

WELFARE FOOD SCHEMES: NATIONAL MILK-COCOA FOR ADOLESCENTS

The Ministry of Food announce that the scheme for the provision of National Milk-Cocoa to adolescents under eighteen which has applied up to now only to factorics and industrial undertakings, is now extended. Employers of adolescents who are under that age and are employed in any business or office or in agriculture, etc., can now obtain National Milk-Cocoa to serve as a drink at the place of work. Recognised Youth Organisations which hold catering licences may also obtain National Milk-Cocoa to serve to adolescents under eighteen.

Employers and people responsible for youth organisations are asked to make every effort to see that National Milk-Cocoa is provided for their under-eighteens every day. The maximum charge is 1d. per one-third pint cup and Managers, Welfare Officers, Canteen Supervisors and all concerned with the care of staff are urged to explain to them the advantage of this scheme. The adolescents need the extra nourishment which the National Milk-Cocoa provides, and the success of this scheme depends on the full co-operation of every employer and Youth Organisation.

Full details, together with the necessary permit may be obtained from the local Food Office.