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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2020 No. 3**

The Industrial Tribunals and Fair Employment  
Tribunal (Constitution and Rules of Procedure)  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2020

**Responsibilities of the President and the Vice-President**

**13.**—(1) The President, or in the absence of the President the Vice-President, shall use the resources available to—

- (a) secure, so far as practicable, the speedy and efficient disposal of proceedings;
- (b) determine the allocation of proceedings between tribunals; and
- (c) determine where and when tribunals shall sit.

(2) Subject to Article 82(6) of the Fair Employment and Treatment Order, where the President or the Vice-President is unable to exercise the functions under regulations [5\(2\)](#) and [\(3\)](#), [10\(1\)](#), [\(2\)](#) and [\(3\)](#), [12](#) and paragraph [\(1\)\(c\)](#) and Articles [17](#) and [85](#) of the Fair Employment and Treatment Order, the President or the Vice-President may direct that those functions may be exercised by a person appointed to the panel of employment judges.