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

HEARING ON HOME WORK IN WOMEN'S APPAREL INDUSTRY AGAIN POSTPONED

A further hearing on homework in the Women's Appearel Industry scheduled for February 16 has been postponed to February 17, 1942, it was announced today by Thomas W. Holland, Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division. 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.

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 negligeos 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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