

## 1976 No. 365

## COUNTY COURTS

County Courts Times of Sittings (County Armagh) Order  
(Northern Ireland) 1976

Made . . . . . 26th November 1976

Coming into operation . . . . . 1st January 1977

The Secretary of State(a) in pursuance of sections 2 and 4 of the County Courts Act (Northern Ireland) 1959(b) hereby makes the following order:

*Citation and commencement*

1. This order may be cited as the County Courts Times of Sittings (County Armagh) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1977.

*Times of sittings and nature of business to be transacted*

2. The ordinary sittings of the county courts for the divisions and the places in those divisions set out in the first column of the schedule shall be held within the periods shown in the second column and the nature of the business to be transacted by such courts shall be as specified in the third column.

*Revocation*

3. So much of the County Court Sittings (Armagh) Order (Northern Ireland) 1956(c) as specifies that there shall be four sittings or courts for any of those divisions and so much of the Order in Council dated 27th July 1937(d) made under section 11 of the County Officers and Courts Act (Northern Ireland) 1925(e) as relates to County Armagh is hereby revoked.

*Roy Mason*

One of Her Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State

Northern Ireland Office  
26th November 1976

(a) Formerly the Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland: see S.I. 1973/2163 (1973 III, p. 7541)

(b) 1959 c. 25 (N.I.)

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1956 No. 18 (p. 82)

(d) See Belfast Gazette dated 6 August 1937 (p. 243)

(e) 1925 c. 5 (N.I.)

## SCHEDULE

<i>County Court</i>	<i>Times of Sittings</i>	<i>Nature of business to be transacted</i>
Division of Armagh ARMAGH	January/February March/April May/June September/October November/December	All criminal and civil business.  All criminal and civil business excluding original criminal proceedings.
Division of Lurgan LURGAN	January/February March/April May/June September/October November/December	All criminal and civil business excluding original criminal proceedings.
Division of Markethill at Newry (for Ballybot)	January/February March/April May/June September/October November/December	All criminal and civil business excluding original criminal proceedings.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This order fixes the periods within which the ordinary sittings of the county court are to be held for the county court divisions of Armagh and the nature of the business to be transacted at those sittings.