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PUBLIC HEARING ON ENAMELED UTENSIL WAGE RECOMMENDATION JANUARY 6

A public hearing on the 40 cents-an-hour minimum wage recommended by the Enameled Utensil Industry Committee will be held at 10:00 A.M., January 6, 1941, in Room 3229, Department of Labor Building, Washington, D. C., it was announced today by Colonel Philip B. Fleming, Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division (Federal Register, December 20). Henry T. Hunt, Principal Hearings Examiner of the Division, will preside.

The industry is defined as "the manufacture of culinary, household and hospital utensils of sheet iron or sheet steel coated with vitreous enamel." The 40 cent recommendation, contained in a report filed with the Administrator on December 13, covers all employees in the industry including clerical, maintenance, shipping and selling; but does not include employees of an independent wholesaler, or employees of a manufacturer who are engaged exclusively in marketing and distributing products of the industry which have been purchased for resale.

Persons interested in appearing at the hearing, either supporting or opposing the committee's recommendation, are requested to file notice of intention to appear with the Administrator not later than December 30, 1940. This notice should contain the name and address of the person appearing; the name and address of the person or persons whom he is representing, if any; whether he is appearing for or against the recommendation; and the approximate length of time required for presentation.

Copies of the committee's report and recommendation will be available for inspection at the Wage and Hour offices throughout the country. Copies of the

wage data relating to the industry, compiled by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, will be made available for inspection upon request.

Further information may be obtained by writing to the Administrator, or by consulting with attorneys representing the Administrator, who will be available for that purpose at the offices of the Division in Washington, D. C.

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