

## 1974. No. 151

## SUMMARY JURISDICTION

## Petty Sessions Times

*Made* . . . . . 28th June 1974

*Coming into operation* . . . . . 1st September 1974

*To be laid before Parliament*

RULES, DATED 28TH JUNE 1974, MADE BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE UNDER SECTION 21(3)(a) OF THE MAGISTRATES' COURTS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1964.

In pursuance of section 21(3)(a) of the Magistrates' Courts Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(a), after consultation with the County Court Judges and the Resident Magistrates referred to in that section, I hereby make the following Rules:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. This Order may be cited as the Petty Sessions Times Order (Northern Ireland) 1974 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1974.

*Times of holding Petty Sessions*

2.—(1) The times when Petty Sessions shall be held regularly in or for the Petty Sessions districts set out in the first column of the Schedule shall be as set out in the second column of the Schedule opposite the name of the Petty Sessions District.

(2) When the time fixed for the holding of Petty Sessions for a district would but for this paragraph be on Christmas Day or Good Friday, the time fixed for holding such Petty Sessions shall be the time fixed for the next following Petty Sessions for that district.

*Revocation*

3. The Petty Sessions Districts and Times (General) Order (Northern Ireland) 1972(b) and the Petty Sessions Districts and Times (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1973(c) are hereby revoked.

Northern Ireland Office  
28th June 1974

*Merlyn Rees,*  
One of Her Majesty's  
Principal Secretaries of State.

(a) 1964. c. 21 (N.I.).  
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972, No. 324.

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973, No. 465.

## SCHEDULE

(1)  <i>Petty Sessions District</i>	(2)  <i>Times of holding Petty Sessions</i>		
	<i>Day of month</i>	<i>Hour of opening</i>	
		<i>For juvenile cases</i>	<i>For other business</i>
COUNTY ANTRIM Antrim	Every Friday and 2nd and 3rd Thursdays	—	10.30 a.m.
Ballycastle	1st Thursday	10.30 a.m.	—
Ballyclare	3rd Monday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Ballymena	1st and 3rd Thursdays	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
	Every Wednesday and 3rd Tuesday	—	10.30 a.m.
Ballymoney	2nd Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Carrickfergus	1st, 2nd and 4th Mondays	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
	1st and 3rd Mondays and 1st and 3rd Tuesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
Cushendall	2nd Monday	10.30 a.m.	—
Larne	4th Thursday	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
	1st and 4th Fridays and 2nd and 4th Tuesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
Lisburn	2nd Friday	10.30 a.m.	—
	Every Monday and Wednesday and 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th Thursdays	—	10.30 a.m.
Newtownabbey	1st and 3rd Tuesdays	10.30 a.m.	—
	4th Monday, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Thursdays	—	10.30 a.m.
Portrush	1st and 3rd Wednesdays	10.30 a.m.	—
	1st and 3rd Wednesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	2nd Wednesday	10.30 a.m.	—
COUNTY ARMAGH Armagh	1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Mondays	—	10.30 a.m.
	1st Wednesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Lurgan	Every Thursday	—	10.30 a.m.
	4th Wednesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Newtownhamilton	1st Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Portadown	1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Tuesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	3rd Wednesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Tandragee	2nd Friday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
COUNTY BOROUGH OF BELFAST At Petty Sessions Courthouse Chichester Street Belfast	Daily Monday to Friday, inclusive	— 10.30 a.m.	10.30 a.m. —

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<b>COUNTY DOWN</b>				
Banbridge	2nd and 4th Thursdays	10.00 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
	3rd Thursday	—	11.00 a.m.	
Bangor	Every Wednesday	—	10.30 a.m.	
	4th Monday	10.30 a.m.	—	
Ballynahinch	2nd Monday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	
Castlewellan	4th Monday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	
Dromore	4th Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Downpatrick	1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th Thursdays	—	10.30 a.m.	
	4th Thursday	10.30 a.m.	—	
Hillsborough	2nd and 4th Tuesdays	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	
Holywood	1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th Fridays	—	10.30 a.m.	
	2nd Friday	10.30 a.m.	—	
Kilkeel	3rd Tuesday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	
Newcastle	1st and 3rd Mondays	—	10.30 a.m.	
	2nd Monday	10.30 a.m.	—	
Newry	Every Wednesday	—	10.30 a.m.	
	2nd Friday	10.30 a.m.	—	
Newtownards	1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th Tuesdays	—	10.30 a.m.	
	4th Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—	
Newtownbreda	Every Friday	—	10.30 a.m.	
	4th Thursday	10.30 a.m.	—	
Portaferry	1st Monday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	
Rathfriland	1st Friday	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Saintfield	3rd Monday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	
Warrenpoint	4th Friday	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
<b>COUNTY FERMANAGH</b>				
Derrygonnelly	4th Friday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Derrylin	4th Wednesday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Enniskillen	1st, 3rd and 4th Mondays	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	
Irvinestown	2nd Friday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Kesh	4th Tuesday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Letterbreen	3rd Wednesday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Lisbellaw	3rd Friday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Lisnaskea	3rd Thursday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
Newtownbutler	3rd Tuesday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	
<b>COUNTY LONDONDERRY</b>				
Londonderry	Every Monday and Thursday	—	10.30 a.m.	
	1st Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—	
Coleraine	1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Fridays and 1st Wednesday	—	10.30 a.m.	
	2nd Wednesday	10.30 a.m.	—	

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<b>COUNTY LONDONDERRY</b> <i>(continued)</i>			
Garvagh	4th Wednesday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Kilrea	1st Tuesday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Limavady	2nd, 3rd and 4th Tuesdays	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Maghera	4th Tuesday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Magherafelt	1st, 2nd and 3rd Tuesdays	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Moneymore	3rd Thursday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
<b>COUNTY TYRONE</b>			
Aughnacloy	1st Tuesday	10.15 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Castlederg	1st Friday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Clogher	4th Thursday	10.15 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Cookstown	1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th Fridays	—	10.30 a.m.
	3rd Friday	10.00 a.m.	11.30 a.m.
Dromore	1st Wednesday	10.15 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Dungannon	1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th Wednesday	—	10.30 a.m.
	3rd Wednesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Fintona	2nd Tuesday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Fivemiletown	2nd Wednesday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Omagh	Every Monday	—	10.30 a.m.
	1st Thursday	10.30 a.m.	—
Plumbridge	2nd Monday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Pomeroy	2nd Thursday	10.15 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Strabane	1st and 2nd Thursdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	4th Thursday	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)*

This Order sets out with some amendments, the times and dates of sittings of all Petty Sessions in Northern Ireland.