86(b) (so far as that paragraph prohibits the employment of women after one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday) and from the provisions of the said section 93.

Signed by order of the Secretary of State.
24th September 1969.

K. Barnes,
Deputy Under Secretary of State,
Department of Employment and Productivity.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order enables women who have attained the age of eighteen to be employed in England and Wales on the afternoons of Saturdays, 20th and 27th December 1969 and on Sundays, 21st and 28th December 1969, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon, and on the afternoon of Saturday 20th December 1969, and on Sunday 21st December 1969, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits).

The Order also enables women who have attained the age of eighteen to be employed in Scotland on the afternoons of Saturdays, 20th and 27th December 1969 and 3rd January 1970 and on Sundays, 21st and 28th December 1969 and 4th January 1970, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon, and on Sundays, 21st and 28th December 1969, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits).