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3. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 2(1) shall be in such form and shall contain...
4. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 2(1)(b)—
(a) the receipt issued...
5. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
6. A person intending to object under paragraph 5 shall, not less than 1 week before...

SCHEDULE 2 — APPLICATIONS FOR THE GRANT OF BOOKMAKING OFFICE LICENCES

PART I — GRANT OF BOOKMAKING OFFICE LICENCES

1. A licensed bookmaker who intends to make an application for the grant of a bookmaking...
2. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 1 shall specify— (a) the name of the applicant;...
3. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 1(b)— (a) the receipt issued...
4. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
5. A person intending to object under paragraph 4 shall, not less than 1 week before...

PART II — PROVISIONAL GRANT OF BOOKMAKING OFFICE LICENCES

6. Part I shall apply for the purposes of an application for the provisional grant of...

PART III — APPLICATIONS TO HAVE PROVISIONAL GRANT OF BOOKMAKING OFFICE LICENCES DECLARED FINAL

7. A licensed bookmaker who intends to make an application to have the provisional grant of...
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PART I — GENERAL PROCEDURE

1. The clerk of petty sessions for each petty sessions district shall, not less than 6...
2. (1) A person who intends to make an application for the renewal of a bookmaker's...
3. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 2(1) shall be in such form and shall contain...
4. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 2(1)— (a) the receipt issued...
5. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
6. A person intending to object under paragraph 5 shall, not less than 1 week before...
7. Before the renewal date, the applicant shall deposit the bookmaker's licence with the clerk of...

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PART I — GENERAL PROCEDURE

1. The clerk of petty sessions for each petty sessions district shall, not less than 6...
2. A licensed bookmaker who intends to make an application for the renewal of a bookmaking...
3. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 2 shall be in such form and shall contain...
4. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 2— (a) the receipt issued...
5. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
6. A person intending to object under paragraph 5 shall, not less than 1 week before...
7. Before the renewal date, the applicant shall deposit the bookmaking office licence with the clerk...

PART II — PROCEDURE FOR RENEWALS OUT OF TIME

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PART I — TRANSFER OF BOOKMAKING OFFICE LICENCES

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2. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 1 shall be in such form and shall contain...
3. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 1(b) the receipt issued by...

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4. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
 5. A person intending to object under paragraph 4 shall, not less than 1 week before...
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 - (a) a bookmaker's licence;...
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3. The notice mentioned in paragraph 2(1) shall specify the grounds on which the application is...
4. The holder of the licence or, as the case may be, the certificate, and any...
5. A person intending to object under paragraph 4 shall, not less than 1 week before...

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1. The totalisator shall be a mechanically or electrically operated apparatus complying with such conditions as...
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3. The operator shall, before receiving any bets in connection with any race, post in a...
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5. Where the number of pence in the amount payable in respect of each betting unit...
6. The terms on which the operator invites persons to bet by means of the totalisator...
7. The Department may appoint a qualified accountant (the accountant) who shall be charged with the...
8. Subject to paragraph 9, the accountant and the technical adviser shall hold office on such...
9. The terms on which the accountant is appointed shall include a term that on every...
10. Where an accountant has been appointed under paragraph 7, the totalisator shall not be operated...

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11. (1) The accountant, the technical adviser and their respective servants and an officer of the...
12. The operator shall, within 7 days after the close of each month, submit to the...
13. The accountant shall examine the statements of account submitted to him under paragraph 12 and...
14. The accountant shall retain for a period of 2 years all statements of account submitted...
15. (1) Without prejudice to his duties under the preceding paragraphs, the accountant shall, as soon...
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— Interpretation (1) (1) In this Schedule “betting worker” means an employee who, under his contract...

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1. (1) In this Schedule “betting worker” means an employee who, under his contract of employment,...

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2. (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (5), a betting worker is to be regarded as “protected” for...

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Contracts with guaranteed hours

4. (1) This paragraph applies where— (a) under the contract of employment under which a betting...

Reduction of pay, etc.

5. (1) This paragraph applies where— (a) under the contract of employment under which a betting...

Notice of objection to Sunday working

6. (1) A betting worker to whom this paragraph applies may at any time give his...

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Right not to suffer detriment for refusing Sunday work

10. (1) An employee who is a protected betting worker or an opted-out betting worker has...

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11. (1) Where an employee who is a protected betting worker or an opted-out betting worker...
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SCHEDULE 9 — APPLICATIONS FOR THE GRANT OF BINGO CLUB LICENCES

PART I — GRANT OF BINGO CLUB LICENCES

1. A person who intends to make an application for the grant of a bingo club...
2. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 1 shall specify— (a) the name of the applicant;...
3. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 1(b) the receipt issued by...
4. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
5. A person intending to object under paragraph 4 shall, not less than 1 week before...

PART II — PROVISIONAL GRANT OF BINGO CLUB LICENCES

6. Part I shall apply for the purposes of an application for the provisional grant of...

PART III — APPLICATIONS TO HAVE PROVISIONAL GRANT OF BINGO CLUB LICENCES DECLARED FINAL

7. A person who intends to make an application to have the provisional grant of a...
8. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 7 the receipt issued by...
9. Before or at the hearing of the application to have the provisional grant of a...

SCHEDULE 10 — APPLICATIONS FOR THE RENEWAL OF BINGO CLUB LICENCES

PART I — GENERAL PROCEDURE

1. The clerk of petty sessions for each petty sessions district shall, not less than 6...
2. A person who intends to make an application for the renewal of a bingo club...
3. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 2 shall be in such form and shall contain...
4. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 2 the receipt issued by...
5. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
6. A person intending to object under paragraph 5 shall, not less than 1 week before...
7. Before the renewal date, the applicant shall deposit the bingo club licence with the clerk...

PART II — PROCEDURE FOR RENEWAL OUT OF TIME

8. Part I shall apply for the purposes of an application under Article 69(1) for the...

SCHEDULE 11 — APPLICATIONS FOR THE GRANT OF GAMING MACHINE CERTIFICATES AND GAMING MACHINE PERMITS

PART I — GAMING MACHINE CERTIFICATES

1. A person who intends to make an application for the grant of a gaming machine...
2. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 1 shall specify— (a) the name of the applicant;...

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3. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 1(b) the receipt issued by...
4. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
5. A person intending to object under paragraph 4 shall, not less than 1 week before...

PART II — GAMING MACHINE PERMITS

6. Part I shall apply for the purposes of an application for the grant of a...

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PART I — GENERAL PROCEDURE

1. The clerk of petty sessions for each petty sessions district shall, not less than 6...
2. A person who intends to make an application for the renewal of a gaming machine...
3. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 2 shall be in such form and shall contain...
4. The applicant shall attach to the notice mentioned in paragraph 2 the receipt issued by...
5. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
6. A person intending to object under paragraph 5 shall, not less than 1 week before...
7. Before the renewal date, the applicant shall deposit the gaming machine certificate with the clerk...

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1. A person who intends to make an application for the registration of a club shall—...
2. The notice mentioned in paragraph 1 shall specify— (a) the name of the club; (b)...
3. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
4. A person intending to object under paragraph 3 shall, not less than 1 week before...

SCHEDULE 14 — APPLICATIONS FOR THE RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION OF CLUBS

PART I — GENERAL PROCEDURE

1. A person who intends to make an application for the renewal of the registration of...
2. The notice mentioned in paragraph 1 shall be in such form and shall contain such...
3. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
4. A person intending to object under paragraph 3 shall, not less than 1 week before...
5. Before the renewal date, the applicant shall deposit the certificate of registration with the clerk...

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PART II — PROCEDURE FOR RENEWALS OUT OF TIME

6. Part I shall apply for the purposes of an application under Article 100(1) for the...

SCHEDULE 15 — RIGHTS OF LANDLORD WHERE TENANT CONVICTED OF PERMITTING USE OF PREMISES FOR GAMING

1. Upon the conviction of the tenant or occupier (in this Schedule referred to as “the...)
2. If the tenant fails to do so within 3 months, the lessor or landlord may...
3. Where the lease or contract is determined under this Schedule, the court by which the...
4. The approval of the lessor or landlord for the purposes of paragraph 1 shall not...
Para. 5 rep. by 1996 NI 5
6. This Schedule shall have effect subject to the Rent (Northern Ireland) Order 1978.

SCHEDULE 16 — APPLICATIONS FOR THE GRANT OF LOTTERY CERTIFICATES

1. A person who intends to make an application for the grant of a lottery certificate...
2. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 1 shall be in such form and shall contain...
3. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
4. A person intending to object under paragraph 3 shall, not less than 1 week before...

SCHEDULE 17 — APPLICATIONS FOR THE RENEWAL OF LOTTERY CERTIFICATES

PART I — GENERAL PROCEDURE

1. The clerk of petty sessions for each petty sessions district shall, not less than 6...
2. A person who intends to make an application for the renewal of a lottery certificate...
3. (1) The notice mentioned in paragraph 2 shall be in such form and contain such...
4. Any person shall be entitled to appear at the hearing of the application and object...
5. A person intending to object under paragraph 4 shall, not less than 1 week before...
6. Before the renewal date, the applicant shall deposit the lottery certificate with the clerk of...

PART II — PROCEDURE FOR RENEWALS OUT OF TIME

7. Part I shall apply for the purposes of an application under Article 146(1) for the...

SCHEDULE 18 — TABLE OF OFFENCES WITH MODE OF PROSECUTION AND PUNISHMENTS

— Schedule 19—Amendments

SCHEDULE 20 — TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS

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- Existing licences
- 1. (1) Notwithstanding the repeal of the Act of 1957 by Article 187(4) and Schedule 21,...
- Applications for certificates
- 2. (1) Where, before the commencement date, notice of an application to a court of summary...
- Renewals of bookmaking office licences
- 3. (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 18, on the first occasion on which, after the...
- Licensed bookmakers on certain tracks
- 4. For the purposes of Article 45(2)(b), where the occupier of any track holds, on the...
- Registration of existing clubs
- 5. (1) The chairman or secretary of a club in existence immediately before the commencement date...
- Lotteries of Art Unions
- 6. (1) Notwithstanding the repeal of the Art Unions Act 1846 by Article 187(4) and Schedule...
- Saving
- 7. The provisions of this Schedule shall have effect without prejudice to section 29 of the...
- Interpretation
- 8. In this Schedule— “The Act of 1957” means the Betting and Lotteries Act (Northern Ireland)...
- Schedule 21—Repeals

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