NATIONAL RECOVERY ADMINISTRATION

AMENDMENT TO SUPPLEMENTARY CODE OF FAIR COMPETITION

FOR THE

MASON CONTRACTORS' INDUSTRY

(A Division of the Construction Industry)

AS APPROVED ON JULY 23, 1934



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ORDER

Approving Modification of Supplementary Code of Fair Competition for the Mason Contractors Industry

A DIVISION OF THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

An application having been duly made pursuant to and in full compliance with the provisions of Title I of the National Recovery Act, approved June 16, 1934, for approval of a modification to Section 2, Article III, of the Code of Fair Competition for the Mason Contractors Division of the Construction Industry, and due notice and opportunity to be heard having been given thereon and the annexed report on said modification, containing findings with respect thereto, having been made and directed to the President:

NOW, THEREFORE, on behalf of the President of the United States, I, Hugh S. Johnson, Administrator for Industrial Recovery, pursuant to authority vested in me by Executive Orders of the President, including Executive Order No. 6543–A, dated December 30, 1933, and otherwise; do hereby incorporate, by reference, said annexed report and do find that said modification and the Code as constituted after being modified comply in all respects with the pertinent provisions and will promote the policy and purposes of said Title of said Act, and do hereby order that said modification be and is hereby approved, and that the previous approval of said Code is hereby modified to include an approval of said Code in its entirety as modified.

Hugh S. Johnson, Administrator for Industrial Recovery.

Approval recommended:

Geo. L. Berry,
Division Administrator.

Washington, D.C., July 23, 1934.

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REPORT TO THE PRESIDENT

The PRESIDENT,

The White House.

Sir: This is a report on a modification of Section 2, Article III, of the Supplementary Code of Fair Competition of the Mason Contractors Division of the Construction Industry, approved by you on April 19, 1934.

The purpose of this amendment is to authorize the Divisional Code Authority to submit a budget and establish a basis of assessment upon which members of this Division will be required to contribute to

the expense of maintaining the Divisional Code Authority.

The Deputy Administrator in his final report to me on said modification of said Code having found as herein set forth and on the basis of all the proceedings in this matter:

I find that:

(a) The modification of said Code and the Code as modified are well designed to promote the policies and purposes of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act including the removal of obstructions to the free flow of interstate and foreign commerce which tend to diminish the amount thereof, and will provide for the general welfare by promoting the organization of industry for the purpose of cooperative action of labor and management under adequate governmental sanction and supervision, by eliminating unfair competitive practices, by promoting the fullest possible utilization of the present productive capacity of industries, by avoiding undue restriction of production (except as may be temporarily required), by increasing the consumption of industrial and agricultural products through increasing purchasing power, by reducing and relieving unemployment, by improving standards of labor, and by otherwise rehabilitating industry.

(b) The Code as modified complies in all respects with the pertinent provisions of said title of said Act, including without limitation sub-section (a) of Section 3, sub-section (a) of Section 7 and sub-

section (b) of Section 10 thereof.

(c) The Code empowers the Code Authority to present the aforesaid modification on behalf of the industry as a whole.

(d) The modification and the Code as modified are not designed to

and will not permit monopolies or monopolistic practices.

(e) The modification and the Code as modified are not designed to and will not eliminate or oppress small enterprises and will not operate to discriminate against them.

(f) Those engaged in other steps of the economic process have not been deprived of the right to be heard prior to approval of said

amendment.

For these reasons this modification has been approved.

Respectfully,

Hugh S. Johnson, Administrator.

JULY 23, 1934.

AMENDMENT TO CODE OF FAIR COMPETITION FOR THE MASON CONTRACTORS INDUSTRY

A DIVISION OF THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

CHAPTER VIII

Amend Article III by deleting, in their entirety, the provisions of the present Section 2 thereof and substituting therefor the following:

Section 2. 1. It being found necessary in order to support the administration of this Code and to maintain the standards of fair competition established hereunder and to effectuate the policy of the Act, the Divisional Code Authority is authorized:

(a) To incur such reasonable obligations as are necessary and proper for the foregoing purposes, and to meet such obligations out of funds which may be raised as hereinafter provided and which

shall be held in trust for the purposes of the Code:

(b) To submit to the Administrator for his approval, subject to such notice and opportunity to be heard as he may deem necessary, (1) an itemized budget of its estimated expenses for the foregoing purposes, and (2) an equitable basis upon which the funds necessary to support such budget shall be contributed by members of this Division:

(c) After such budget and basis of contribution have been approved by the Administrator, to determine and obtain equitable contribution as above set forth by all members of this Division, and to that end, if necessary, to institute legal proceedings therefor in its

own name.

2. Each member of this Division shall pay his or its equitable contribution to the expenses of the maintenance of the Divisional Code Authority, determined as hereinabove provided, and subject to rules and regulations pertaining thereto issued by the Administrator. Only members of this Division complying with the Code and contributing to the expenses of its administration as hereinabove provided (unless duly exempted from making such contribution) shall be entitled to participate in the selection of members of the Divisional Code Authority or to receive the benefits of any of its voluntary activities or to make use of any emblem or insignia of the National Recovery Administration.

3. The Divisional Code Authority shall neither incur nor pay any obligation substantially in excess of the amount thereof as estimated in its approved budget, except upon approval of the Administrator; and no subsequent budget shall contain any deficiency item for expenditures in excess of prior budget estimate except those which the

Administrator shall have so approved.

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