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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION Washington

RAW FUR SEASONAL HEARING POSTPONED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 5

Hearing on application of the raw fur receiving industry to be classified as one of a seasonal nature under the Fair Labor Standards Act which was to have been held on August 14, has been postponed to September 5, 1940, according to an announcement today by Colonel Philip B. Fleming, Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division of the U. S. Department of Labor. (Federal Register August 10, 1940)

The hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. in the Raleigh Hotel, Washington, D. C. before Harold Stein, authorized representative of the Administrator.

The application for the hearing was filed by the Raw Fur and Woo!

Association of St. Louis, Mo., and the American Fur Merchants of New York

City, but the exemption, if granted, would affect all employees in the industry.

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