

1988 No. 382

HEALTH AND SAFETY**LOCAL GOVERNMENT****Petroleum (Consolidation) Act (Amendment)
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988***Made 1st November 1988**Coming into operation 19th December 1988*

The Department of the Environment, being the Department concerned(a), in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 45(1) and (2) of the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, following consultation with the Health and Safety Agency for Northern Ireland, and being of the opinion to the extent indicated in regulation 2 that it is necessary to obtain amounts expressed in convenient and suitable terms, makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Petroleum (Consolidation) Act (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1988 and shall come into operation on 19th December 1988.

Amendment of the Petroleum (Consolidation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1929

2. In the First Schedule to the Petroleum (Consolidation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1929(c) for the words from "in respect of a licence" to the words "exceeding 50,000 gallons" substitute the following words—

"not exceeding 455 litres
 exceeding 455 litres,
 not exceeding 2,275
 exceeding 2,275 litres,
 not exceeding 4,550
 exceeding 4,550 litres,
 not exceeding 22,350
 exceeding 22,350 litres,
 not exceeding 45,500
 exceeding 45,500 litres,
 not exceeding 91,000
 exceeding 91,000 litres,
 not exceeding 227,500
 exceeding 227,500 litres".

(a) See definition of "the Department concerned" in Article 2(2) of S.I. 1978/1039 (N.I. 9)

(b) S.I. 1978/1039 (N.I. 9) to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations

(c) 1929 c. 13 (N.I.) as amended by S.R. 1987 No. 408

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment on 1st
November 1988.

(L.S.)

Trevor Pearson

Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Petroleum (Consolidation) Act (Northern Ireland) 1929 by substituting amounts expressed in the First Schedule (fees for licences to keep petroleum-spirit) in metric units for amounts expressed in gallons.

The substituted amounts preserve the effect of the original provisions except to the extent necessary to obtain amounts expressed in convenient and suitable terms.