

1970. No. 338

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BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (FEES)

ORDER IN COUNCIL* MADE UNDER THE REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES (FEES, ETC.) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1955 AND THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1967.

BY THE GOVERNOR IN THE PRIVY COUNCIL OF NORTHERN IRELAND

GREY OF NAUNTON

WHEREAS by section 1 of the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Fees, etc.) Act (Northern Ireland) 1955(a) it is, amongst other things, provided that an Order in Council prescribing the fees payable for or in respect of the solemnisation of marriages and certain matters regulated by the enactments relating to the registration of marriages may be made by the Governor after a draft thereof has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

AND WHEREAS by section 62 of the Births and Deaths Registration Act (Northern Ireland) 1967(b) it is, amongst other things, provided that an Order in Council prescribing the fees payable for or in respect of certain matters regulated by that Act and referred to in section 62(1) thereof may be made by the Governor after a draft thereof has been subject to affirmative resolution:

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that certain fees as in the Schedule set forth should be so prescribed in respect of the events and transactions therein respectively set forth:

AND WHEREAS a draft of this Order has duly been laid before and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RALPH FRANCIS ALNWICK, BARON GREY OF NAUNTON, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor of Northern Ireland, by and with the consent of the Privy Council of Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said sections and of all other powers me thereunto enabling do hereby order as follows:

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Births, Deaths and Marriages (Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 1970.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on the 1st day of January 1971.

Fees payable

2. The amounts of the fees payable under the enactments set forth in the first column of the Schedule in respect of the events and transactions described in the second column thereof shall be those specified respectively in the third column thereof.

(a) 1955. c. 29.

(b) 1967. c. 25 (N.I.).

*A resolution approving the draft of this Order was passed by the Senate and House of Commons on the 10th December 1970.

Revocation of Order

3. So much of the Births, Deaths and Marriages (Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 1966(c) as relates to fees for matters in respect of which fees are prescribed in the Schedule to this Order is hereby revoked.

Given at Government House, Hillsborough, this 15th day of December 1970.

H. V. Kirk

R. H. Bradford

N. O. Minford

SCHEDULE

Enactments authorising fees	Description of events or transactions	Fees s d
The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Fees, etc.) Act (Northern Ireland) 1955: (1955. c. 29) Section 2(2)	Furnishing information for the pur- poses of any enactment specified in the Second Schedule to the Act . . .	1 0
The Births and Deaths Registration Act (Northern Ireland) 1967: (1967. c. 25) Section 54(3)	Furnishing information for the pur- poses of any enactment specified in Schedule 2 to the Act	1 0
The Registration of Marriages (Ireland) Act 1863: (26 & 27 Vict. c. 90) Section 20	Quarterly accounts of superintendent registrars— Entries of births, deaths and marriages certified in each quarter to Registrar General by superintendent registrar— for the first 100 entries, each . . . for each subsequent entry . . .	6 4·8
The Births and Deaths Registration Act (Northern Ireland) 1967: (1967. c. 25) Section 60		

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order is necessary to change those fees which would have no equivalent in new pence after introduction of decimal currency.