
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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Statutory Rules (Northern Ireland) Order 1979 ^{F1}

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1979]

STATUTORY RULES (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1979

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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 1 — RULE-MAKING AUTHORITIES

PART I — AUTHORITIES WHO ARE RULE-MAKING AUTHORITIES

Administrative authorities

The Secretary of State. The Minister for the Civil Service. The First Minister and deputy...

Legal authorities

The Lord Chancellor. The Lord Chief Justice or any other judge of the High Court...

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Other authorities

The Chief Constable of the Royal Ulster Constabulary. The Director General of Electricity Supply for...

PART II — RULE-MAKING AUTHORITIES REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 4(b)

Administrative authorities

The Secretary of State (in relation, by virtue of section 95(5) of and paragraph 8...

Legal authorities

The Lord Chief Justice.

Other authorities

The Chief Constable of the Royal Ulster Constabulary.

SCHEDULE 2 — STATUTORY PROVISIONS EMPOWERING THE MAKING OF SCHEMES WHICH ARE STATUTORY RULES

SCHEDULE 3 — RULES EXEMPTED UNDER ARTICLE 5(2)(c) FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF THAT SUB-PARAGRAPH

1. Orders under section 11 of the Boundary Survey (Ireland) Act 1854 .
2. Orders under section 162, 163 or 164 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878 .
3. Orders under section 3 of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act 1907 . Para. 4 rep. by 1981 NI 14
5. Orders under section 2(1) of the Land Law (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland) 1932 .
6. Orders under section 5 of the Hairdressers Act (Northern Ireland) 1939 .
7. Orders under Article 13, 14, 68 or 69 of the Roads (Northern Ireland) Order 1993.
- 7A Orders under Article 4, 10, 13, 15, 27A, 36(3)(a), 37, 38, 40(2), (3) or (7)...
8. Statutory rules of a temporary character which in the opinion of the rule-making authority are...

— Schedule 4—Amendments

— Schedule 5—Repeals

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- [Sch.1. Pt.II am. \(prosp.\) by 1998 c. 47 s.99Sch.13 para.4](#)
- [art.7\(1\) rev. in pt. \(prosp.\) by 1998 c. 47 s.100\(2\)Sch.15](#)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Order associated Parts and Chapters:

- [Act amended by 1996 c. 25 s.79Sch.4 para.26](#)
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Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Order (including any effects on those provisions):

- [Sch.4 para.14 rev. \(prosp.\) by 1998 c. 47 s.100\(2\)Sch.15](#)
- [art.11\(4\) rev. \(prosp.\) by 1998 c. 47 s.100\(2\)Sch.15](#)