



**THE ELECTRICITY CONTROL ORDER 1945,
AMENDMENT NO. 1**

PURSUANT to the Supply Control Emergency Regulations 1939* and the Electricity Emergency Regulations 1939†, the Electricity Controller doth hereby order and direct as follows :—

1. (1) This Order may be cited as the Electricity Control Order 1945, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Electricity Control Order 1945‡ (hereinafter referred to as the principal Order).

(2) This Order shall come into force on the seventh day following the day on which notification of the making thereof is published in the *Gazette*.

2. Clause 4 of the principal Order is hereby amended by inserting, after the definition of the term “community lighting”, the following new definition :—

“ ‘Heating’ includes cooking, baking, and water-heating ; but does not include space-heating : ”.

3. The principal Order is hereby amended by revoking Part IV, and substituting the following Part :—

“ PART IV.—PERMITS AND CONNECTIONS AND LOAD CONTROL

“ 9. (1) Subject to any special directions given by the Electricity Controller, and subject to compliance with all lawful requirements and conditions relating to the permit or installation, every supply authority shall issue a permit for every installation to which this clause applies, and when any such installation is duly completed shall connect the installation to its system of supply.

“ (2) This clause shall apply to every electrical installation of any of the following classes :—

“ (a) Lighting, heating, or power installations that are essential for the construction of any school, any hospital, any factory, workshop, or industrial plant, or any new dwellinghouse, where in any such case no alternative to electricity is reasonably available :

“ (b) Installations in any new dwellinghouse ; and, where no alternative to electricity is reasonably available, installations in any existing dwellinghouse or in any addition to an existing dwellinghouse :

“ (c) Lighting, heating, or power installations which, in the opinion of the supply authority, will directly and economically increase primary production, where no alternative to electricity is reasonably available.

* Statutory Regulations 1939, Serial number 1939/131, page 599.

† Statutory Regulations 1939, Serial number 1939/146, page 664.

‡ Statutory Regulations 1945, Serial number 1945/54, page 130.

“ 10. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any other enactment, order, or direction, but subject to the provisions of clause 9 hereof and to any special directions given by the Electricity Controller, no supply authority shall connect to its system of supply any electrical installation (either new or by way of extension) of any of the following classes :—

“ (a) Space-heating installations :

“ (b) Heating or power installations where an alternative to electricity is reasonably available.

“ 11. (1) Every supply authority shall do all such things as may be necessary to control its load so as to keep it always within the limits from time to time directed by the Electricity Controller.

“ (2) In controlling its load as aforesaid the supply authority shall act in accordance with all general or special directions given by the Electricity Controller, and, subject thereto, shall do all such things as it deems necessary to ensure that sufficient electricity is supplied for all essential lighting, heating, and power installations for hospitals, for cool stores and freezing-works, for cheese-factories, and for all installations used for farming purposes.”

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of November, 1945.

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Electricity Controller.

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These regulations are administered in the Hydro-electric Branch of the Public Works Department.