DISABLED PERSONS (EMPLOYMENT).

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this sixteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty-six, in the presence of

(L.S.)

R. R. Bowman,

Secretary to the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not a part of these Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport)

Section twelve of the Act provides that, subject to certain exceptions, vacancies in employments designated under that Section must be appropriated to registered disabled persons only. These Regulations make special provision for the case of persons employed by the same employer partly in a designated employment and partly in some other employment.

Registration

REGULATIONS, DATED 21ST MARCH, 1946, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER THE DISABLED PERSONS (EMPLOYMENT) ACT (Northern Ireland), 1945 Amending the Disabled Persons (REGISTRATION) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945.

1946. No. 51

. The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland by virtue of the powers conferred on it by the Disabled Persons (Employment) Act (Northern Ireland), 1945 hereby makes the following Regulations :---

Short title and commencement.

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Disabled Persons (Registration) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1946, and shall come into force on the date hereof and these Regulations and the Disabled Persons (Registration) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1945 (hereinafter referred to as the " principal Regulations ") may be cited together as the Disabled Persons (Registration) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1945 and 1946.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

Amendment principal Regulations.

Regulation 7 of the principal Regulations (which specifies certain 2. tion 7 of the matters as disqualifications for the retention of the name of a registered disabled person in the Register of Disabled Persons) shall have effect as if at the end thereof there were inserted the following :---

> (4) if, being a person for the time being in Great Britain, he fails to satisfy any prescribed condition under the Disabled Persons

or:

Special Percentage (Ships).

(Employment) Act, 1944 as to the retention of names in the Register established and maintained under Section 6 of that Act or is subject to any prescribed disqualification under that Act in that behalf ".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and forty-six, in the presence of

(L.S.)

J. W. McConnell,

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

Explanatory Note.

By Section 22 of the Disabled Persons (Employment) Act, 1944, and an Order in Council made thereunder, registration in the Northern Ireland Register of Disabled Persons is treated as having the same effect as registration in the British Register and any such registration will continue to be so treated so long as the name of the person concerned remains in the Northern Ireland Register. The purpose of this amending Regulation is to enable the name of a person to be removed from the Northern Ireland Register in an appropriate case if, whilst in Great Britain, he incurs disqualification under the British Registration Regulations.

Special Percentage (Ships)

ORDER, DATED 21ST MARCH, 1946, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER THE DISABLED PERSONS (EMPLOYMENT) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945, SPECIFYING A SPECIAL PERCENTAGE FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE ACT IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN EMPLOYMENTS ON SHIPS.

1946. No. 50

WHEREAS by the Disabled Persons (Standard Percentage) Order (Northern Ireland), 1946, a standard percentage of two per cent. was specified by the Ministry of Labour (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") for the purpose of the Disabled Persons (Employment) Act (Northern Ireland), 1945 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act");

AND WHEREAS it appears to the Ministry that a percentage other than the standard percentage ought to be assigned to the employments specified in the Schedule hereto on the ground that those employments have distinctive characteristics as respects their suitability for disabled persons;

Now, THEREFORE, the Ministry, by virtue of the powers conferred on it by Section ten of the Act, and after consultation with organisations representing employers and workers respectively appearing to it to be concerned, hereby makes the following Order :---