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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1976 No. 582**

**Solicitors (Northern Ireland) Order 1976**

**PART II**

**QUALIFICATION, ADMISSION, PRACTISING CERTIFICATES, ETC.**

*Qualifications and admission*

**Qualifications for practising as solicitor**

4. A person shall not be qualified to act as a solicitor unless—
- (a) he has been admitted as a solicitor; and
  - (b) his name is on the roll; and
  - (c) he has in force a certificate issued by the registrar in accordance with the provisions of this Part authorising him to practise as a solicitor (in this Order referred to as a “practising certificate”);

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**Changes to legislation:**

There are outstanding changes not yet made by the legislation.gov.uk editorial team to Solicitors (Northern Ireland) Order 1976. Any changes that have already been made by the team appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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- art. 6(1A) inserted by [2011 c. 24 \(N.I.\) s. 88\(2\)](#)
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- art. 51(11A) inserted by [2016 c. 14 \(N.I.\) s. 3\(4\)](#)
- art. 71H(3) revoked by [1996 c. 23 s. 107\(2\)Sch.4](#)
- art. 75(1A) inserted by [2016 c. 14 \(N.I.\) s. 3\(6\)](#)
- art. 75(2A)(2B) inserted by [2011 c. 24 \(N.I.\) s. 90\(1\)](#)