

1970. No. 180

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CONSUMER PROTECTION**Colour Code for Electrical Appliances**

REGULATIONS*, DATED 11TH JUNE 1970, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 1 OF THE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1965.

The Ministry of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 1 of the Consumer Protection Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(a) and after consulting with such persons and bodies of persons as appears to it requisite, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation and Commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Electrical Appliances (Colour Code) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970 and shall come into operation on 1st July 1970.

Colouring of Covering of Conductors

2. Regulation 7 of the Electrical Appliances (Colour Code) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970(b) shall be amended—

- (a) by substituting for the words "1st July 1970" the words "the relevant date"; and
- (b) by adding at the end the following words—"For the purposes of this Regulation the relevant date shall—
 - (i) in the case of goods and component parts sold, or in the possession of the person for the purpose of being sold, by way of wholesale dealing (that is to say, to a person who buys for the purpose of selling again or of letting on hire) be 1st November 1970;
 - (ii) in any other case be 1st April 1971."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 11th day of June 1970 in the presence of

(L.S.)

W. G. Robinson,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1965. c. 14 (N.I.).

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970, No. 31.

*These Regulations were affirmed by a Resolution of the Senate on 30th June 1970 and by a Resolution of the House of Commons on 1st July 1970.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Regulation 7 of the Electrical Appliances (Colour Code) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970 permits the colours red, black and green to be used for marking the wires in the main leads of a domestic electrical appliance to which those Regulations apply, as an alternative to the new colours, brown, blue and green and yellow, until 1st July 1970.

These Regulations substitute 1st April 1971 for 1st July 1970 except that, in the case of goods sold or held for sale by way of wholesale dealing, the new date is 1st November 1970.

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HEALTH SERVICE CONTRIBUTIONS ACT (Northern Ireland) 1970**Appointed Day**

ORDER, DATED 26TH JUNE 1970, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, UNDER SECTION 2(3) OF THE HEALTH SERVICE CONTRIBUTIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1970.

I, the Right Honourable William Kennedy Fitzsimmons, Minister of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 2(3) of the Health Service Contributions Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(a) do hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Health Service Contributions Act (Appointed Day) Order (Northern Ireland) 1970.

2. The Health Service Contributions Act (Northern Ireland) 1970 shall come into force on 6th July 1970.

Dated this 26th day of June 1970.

W. K. Fitzsimmons,
Minister of Health and Social Services
for Northern Ireland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order brings into force from 6th July 1970 the Health Service Contributions Act (Northern Ireland) 1970, which provides for the increase of the health service contributions payable by employers from 8d. a week to 1s. 8d. a week.