HOUSING.

THE RATES OF INTEREST (HOUSING) ORDER, NORTHERN IRELAND, 1922, DATED 25TH APRIL, 1922, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS FOR NORTHERN IRELAND WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE HOUSING ACT, 1921, FIXING THE RATE OF INTEREST ON ADVANCES UNDER SECTION 1 OF THE SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION ACT, 1899, AND ON EXPENSES INCURRED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES UNDER SECTION 23 OF THE HOUSING (IRELAND) ACT, 1919.

1922. No. 28.

Whereas, by Section 5 of the Housing Act, 1921, as applied to Ireland by Section 10 of the said Act, the Local Government Board for Ireland were empowered with the approval of the Treasury from time to time by Order to fix the rate of interest on advances under Section 1 of the Small Dwellings Acquisition Act, 1899, and on expenses incurred by local authorities under Section 23 of the Housing (Ireland) Act, 1919, and different rates of interest may be fixed for different purposes and in different cases:

And Whereas by an Order of the said Local Government Board made with the approval of the Treasury entitled the Rates of Interest (Housing) Order (Ireland), 1921, the rates of interest on advances made and on expenses incurred under the said sections are specified, and it is provided that nothing contained in the said Order shall be taken to affect the rates of interest on such advances made or expenses incurred prior to the 1st day of July, 1921:

And Whereas the functions of the Local Government Board for Ireland and of the Treasury under the aforesaid Acts have been transferred as regards Northern Ireland to the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, and to the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland respectively:

And Whereas the said Ministry of Home Affairs deem it expedient to amend the aforesaid Order in manner hereinafter appearing:

Now, Therefore the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in pursuance of every power enabling the said Ministry in that behalf, with the approval of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland, hereby Orders that the Rates of Interest (Housing) Order (Ireland), 1921, shall as regards Northern Ireland have effect and that the rates of interest shall be the rates specified in the Schedule to this Order subject to the following amendment, that is to say:—

1. Nothing therein contained shall be taken to affect the rates of interest on expenses incurred or on advances made or to be

made in respect of contracts entered into under the said sections prior to the date of this Order.

2. This Order may be cited as the Rates of Interest (Housing) Order, Northern Ireland, 1922.

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Statute.		RATE OF INTEREST.	
Small Dwellings Acquisition Act, 1899		Six and a half per cent.	
Housing (Ireland) Act, 1919, Section 23	$\cdot \cdot $	Six per cent.	

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 12th day of April, 1922.

(Signed) R. D. Megaw,

(L.S.)

R. Dawson Bates.

Approved by the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this twenty-fifth day of April, 1922.

(Signed) E. Clark,

(L.S.)

Secretary.

LAND (ACQUISITION OF). Assessment of Compensation.

THE Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Rules, Northern Ireland, 1922, dated 31st July, 1922, made by the Reference Committee for Northern Ireland under the Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Act, 1919 (9 & 10 Geo. 5, c. 57), and the Referees and Arbitrators (Procedure) Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, (12 & 13 Geo. 5, c. 9).

1922. No. 64.

In pursuance of the Acquisition of Land (Assessment of Compensation) Act, 1919, and the Referees and Arbitrators (Procedure) Act (Northern Ireland), 1922, the Reference Committee for Northern Ireland constituted under those Acts hereby make the following Rules:—

1. These Rules may be cited as the Acquisition of Land (Assess-Short titlement of Compensation) Rules (Northern Ireland), 1922.