

in lines 6 and 7 of the said form, and again immediately after the words " Union of " in line 9 thereof :

- (2) The words " in respect of a qualification other than a company qualification " shall be inserted in the form of affirmation in the said Rule prescribed immediately after the words " (County) (Rural District) of " in line 7 of the said form, and again immediately after the words " Union of " at the end thereof.

4. This Order may be cited as the County and Rural District Councillors (Northern Ireland) Election Order, 1929, and shall be construed as one with the Principal Order.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 1st day of May, 1929.

(L.S.)

D. L. Clarke,

Assistant Secretary.

Elections : Guardians.

1929. No. 44.

To the Council of every Administrative County in Northern Ireland and to the Secretary of every such Council :

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors of every Borough in Northern Ireland :

To the Town Clerk of every such Borough :

To the Urban District Council of every Urban District in Northern Ireland, not being a Borough, and to the Clerk of every such Council ; and to all others whom it may concern :

Whereas in exercise of the powers vested in it by the Local Government Acts (Northern Ireland), 1898 to 1923, the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland by an Order under Seal entitled The Guardians (Northern Ireland) Election Order, 1924 (hereinafter referred to as " the Principal Order "), did order and direct that, subject to any directions that might be given by the said Ministry or until the Ministry should otherwise order, the rules contained in the said Order should be observed in connection with the election of guardians in boroughs and urban county districts in Northern Ireland :

And whereas provision is contained in Rule 19 of the Principal Order to prevent a local government elector voting in more than

one district electoral division of a union for the members, whether Rural District Councillors or Guardians, of the Board of Guardians of that Union :

And whereas it is enacted by sub-section (6) of the Section substituted for Section 4 of the Representation of the People Act, 1918, by the Representation of the People Act (Northern Ireland), 1928, that nothing in sub-section (2) of Section 8 of the Representation of the People Act, 1918, or in the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898, or any similar enactment shall be construed so as to prevent a person registered as a local government elector in respect of several company qualifications possessed by different companies from voting in one or more district electoral divisions by virtue of each company qualification in respect of which he is registered, or from voting by virtue of a qualification other than a company qualification in respect of which he is registered as a local government elector and would, apart from the said Section 4 as so substituted, be entitled to vote :

And whereas it appears expedient to the said Ministry to amend and vary the Principal Order in manner hereinafter appearing :

Now, therefore, the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland in exercise of every power in this behalf enabling the Ministry hereby orders and directs as follows :—

1. Nothing contained in Rule 19 of the Principal Order shall be construed so as to prevent a person registered as a local government elector in respect of several company qualifications possessed by different companies from voting in one or more district electoral divisions by virtue of each company qualification in respect of which he is registered or from voting by virtue of a qualification other than a company qualification in respect of which he is registered :

2. Sub-section (2) of Rule 19 of the Principal Order shall be read and have effect as if for paragraph (b) thereof the following were substituted :—

(b) “ Have you already voted at the present election of
“ Guardians in this Urban District of
“ or at the election of Rural District Councillors or
“ Guardians in any other District Electoral Division
“ of Union in respect of a
“ qualification other than a company qualification ? ”

3. Section 27 of the First Schedule to the Ballot Act, 1872, as adapted and printed in the Third Schedule to the Principal Order shall have effect subject to the following amendments :—

(1) The words “ in respect of a qualification other than a company qualification ” shall be inserted in the

form of oath in the said Rule prescribed immediately after the word " Union " in line 6 of the said form :

- (2) The words " in respect of a qualification other than a company qualification " shall be inserted in the form of affirmation in the said Rule prescribed immediately after the word " Union " at the end of the said form.

4. This Order may be cited as the Guardians (Northern Ireland) Election Order, 1929, and shall be construed as one with the Principal Order.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 1st day of May, 1929.

(L.S.)

D. L. Clarke,

Assistant Secretary.

Elections : Urban Districts and Towns.

1929. No. 45.

To the County Council of every Administrative County in Northern Ireland :

To the Urban District Council of every Urban District in Northern Ireland not being a Borough ;

To the Clerk of every such Urban District Council ;

To the Town Commissioners of every Town having Commissioners under any Act but which is not an Urban District ;

To the Clerk of the Town Commissioners of every such Town ;

And to all others whom it may concern :

WHEREAS the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland by an Order under Seal bearing date the 7th day of December, 1922, entitled the Urban District Councillors and Town Commissioners (Northern Ireland) Election Order, 1922, and made in exercise of the powers vested in the Ministry by the Local Government Acts (Northern Ireland), 1898. to 1922, did apply the provisions of the Urban District Councillors and Town Commissioners (Ireland) Election Order, 1898, being an Order made by the Local Government Board for Ireland (which Order is hereinafter referred to as " the Principal Order "), as amended by two Orders of the said Local Government Board bearing date respectively the 29th day of November, 1901, and the 11th day of September, 1914, for the purpose of the elections of urban district councillors and of town commissioners in towns not