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AMENDMENT TO  
CODE OF FAIR COMPETITION

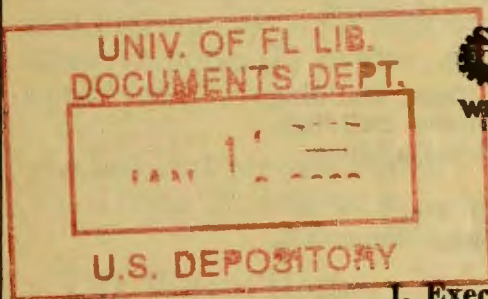
FOR THE

CAST IRON SOIL PIPE  
INDUSTRY

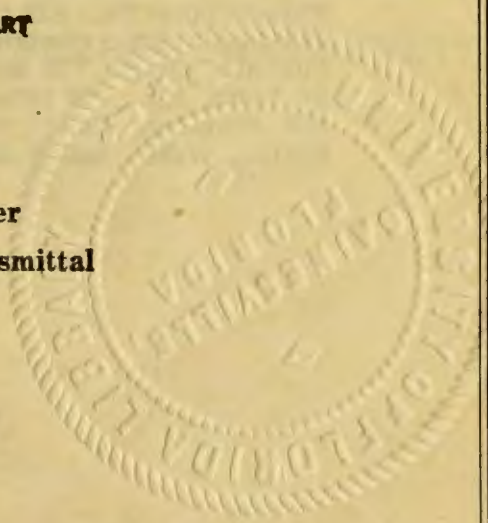
AS APPROVED ON DECEMBER 18, 1933

BY

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT



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## EXECUTIVE ORDER

### AMENDMENT TO THE CODE OF FAIR COMPETITION FOR THE CAST IRON SOIL PIPE INDUSTRY

An application having been duly made, pursuant to and in full compliance with the provisions of title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act, approved June 16, 1933, for my approval of an amendment (number I) to the Code of Fair Competition for the Cast Iron Soil Pipe Industry, and hearings having been held thereon and the Administrator having rendered his report containing an analysis of the said Amendment to the code of fair competition together with his recommendations and findings with respect thereto, and the Administrator having found that the said code of fair competition complies in all respects with the pertinent provisions of title I of said act and that the requirements of clauses (1) and (2) of subsection (a) of section 3 of the said act have been met:

NOW, THEREFORE, I Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States, pursuant to the authority vested in me by title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act approved June 16, 1933, and otherwise, do adopt and approve the report, recommendations and findings of the Administrator, and do order that the said amendment (number I) to the code of fair competition be and it is hereby approved:

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

Approval recommended:

HUGH S. JOHNSON,  
*Administrator.*

THE WHITE HOUSE,  
*December 18, 1933.*

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DECEMBER 1, 1933.

The PRESIDENT,  
*The White House.*

SIR: This is a report upon an amendment (number I) proposed to the Code of Fair Competition approved for the Cast Iron Soil Pipe Industry in the United States, and on the hearing conducted thereon in Washington, D.C., on October 23, 1933, in accordance with the provisions of the National Industrial Recovery Act.

RÉSUMÉ OF THIS AMENDMENT AS TO WAGES AND HOURS

This amendment qualifies the exemption provided for executive officers and their supervisory staffs by providing that such exemption shall apply only to those earning \$35.00 or more per week, and provides for certain classes of employees who were not specifically covered in the Code as originally drawn, as follows:

Superannuated Employees

Learners

Watchmen

Shipping Crews

GENERAL STATEMENT

The Code of Fair Competition for the Cast Iron Soil Pipe Industry was signed on September 7, 1933. Since its consideration the development of codes has shown the desirability of making special provision for the classes of workers named in the amendment and the need for such provision in this Industry. It is believed that the amendment will prevent improper interpretations by clarification of Sections 3 and 4 of the Code.

The limitation on the number of learners and superannuated employees and the establishment of minimum wages for them, and of maximum working hours for watchmen and shipping crews, will prevent misunderstanding and resultant discrimination and result in increased stabilization of labor.

I believe that the amendment to the Code is fair to Industry, and to Labor, and within the intent and purpose of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act.

Accordingly, I hereby recommend the approval of this proposed Amendment Number I to the Code of Fair Competition for the Cast Iron Soil Pipe Industry approved September 7, 1933.

Respectfully,

HUGH S. JOHNSON,  
*Administrator.*

## AMENDMENT TO CODE OF FAIR COMPETITION FOR THE CAST IRON SOIL PIPE INDUSTRY

*Section 3* should read:

(a) On and after the effective date, the minimum wages that shall be paid by employers in The Cast Iron Soil Pipe Industry to any of their employees, except learners during a three months' apprenticeship, and *superannuated employees*, not employed on productive labor, shall be at the rate of thirty-two cents (32¢) per hour for common labor when employed in the South, and at the rate of forty cents (40¢) per hour for common labor when employed in the Eastern, Western, and Pacific Coast sections of the United States.

(b) The minimum rates of pay for learners and superannuated employees shall be not less than 80% of the rates provided in this section of the Code for common labor in the respective sections where employed.

(c) The total number of learners and superannuated employees employed in any one month shall not exceed 5% of the total number of employees of each Company.

(d) For the purpose of this Code the South comprises the territory South of the Ohio and Potomac Rivers and East of the Mississippi River.

(e) For the purpose of the Code the Eastern, Western, and Pacific Coast sections comprise the balance of the United States.

*Section 4* should read:

(a) On and after the effective date twenty-seven (27) hours will be the maximum hours of labor per week, except as hereinbelow provided.

(b) Clerks, bookkeepers, stenographers, and shipping crews may be employed forty hours per week, not exceeding eight hours in any one day.

(c) No watchman may be employed for more than fifty-six (56) hours in any one week, nor for more than six out of seven days.

(d) Executive officers and their supervisory staffs who earn thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) or more per week are excluded from any of the provisions relating to maximum hours, as provided in this Section 4.

Approved Code No. 18—Amendment No. 1.  
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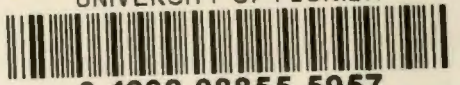
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