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

HEARING ON HOME WORK IN WOMEN'S APPAREL INDUSTRY POSTPONED TO FEBRUARY 16

A further hearing on homework in the Women's Apparel Industry scheduled for January 13 has been postponed to February 16, 1942, it was announced today by Baird Snyder, Acting Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division. Major Robert N. Campbell will preside. The hearing will begin at 10 a.m. in Room 3229 of the U. S. Department of Labor Building, Washington, D. C.

Evidence will be received on the question of what if any prohibition, restriction or regulation of homework in the industry is necessary to prevent circumvention of the 40 cent minimum wage order which went into effect September 29.

Any person interested in appearing may do so by filing with Mr. Snyder, not later than February 7, notice of intention to appear containing his name and address, names and addresses of persons he represents, if any, and the approximate length of time required.

The Women's Apparel Industry is defined as:

"The production of women's, misses' and Juniors' dresses, washable service garments, blouses, and neckwear from woven or purchased knit fabric; women's, misses', children's and infants' underwear, nightwear, and negligees from woven fabric; corsets and other body supporting garments from any material; other garments similar to the foregoing; and infants' and children's outerwear."

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