

New York State War Council War Emergency Dispensation Committee Dispensation Orders A3087

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Overview of the Records

Repository: New York State Archives

Summary: This series contains War Council dispensation orders granted to

industries to provide dispensations from peacetime restrictions on the hiring of minors to industries doing war-related work. Periodic orders were issued to grant a group of companies dispensation for up to six months. Later orders also granted

dispensation renewals.

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Arrangement

Numeric by order number.

Scope and Content Note

The War Council granted dispensations from peacetime restrictions on the hiring of minors to industries doing war-related work. Periodic orders were issued to grant a group of companies dispensation for up to six months.

Each order lists: company name; address; number and sex of minors allowed to work; jobs performed; number of work days permitted per week; number and duration of lunch and rest periods required; and maximum work hours per week. All the companies were given a dispensation duration period (usually 3 to 6 months) and a date the order would become effective. Later orders also granted dispensation renewals.

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Use of Records

Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of the material.

Access Terms

- World War, 1939-1945--Law and legislation
- Regulating
- War and emergency legislation
- Orders
- New York (State)