

# Women's Trade Union Association.

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OFFICE HOURS: 11 A.M. TO 2 P.M.

Dear Madam

I am sorry to say that I fear the employer of whom you write could be within his legal rights if he kept the girls till 9 every week day, provided he gave them an hour and a half meal time and released them before 6 on Saturday. If however they do not get their full hour

and a half for meals, or if they are kept at work more than four hours without a break, the Inspector could interfere, and undoubtedly do so if you sent to him. H. M. S. Chief Inspector of Factories, Home Office, Whitehall is the address.

Of course the hours are too long but they do not appear to be unlawfully long.

Yours faithfully

Clementine Black