

1961. No. 54

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BETTING AND LOTTERIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1957

ORDER, DATED 9TH MARCH, 1961, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION THIRTY-SIX OF THE BETTING AND LOTTERIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1957.

I, The Right Honourable Brian Faulkner, Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section thirty-six of the Betting and Lotteries Act (Northern Ireland), 1957(a), (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order as follows:

1. In Article 2 of the Betting and Lotteries Act (Northern Ireland), 1957, (Date of Commencement) Order, 1959(b), (which relates to the coming into operation of paragraph (j) of sub-section (1) of Section seven of the Act) for the "1st day of April, 1961" there shall be substituted the "1st day of April, 1962".

2. This Order may be cited as the Betting and Lotteries Act (Northern Ireland), 1957 (Date of Commencement) (Amendment) Order, 1961.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1961.

Brian Faulkner,
Minister of Home Affairs for
Northern Ireland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order postpones the date for the coming into operation of paragraph (j) of sub-section (1) of Section 7 of the Betting and Lotteries Act (Northern Ireland), 1957, from 1st April, 1961, until 1st April, 1962. This paragraph provides that the minimum nett annual value of bookmakers' premises in Belfast should be £40, and elsewhere £30.

(a) 1957. c. 19.

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1959, No. 35.