(i) Name of occupier of factory;
(ii) Address of factory;
(iii) Distinguishing number or mark (if any) and description sufficient to identify the crane or other lifting machine;
(iv) Date of each examination made under Section 25 (2) and by whom it was carried out;
(v) Particulars of any defect found at any such examination and affecting the safe working load, and of the steps taken to remedy such defect.

**2.**—This Order may be cited as the Factories (Cranes and other Lifting Machines—Register of Examinations) Order (Northern Ireland), 1939.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 10th day of May, 1939, in the presence of—

(L.S.) *R. R. Bowman,*
Stormont, Belfast. Assistant Secretary.

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## Hoists, Exemption of.

ORDER, DATED 10TH DAY OF MAY, 1939, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER SECTION 23 OF THE FACTORIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1938.

1939. No. 57.

**1.**—The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by sub-section 11 of Section 23 of the Factories Act (Northern Ireland), 1938, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby directs that as respects any class or description of hoist or hoistway specified in the first column of the Schedule to this Order, the requirements of the said Section 23 specfied in the second column of the said Schedule and set opposite to that class or description of hoist or hoistway shall not apply, subject however to the conditions and limitations set opposite thereto in the third column of the Schedule.

**2.**—In this Order the expressions "hoist" and "hoistway" include "lift" and "liftway" respectively.

**3.**—This Order may be cited as the Factories (Exemption of Hoists) Order (Northern Ireland), 1939, and shall come into force on the 1st July, 1939.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 10th day of May, 1939, in the presence of

(L.S.) *R. R. Bowman.*
Stormont, Belfast, Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

| Class or description of hoist or hoistway. | Requirements which shall not apply. | Conditions or limitations (if any). |
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| 1. Hoistways of pavement hoists, that is to say hoists in the case of which the top landing is the surface of a street or public place, or of a yard or other open space within a factory where persons are required to pass. | Sub-section (3), in so far as it requires the hoistway to be protected by an enclosure and gate at or above the top landing.<br>Sub-section (4) except in the case of a hoist with more than one landing other than the top landing. | The hoistway shall be securely covered or securely fenced at the top landing except when and where access is required for persons, goods or materials.<br>Every gate shall be kept closed and fastened except when the cage or platform is at the landing. |
| 2. Hoistways of hoists of moveable type which are used for the stacking, loading or unloading of goods or materials but not for carrying persons and which do not pass through any floor. | Sub-sections (3) and (4). | — |
| 3. Hoistways of hoists not of moveable type which are used for the stacking, loading or unloading of goods or materials, and which do not pass through any floor, and in the case of which the height of travel of the cage or platform exceeds five feet. | Sub-sections (3) and (4). | The hoistway shall, so far as is reasonably practicable, be protected at ground or floor level by an enclosure not less than 7 feet in height and fitted with a gate or gates in connection with which subsection (4) shall apply; and if the hoist is used for carrying persons it shall be provided with a cage. |
| 4. Hoistways of hoists not of moveable type which do not pass through any floor, and in the case of which the height of travel of the platform does not exceed five feet. | Sub-sections (3) and (4). | A gate or gates or other fittings shall be provided to prevent any person being endangered by the underside of the platform. |
| 5. Hoistways of hoists used solely for lifting material directly into a machine. | Sub-sections (3) and (4). | — |