WILD BIRDS PROTECTION.

1943. No. 88.

Whereas under Sub-Section 1 of Section 16 of the Wild Birds Protection Act (Northern Ireland), 1931, I, The Right Honourable William Lowry, Minister of Home Affairs, am empowered to prescribe from time to time by order the variation or revocation of the time of special protection for any bird and any modification of the provisions of the Act with respect to the special protection of the eggs and nests of birds:

AND WHEREAS representations have been made to me-

That the time of special protection afforded to all species of duck in Category 3 should be from the 1st day of March to the 12th day of August in each year:

AND WHEREAS Notice was duly given by me on the 25th June, 1943, in accordance with the provisions of Sub-section 6 of Section 16 of the Wild Birds Protection Act (Northern Ireland), 1931, of my intention to make such an order and the purport thereof:

AND WHEREAS objections to the making of such an order were received by me:

AND WHEREAS the said objections have been duly considered:

Now, THEREFORE, I, THE RIGHT HONOURABLE WILLIAM LOWRY, Minister of Home Affairs, hereby order and direct:

- 1. That the time of special protection afforded to all species of duck in Category 3 shall from the date hereof be from the 1st day of March to the 12th day of August in each year.
- 2. That so much of Statutory Rule and Order of Northern Ireland, 1937, No. 11 as relates to all species of duck be revoked.

Given at Belfast, Northern Ireland, this 26th day of July, Nineteen Hundred and Forty-three.

(Signed) William Lowry,

Minister of Home Affairs
for Northern Ireland.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION.

Examining Surgeons.

Order, dated 18th day of August, 1943, made by the Ministry of Labour under Section 3 of the Workmen's Compensation Act (Northern Ireland), (1943. Ch. 6).

1943. No. 95.

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by Section 3 of the Workmen's Compensation Act (Northern Ireland), 1943, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby orders and directs as follows:—

1. In any case where a workman claiming to be disabled by a scheduled disease has been employed and temporarily resident in the district of one examining surgeon and has his ordinary place of residence in the district of another examining surgeon and, without having applied for a certificate of disablement under Section 44 of the Workmen's Compensation Act (Northern Ireland), 1927 (a), from the examining surgeon for the district in which he was employed, has returned to reside in his normal place of residence or has been removed for medical treatment to a hospital or other place outside the district of the last mentioned examining surgeon, the powers and duties of the said last mentioned examining surgeon may be exercised and performed by the examining surgeon for the district where the workman ordinarily resides or to which he has been removed for medical treatment, as the case may be.

Provided that where a workman has by virtue of this paragraph made application for a certificate of disablement to the examining surgeon for the district where the workman ordinarily resides or to which he has been removed for medical treatment, as the case may be, and the said examining surgeon has refused to give such a certificate, the workman shall not in respect of the same disablement be entitled to apply for such a certificate to, or obtain such a certificate from, any other examining surgeon.

- 2. Where an employer or a workman is aggrieved by the action of an examining surgeon to whom, by virtue of the preceding paragraph, application has been made for a certificate of disablement in giving or refusing to give such a certificate, any reference to a medical referee made in pursuance of Section 44 of the Workmen's Compensation Act (Northern Ireland), 1927, shall be in accordance with the Workmen's Compensation (Medical Referees) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1935 (b), as amended by any subsequent Regulations, subject to the provision that for the purposes of Regulation 25 of the said Regulations the clerk of the crown and peace to whom application may be made for the matter to be referred to a medical referee shall be the clerk of the crown and peace of the county in which the workman was last employed in the employment to the nature of which the workman claims that the disease is due.
- 3. In this Order "scheduled disease" means a disease mentioned in the Third Schedule to the Workmen's Compensation Act (Northern Ireland), 1927, or a disease or injury to which the provisions of section 44 of that Act have been extended by Order of the Ministry of Labour under sub-section (3) of that section.

⁽a) 17 & 18 Geo. 5. Ch. 16. (b) S. R. & O. of N.I. 1935 (No. 40.)

4. This Order may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Examining Surgeons) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1943.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 18th day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-three, in the presence of

(L.S.)

Stormont, Belfast.

F. C. S. Moore,

Assistant Secretary.

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"(2) Where, for the purpose of any of these Regulations, any power is exercisable by the Government of Northern Ireland (whether acting alone or in Council) or by any department of the Government of Northern Ireland, nothing in section 3 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, shall apply to any order, rule or bye-law made in the exercise of the said power, but the order, rule or bye-law shall be deemed to be a statutory rule to which the Rules Publication Act (Northern Ireland), 1925, applies, notwithstanding that it does not relate to a matter in respect of which the Parliament of Northern Ireland has power to make laws."

Orders of a local character made under the Emergency Powers (Defence) Regulations will be found in the Classified List of local Orders.