

Nicotine; its salts

Nitrobenzene

Phenols as defined in Part I of this Schedule in substances containing less than sixty per cent., weight in weight, of phenols; compounds of phenol with a metal in substances containing less than the equivalent of sixty per cent., weight in weight, of phenols

Phosphorus compounds, the following:—

Amiton, azinphos-methyl, demeton-O, demeton-S, demeton-O-methyl, demeton-S-methyl, diethyl 4-methyl-7-coumarinyl phosphorothionate, diethyl *p*-nitrophenyl phosphate, dimefox, **endosulfan**, **ethion**, ethyl *p*-nitrophenyl phenylphosphonothionate, mazidox, **mecarbam**, 2-methoxycarbonyl-1-methylvinyl dimethyl phosphate, mipafox, parathion, **phenkapton**, phosphamidon, schradan, sulfotep, TEPP (HETP), triphosphoric pentadimethylamide

Potassium fluoride

Potassium hydroxide

Sodium fluoride

Sodium hydroxide

Sodium nitrite

Sodium silicofluoride

Zinc phosphide

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order adds certain substances to the Poisons Schedule and takes account of certain changes of nomenclature or classification. The complete Schedule, as so amended, is now set out in the Third Schedule and the poisons which appear in the schedule for the first time and the poison which appears under a new name (prolintane) being printed in **heavy type**.

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POISONS

REGULATIONS, DATED 24TH OCTOBER, 1963, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 32 OF THE MEDICINES, PHARMACY AND POISONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1945.

I, the Right Honourable William Craig, Minister of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers vested in me by Section 32 of the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland) 1945(a), do hereby make the following Regulations:—

Citation and Commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Poisons Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1963 and shall come into operation on 2nd December, 1963.

Amendments

2. In paragraph (e) of the proviso to paragraph (1) and in paragraph (e) of the proviso to paragraph (2) of Regulation 15(1) of the Poisons Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1960(b) (hereinafter referred to as the "principal Regula-

(a) 1945. c. 9.

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1960, No. 136.

tions”) after the words “County Agricultural Executive Officer” there shall be inserted the words “or a person duly authorised by the Minister of Agriculture”, and Schedules 13 and 14 to the principal Regulations shall have effect subject to the amendments specified in Schedule 1 to these Regulations.

3. After paragraph (2) of Regulation 15 of the principal Regulations there shall be inserted the following paragraph, that is to say:—

“(2A) It shall not be lawful to sell or supply potassium or sodium arsenites except as an ingredient in—

- (i) a medicine; or
- (ii) a sheep dip or sheep wash in a container clearly labelled with, in addition to any other direction of the Act or of these Regulations with respect to labelling, a notice of the special purposes for which the substance is intended, and a warning that it is only to be used for that purpose:

Provided that this Regulation shall not apply to the sale of potassium arsenites or sodium arsenites—

- (a) by way of wholesale dealing; or
- (b) to be exported to purchasers outside the United Kingdom; or
- (c) for the purpose of being compounded in medicines prescribed or administered by a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner; or
- (d) to a person or institution concerned with scientific education or research or chemical analysis, for the purposes of that education or research or analysis”,

and in Schedule 5 to the principal Regulations, in Part A, in the first column, under the heading “Arsenical substances”, the words “Potassium arsenites” and the words “Sodium arsenites”, and in the second column, the entries opposite thereto, in each case shall be omitted.

4.—(1) For Schedule 1 to the principal Regulations (which sets out a list of poisons to which special restrictions apply) there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in Schedule 2 to these Regulations.

(2) For Schedule 4 to the principal Regulations (which specifies the poisons which may be sold by retail only upon a prescription) there shall be substituted the Schedule set out in Schedule 3 to these Regulations.

(3) Schedules 3, 5, 6, 7 and 16 to the principal Regulations shall have effect subject to the amendments specified in Schedule 4 to these Regulations, being, in the case of the said Schedule 5, amendments additional of that specified in Regulation 2 of these Regulations.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1963.

William Craig,
Minister of Home Affairs
for Northern Ireland.

FIRST SCHEDULE

Amendments to Schedules 13 and 14 to the principal Regulations consequential upon Regulation 1 of these Regulations

1. In Schedule 13 after the words "County Agricultural Executive Officer" there shall be inserted the words "or a person duly authorised by the Minister of Agriculture".

2. In Schedule 14, in Form B, for the entry relating to the description of the person signing the form, there shall be substituted the following:—

Signature of
 Medical Officer of Health (g)

or County Agricultural Executive Officer
 for the County of (h)

or Person duly authorised by the
 Minister of Agriculture

SECOND SCHEDULE

Amended First Schedule to the principal Regulations

"FIRST SCHEDULE"

Substances falling within the Poisons Schedule to which special restrictions apply unless exempted by Regulation 9

Acetyldihydrocodeine; its salts

Alkaloids, the following; their salts, simple or complex; their quaternary compounds:—

Aconite, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.02 per cent. of the alkaloids of aconite

Atropine except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of atropine or not more than one per cent. of atropine methonitrate

Belladonna, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of the alkaloids of belladonna calculated as hyoscyamine

Brucine except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of brucine

Calabar bean, alkaloids of

Coca, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of the alkaloids of coca

Cocaine except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of cocaine

Codeine except substances containing less than 1.5 per cent. of codeine

Colchicum, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.5 per cent. of the alkaloids of colchicum calculated as colchicine

Coniine except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of coniine

Cotarnine except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of cotarnine

Curare, alkaloids of; curare bases

Ecgonine; its esters; except substances containing less than the equivalent of 0.1 per cent. of ecgonine

Emetine except substances containing less than one per cent. of emetine

Ergot, alkaloids of

Gelsemium, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.1 per cent. of the alkaloids of gelsemium

Homatropine except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of homatropine

Hyoscine except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of hyoscine

Hyoscyamine except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of hyoscyamine

- Jaborandi, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.5 per cent. of the alkaloids of jaborandi
- Lobelia, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.5 per cent. of the alkaloids of lobelia
- Morphine except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of morphine calculated as anhydrous morphine
- Nicotine
- Papaverine except substances containing less than one per cent. of papaverine
- Pomegranate, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.5 per cent. of the alkaloids of pomegranate
- Quebracho, alkaloids of
- Sabadilla, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than one per cent. of the alkaloids of sabadilla
- Solanaceous alkaloids, not otherwise included in this Schedule, except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent. of solanaceous alkaloids calculated as hyoscyamine
- Stavesacre, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of the alkaloids of stavesacre
- Strychnine except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of strychnine
- Thebaine except substances containing less than one per cent. of thebaine
- Veratrum, alkaloids of, except substances containing less than one per cent. of the alkaloids of veratrum
- Yohimba, alkaloids of
- Allylisopropylacetylurea
- Allylprodine; its salts**
- Alphameprodine; its salts
- Alphaprodine; its salts
- Amino-alcohols esterified with benzoic acid, phenylacetic acid, phenylpropionic acid, cinnamic acid or the derivatives of these acids, except substances containing less than ten per cent. of esterified amino-alcohols and except procaine when in a preparation containing any substance to which Part II of the Therapeutic Substances Act 1956(i) for the time being applies; their salts
- Anileridine; its salts
- Antimonial poisons except substances containing less than the equivalent of one per cent. of antimony trioxide
- Apiol and oil of parsley
- Apomorphine; its salts, except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of apomorphine
- Arsenical poisons except substances containing less than the equivalent of 0.01 per cent. of arsenic trioxide and except dentrifices containing less than 0.5 per cent. of acetarsol
- Barbituric acid; its salts; derivatives of barbituric acid; their salts; compounds of barbituric acid, its salts, its derivatives, their salts, with any other substances
- Barium, salts of
- Benzethidine; its salts
- Benzoylmorphine; its salts
- Benzylmorphine; its salts
- Betameprodine; its salts
- Betaprodine; its salts
- Busulphan; its salts
- Cannabis; the resin of cannabis; extracts of cannabis; tinctures of cannabis; cannabin tannate
- Cantharidin except substances containing less than 0.01 per cent. of cantharidin
- Cantharidates except substances containing less than the equivalent of 0.01 per cent. of cantharidin
- Carbachol
- Chlorambucil; its salts

Clonitazene; its salts

Cyclophosphamide; its salts

Demecarium bromide

Desomorphine; its salts

Dextromethorphan; its salts; except substances containing less than 1.5 per cent. of dextromethorphan

Dextromoramide; its salts

Dextrorphan; its salts

Diacetylmorphine; its salts

Diacetylnalorphine; its salts

Digitalis, glycosides and other active principles of, except substances containing less than one unit of activity (as defined in the British Pharmacopoeia) in two grammes of the substance

Dihydrocodeine; its salts

Dihydrocodeinone; its salts; its esters; their salts

Dihydromorphine; its salts; its esters; their salts

Dimenoxadole; its salts

Dimepheptanol; its salts

Dinitrocresols (DNC); their compounds with a metal or a base; except winter washes containing not more than the equivalent of five per cent. of dinitrocresols

Dinitronaphthols; dinitrophenols; dinitrothymols

Dinosam; its compounds with a metal or a base

Dinoseb; its compounds with a metal or a base

Dioxaphetyl butyrate; its salts

Diphenoxylate; its salts

Dipipanone; its salts

Disulfiram

Dithienylallylamines; dithienylalkylallylamines; their salts

Dyflos

Endosulfan

Endothal; its salts

Endrin

Ergot; extracts of ergot; tinctures of ergot

Ethylmorphine; its salts; except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of ethylmorphine

Etonitazene; its salts

Etixeridine; its salts

Fluoroacetamide; fluoroacetanilide; except solutions containing not more than one per cent. of fluoroacetamide or fluoroacetanilide and containing also acetamide and a bitter principle

Furethidine; its salts

Gallamine; its salts; its quaternary compounds

Guanidines, the following:—

polymethylene diguanidines; dipara-anisylphenetyl guanidine

Hydrocyanic acid except substances containing less than 0.15 per cent., weight in weight, of hydrocyanic acid (HCN); cyanides except substances containing less than the equivalent of 0.1 per cent., weight in weight, of hydrocyanic acid (HCN); double cyanides of mercury and zinc

Hydromorphinol; its salts

Hydromorphone; its salts; its esters; their salts

Hydroxypethidine; its salts

Isomethadone (isoamidone); its salts

Ketobemidone; its salts

Laudexium; its salts

Lead, compounds of, with acids from fixed oils

Levomethorphan; its salts

Levomoramide; its salts

Levophenacymorphan; its salts

Levorphanol; its salts

Mannomustine; its salts

Mercaptopurine; its salts

Mercuric chloride except substances containing less than one per cent. of mercuric chloride; mercuric iodide except substances containing less than two per cent. of mercuric iodide; nitrates of mercury except substances containing less than the equivalent of three per cent., weight in weight, of mercury (Hg); potassiummercuric iodides except substances containing less than the equivalent of one per cent. of mercuric iodide; organic compounds of mercury except substances, not being aerosols, containing less than the equivalent of 0.2 per cent., weight in weight, of mercury (Hg)

Metazocine; its salts

Methadone (amidone); its salts

Methadyl acetate; its salts

Methyldesorphine; its salts

Methyldihydromorphone; its salts

N-[2-(N-Methylphenethylamino) propyl] propionanilide; its salts

1-Methyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid, esters of; their salts

Metopon; its salts

Monofluoroacetic acid; its salts

Morpheridine; its salts

Mustine; its salts

Myrophine; its salts

Nalorphine; its salts

Normethadone; its salts

m-Nitrophenol; o-nitrophenol; p-nitrophenol

Norcodeine; its salts

Norlevorphanol; its salts

Normorphine; its salts

Nux Vomica except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of strychnine

Opium except substances containing less than 0.2 per cent. of morphine calculated as anhydrous morphine

Ouabain

Oxycinchonic acid, derivatives of; their salts; their esters

Oxycodone; its salts; its esters; their salts

Oxymorphone; its salts

Pennyroyal and its oil

Phenacemide

Phenadoxone; its salts

Phenampromide; its salts

Phenazocine; its salts

Phenomorphane; its salts

Phenoperidine; its salts

Phenylcinchoninic acid; salicylcinchonic acid; their salts; their esters

Pholcodine; its salts; except substances containing less than 1.5 per cent. of pholcodine

Phosphorus compounds, the following:—

Amiton

Azinphos-methyl

Demeton-O

Demeton-S

Demeton-O-methyl

Demeton-S-methyl

Diethyl 4-methyl-7-coumarinyl phosphorothionate

Diethyl p-nitrophenyl phosphate

Dimefox

Ethion

Ethyl-p-nitrophenyl phenylphosphonothionate

Mazidox

Mecarbam

2-Methoxycarbonyl-1-methylvinyl dimethyl phosphate

Mipafox

Parathion
Phenkapton
 Phosphamidon
 Schradan
 Sulfotep
TEPP (HETP)
 Triphosphoric pentadimethylamide
 Picrotoxin
Piminodine; its salts
 Polymethylenebis(trimethylammonium) salts
 Proheptazine; its salts
 Propoxyphene; its salts
 Racemethorphan; its salts
 Racemoramide; its salts
 Racemorphan; its salts
 Savin, oil of
 Strophanthus, glycosides of
 Thallium, salts of
 Thebacon; its salts; its esters; their salts
 2-Thiouracil
 Thiourea; its salts
 Tretamine; its salts
 Trimeperidine; its salts
 Trimustine; its salts
 Zinc phosphide

THIRD SCHEDULE

Amended Fourth Schedule to the principal Regulations

"FOURTH SCHEDULE Regulations 4(3) and 11

Substances required to be sold by retail only upon a prescription given by a duly qualified medical practitioner, registered dentist, registered veterinary surgeon or registered veterinary practitioner.

PART A

Allylisopropylacetylurea
 Apiol and oil of parsley
 Barbituric acid; its salts; derivatives of barbituric acid; their salts; compounds of barbituric acid, its salts, its derivatives, their salts, with any other substance
 Busulphan; its salts
 Chlorambucil; its salts
 Cyclophosphamide; its salts
 Demecarium bromide
 Dinitrocresols (DNC); their compounds with a metal or a base, except preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture
 Dinitronaphthols; dinitrophenols; dinitrothymols
 Disulfiram
 Dithienylallylamines; dithienylalkylallylamines; their salts, except diethylthiambutene, dimethylthiambutene and ethylmethylthiambutene
 Gallamine; its salts; its quaternary compounds
 Mannomustine; its salts
 Mercaptopurine; its salts
 Mustine; its salts
 Pennyroyal and its oil

Phenacemide

Phenylcinchoninic acid; salicylcinchoninic acid; their salts; their esters

Polymethylenebistrimethylammonium salts

Savin and its oil

Tretamine; its salts

Trimustine; its salts

2-Thiouracil

Thiourea

PART B

Acetanilide; alkyl acetanilides

Acetylcarbromal

Amidopyrine; its salts; amidopyrine sulphonates; their salts

p-Aminobenzenesulphonamide; its salts; derivatives of *p*-aminobenzenesulphonamide having any of the hydrogen atoms of the *p*-amino group or of the sulphonamide group substituted by another radical; their salts; except when contained in ointments or surgical dressings or in preparations for the prevention and treatment of diseases in poultry. β -Aminopropylbenzene; its salts; its *N*-alkyl derivatives; their salts; β -aminoisopropylbenzene; its salts; its *N*-alkyl derivatives; their salts**Amitriptyline**

Androgenic, oestrogenic and progestational substances, the following:—

Benzoestrol

Derivatives of stilbene, dibenzyl or naphthalene with oestrogenic activity; their esters

Steroid compounds with androgenic or oestrogenic or progestational activity; their esters

Azacyclonol; its salts

Benactyzine; its salts

Benztropine; its salts

Bromvaletone

Captodiamine; its salts

Carbethoxysyngoylmethylreserpate; its salts

Carbromal

Carisoprodol

Chlordiazepoxide; its salts

2-*p*-Chlorophenyl-3-methylbutane-2:3-diol**Chlorothiazide and other derivatives of benzo-1:2:4-thiadiazine-7-sulphonamide 1:1-dioxide, whether hydrogenated or not****Chlorphenoxamine****Chlorphentermine; its salts**

Chlorpropamide; its salts

Chlorprothixene

Chlorthalidone

Diethylpropion; its salts

Ectylurea

Emylcamate

Ethchlorvynol

Ethinamate

Ethioheptazine; its salts

Glutethimide; its salts

Haloperidol

Hexapropymate

4-Hydroxymethyl-2:2-diisopropyl-1:3-dioxolan

Hydroxyzine; its salts

Imipramine; its salts

Isocarboxazid; its salts

Mephesisin; its esters

Mephentermine; its salts
 Meprobamate
 Metformin; its salts
 Methaqualone; its salts
 Methocarbamol
Methoxsalen
 Methylpentynol; its esters and other derivatives
 Methyl phenidate; its salts
 Methyprylone
Oxethazaine
Oxyphenbutazone
 Paramethadione
 Pemoline; its salts
Phenbutrazate
 Phendimetrazine; its salts
 Phenelzine; its salts
 Phenetidylphenacetin
 Phenformin; its salts
 Pheniprazine; its salts
 Phenmetrazine; its salts; **its molecular compounds**
 Phenothiazine, derivatives of; their salts; except dimethoxanate, its salts and promethazine, its salts and molecular compounds
Phenoxypropazine; its salts
 Phenylbutazone; its salts
 Phenylethylhydantoin; its salts; its acyl derivatives; their salts
 1-Phenyl-2-pyrrolidinopentane; its salts
 Pipradrol; its salts
 Pituitary gland, the active principles of; except when contained in preparations intended for external application only or in inhalants **except oxytocin**
Prolintane; its salts
 Rauwolfia, alkaloids of; their salts; derivatives of the alkaloids of rauwolfia; their salts
Styramate
Sulphinpyrazone
 Sulphonal; alkyl sulphonals
 Suprarenal gland medulla, the active principles of; their salts; except when contained in preparations intended only for external application or application to the eyes, or in inhalants, **rectal preparations or preparations intended for use in the eye**
 Tetrabenazine; its salts
 Thalidomide; its salts
 Thyroid gland, the active principles of; their salts
 Tolbutamide
 Tribromethyl alcohol
 Troxidone
 Zoxazolamine; its salts."

FOURTH SCHEDULE

Miscellaneous Amendments to Schedules 3, 5, 6, 7 and 16 to the principal Regulations

1. In the Third Schedule, in the part headed "Group II" (in which are specified in the first column the poisons which are exempted from the provisions of Part III of the Medicines, Pharmacy and Poisons Act (Northern Ireland) 1945 and the Regulations made thereunder, in so far as they are contained in the substances or articles specified opposite thereto in the second column)—

- (a) in the first column after the item "Hydrochloric acid" there shall be inserted the item "Hydrocyanic acid" and in the second column opposite thereto there shall be inserted the words "Syrup of Wild Cherry B.P.C.";
- (b) in the first column, in the item "Organic compounds of Mercury" in front of the word "Organic" there shall be inserted the words "Mercuric chloride; Mercuric iodide";
- (c) in the first column, in the item beginning with the words "Phosphorous compounds, the following", after the word "Dimefox" there shall be inserted the word "Ethion", after the word "Mazidox" there shall be inserted the word "Mecarbam" and after the word "Parathion" there shall be inserted the word "Phenkapton";
- (d) in the second column, at the end of the entry opposite to the entry "Sodium fluoride" in the first column, there shall be added the words "and dentifrices containing not more than 0.3 per cent. of sodium fluoride and mouth-wash tablets containing not more than 0.2 per cent. of sodium fluoride".

2. In the Fifth Schedule—

- (a) in Part A (which specifies in the second column the forms to which the substances specified in the first column are restricted when sold by listed sellers of poisons), in the first column, after the entry beginning with the word "Dinoseb" there shall be inserted the item "Endosulfan", and in the second column opposite thereto there shall be inserted the words "Preparations for use in agriculture or horticulture";
- (b) in the said Part A, in the first column, and in Part B (which specifies the poisons which may be sold by listed sellers of Part II poisons only to persons engaged in the trade or business of agriculture or horticulture and for the purpose of that trade or business), in the item beginning with the words "Phosphorous compounds, the following" after the word "Dimefox" there shall be inserted the word "Ethion", after the word "Mazidox" there shall be inserted the word "Mecarbam" and after the word "Parathion" there shall be inserted the word "Phenkapton".

3. In the Sixth Schedule (which sets out, in the second column, a statement of the particulars permitted, in the case of the poisons specified in the first column, as to the proportion of the poison) in the second column, in the entry opposite to the entry "Strophanthus, glycosides of" in the first column, after the words "British Pharmacopoeia" there shall be inserted "1948".

4. In the Seventh Schedule (which sets out the labelling required in the case of certain poisons)—

- (a) in paragraph 1, in the list of anti-histamine substances, after the word "Chlorpheniramine" there shall be inserted the word "Cinnarizine", after the word "Cyclizine" there shall be inserted the word "Cyproheptadine" and after the word "Pheniramine" there shall be inserted the word "Phenyltoloxamine";
- (b) in paragraph 6, after the word "Endrin" there shall be inserted the word "Endosulfan", and in the list of phosphorous compounds, after the word "Dimefox" there shall be inserted the word "Ethion", after the word "Mazidox" there shall be inserted the word "Mecarbam" and after the word "Parathion" there shall be inserted the word "Phenkapton".

5. In the Sixteenth Schedule (which specifies the poisons which are required to be coloured before sale in certain cases), in the list of phosphorous compounds, after the word "Azinphos-methyl" there shall be inserted the words "Ethion" and "Mecarbam" and after the words "2-Methoxycarbonyl-1-methylvinyl dimethyl phosphate" there shall be inserted the word "Phenkapton".

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

Regulation 2 of these Regulations authorises the Minister of Agriculture to appoint an alternative person to the class of officer authorised by Regulation 15(1) of the principal Regulations to issue authorities for the sale of certain poisons for the purposes specified in the Regulations.

Under the amendments effected by Regulation 3 of these Regulations, it will no longer be permitted to sell by retail potassium and sodium arsenites except for the purposes specified in the new paragraph (4), now added to Regulation 15 of the principal Regulations; in particular, sale in form of potato haulm destroyers will no longer be permitted.

The principal amendments effected under Regulation 4 of these Regulations impose appropriate requirements and restrictions on the sale of substances now added to the Poisons Schedule by the Poisons List Order (Northern Ireland) 1963 (S.R. & O. 1963, No. 197). The First Schedule to the principal Regulations, as amended by these Regulations, is set out in the Second Schedule to these Regulations, and the Fourth Schedule to the principal Regulations, as so amended, is set out in the Third Schedule to these Regulations, in both cases substances appearing for the first time and in one case (prolintane) under a new name, and amendments to existing entries being printed in **heavy type**. The Fourth Schedule to these Regulations contains miscellaneous amendments to other Schedules to the principal Regulations.

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INQUESTS AND POST-MORTEM EXAMINATIONS

RULES, DATED 24TH OCTOBER, 1963, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS, AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE LORD CHIEF JUSTICE, UNDER SECTION 36(1)(b) OF THE CORONERS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1959.

The Ministry of Home Affairs in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 36(1)(b) of the Coroners Act (Northern Ireland) 1959(a) and after consultation with the Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland, hereby makes the following Rules:—

Citation and Commencement

1. These Rules may be cited as the Coroners (Practice and Procedure) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1963, and shall come into force on 18th November, 1963.

Availability of Coroner

2. A coroner shall at all times hold himself ready to undertake, either by himself or his deputy, any duties in connection with deaths reported to him, inquests and post-mortem examinations.

(a) 1959, c. 15.