



Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972

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- 2 The chairman of the council may call a meeting of ...

CHAIRMAN OF MEETING

- 3 At a meeting of the council the chairman of the ...

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- 4 Subject to sub-paragraph (2), no business shall be transacted at ...

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- 5 The names of the councillors present at a meeting of ...

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- 6 A person authorised in writing by the Ministry in that ...

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- 2 The Staff Commission may pay— to its chairman such remuneration; ...
2A The Staff Commission may make payments to its members for, ...

EXPENSES

- 3 Before the commencement of each financial year the Staff
Commission ...
4 In preparing the estimate mentioned in paragraph 3, the Staff ...
5 The Staff Commission shall, with the approval of the Ministry, ...
6 Any question arising in connection with an apportionment under
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7 The amount apportioned under paragraph 5 as arising from matters ...
7A The amount apportioned under paragraph 5 as arising from matters ...
8 Any sum which is payable by a council [or, ...
9 The amount apportioned under paragraph 5 as other expenditure shall ...

BORROWING

- 10 The Staff Commission may borrow, by way of temporary loan ...

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Interpretation

- 1 In this Schedule “ a Commissioner ” means a Local ...

Appointment

- 2 Section 18(2) of the Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 applies ...

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- 3 The Department may, at the request of a Commissioner, appoint ...

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- 4 The Department shall appoint— a secretary; and such other officers ...

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- 9 In relation to a notice published by a Commissioner under ...
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17 In determining the number and boundaries of wards within a ...
18 Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3)— in the district of ...
19 Within any one district there shall, as far as is ...

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- 3 In the case of an accumulating sinking fund, the interest ...
- 4 A council may at any time apply the whole or ...
- 5 Any surplus of a sinking fund remaining after the discharge ...
- 6 If at any time it appears to the council that ...
- 7 If the council desires to accelerate the repayment of any ...
- 8 If the amount in a sinking fund, together with the ...
- 9 If at any time the amount in a sinking fund, ...

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PRELIMINARY PROCEDURE

- 1 A council which proposes to acquire land otherwise than by ...
- 2 Notice of the application, in such form and manner as ...

MAKING OF VESTING ORDER

- 3 After the expiration of one month from the date of ...
- 4 A vesting order shall contain such provisions as the Ministry ...

VALIDITY AND OPERATION OF VESTING ORDERS

- 5 The following provisions of this paragraph shall have effect with ...
- 6 Subject to sub-paragraph (3), a vesting order shall operate, without ...
- 7 A vesting order, or the title created by such an ...
- 8 Where a vesting order relates to any land forming part ...
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- 10 Section 92 of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act 1845 shall ...

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- 15 Where the compensation payable (whether the amount thereof has been ...
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- 17 Where the amount of compensation has been determined but for ...

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18 The council shall pay interest upon the compensation money from ...

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