DYEING and CLEANING.

ORDER, DATED NOVEMBER 19, 1942, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE UNDER REGULATION 55 OF THE DEFENCE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1939.

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WHEREAS by letter of delegation dated 28th October, 1942, given by the Board of Trade under paragraph (5) of Regulation 55 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, the Board of Trade delegated to the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland (in this Order referred to as " the Ministry ") their functions under the said Regulation in relation to anything required or authorised under the said Regulation to be done in Northern Ireland for the purpose of the control of dyeing and cleaning :

NOW, THEREFORE, the Ministry in exercise of the powers so delegated to it and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following Order :—

1. Subject to the provisions of this Order every person carrying on the business of dyeing and cleaning (in this Order referred to as " dyers ") shall, in relation to articles which are to be dyed or cleaned or both dyed and cleaned—

(i) accept, keep, dye, clean, move, transport and distribute such articles in accordance with any direction given by the Ministry ; and

(ii) not accept, keep, dye, clean, move, transport or distribute such articles in contravention of any direction given by the Ministry.

2.—(1) Without prejudice to the generality of the provisions contained in Article 1 of this Order, any direction thereunder may be given in respect of articles generally, or of any class or description of such articles, or any such articles mentioned in the direction—

(i) prohibiting such articles being accepted, kept, dyed, cleaned, moved, transported or distributed by dyers generally, or by any class or description of such dyers, or by any such dyer to whom such direction is addressed ; or

(ii) specifying as regards such dyers or any class or description of such dyers, or any such dyer to whom such direction is addressed—

(*a*) the purposes for which, the terms and conditions on which, and the price at which, such articles shall or shall not be accepted, kept, dyed, cleaned, moved, transported or distributed ; and

(*b*) the dyers or class or description of dyers by or to whom such articles shall or shall not be accepted, kept, dyed, cleaned, moved, transported or distributed.