1976 No. 264

MAGISTRATES' COURTS

Petty Sessions District (Carrickfergus) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976

Made 2nd September 1976

. 1st November 1976 Coming into operation.

To be laid before Parliament

The Secretary of State(a) in pursuance of section 21(3)(a) and (f) of the Magistrates' Courts Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(b), after consultation with the County Court Judge and Resident Magistrate concerned, hereby makes the following rule:

Citation and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the Petty Sessions District (Carrickfergus) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976 and shall come into operation on 1st November 1976.

Place for holding Carrickfergus Petty Sessions

2. Petty sessions for the petty sessions district of Carrickfergus shall be held at the Courthouse, Newtownabbey, a place outside the petty sessions district of Carrickfergus, but not more than 6 miles from the boundary of the said district and at the times specified in the Petty Sessions Times Order (Northern Ireland) 1976(c).

Northern Ireland Office 2nd September 1976

Merlyn Rees One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This order provides that the petty sessions for the petty sessions district of Carrickfergus shall be held at the Courthouse, Newtownabbey, as from 1st November 1976 instead of in that district.

⁽a) Formerly the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland: see S.I. 1973/2163 (1973 III, p. 7541) (b) 1964 c. 21 (N.I.) (c) S.R. 1976 No. 263