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ELECTORAL REGISTRATION REGULATIONS

REGULATIONS, DATED 16TH NOVEMBER 1972 MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SUB-SECTION (6) OF SECTION 3, SECTION 127 OF AND THE THIRD SCHEDULE TO THE ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1962.

The Ministry of Home Affairs on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sub-section (6) of section 3, section 127 of and the Third Schedule to the Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1962(a), hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Electoral Law (Registration) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1972.

Service declaration ceasing to be in force

2. Where a service elector transfers from employment under one Government department to employment under another or from being a member of the forces to being a Crown servant, or vice versa, his service declaration and that of his wife (if any), being a person to whom sub-section (2) of section 7 of the Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland), 1962, refers, shall cease to be in force.

Forms

3. The forms contained in the First Schedule shall be used for the purposes for which they are expressed to be applicable and may be adapted as far as circumstances require.

Revocations

4. The Regulations set out in the Second Schedule are hereby revoked to the extent specified in the second column of that Schedule.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 16th day of November 1972.

(L.S.)

W. A. Willis,
Assistant Secretary.

FIRST SCHEDULE

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FORM R.A.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962

Declaration to be completed by a Member of the Forces, or a Crown Servant under Part II of the First Schedule to the Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland), 1962

To the Chief Electoral Officer

I declare that:—

Surname Service or Employment (Block Capitals)

Christian names

Service No. (if any) Rank or Rating

(a) I am a British Subject or, not being a British Subject, I am neither an alien nor a British protected person within the meaning of the British Nationality Act, 1948*, and I was included as an elector for the Parliament of Northern Ireland or for local authorities in Northern Ireland in the register of electors published on 15th February, 1962; and

(b)

†(i) I shall be 18 years of age or over on 16th February 19 ;

OR

†(ii) (if 18th Birthday is after 16th February 19 and on or before the following 5th February)

†Delete whichever is inapplicable

my 18th birthday is on

Day	Month	Year
:	:	:

(c) I was born in Northern Ireland; or

(d) I have resided during the whole of the period of seven years ending on 15th September 19 , in the United Kingdom, and that but for my service as a Member of the Forces/Crown Servant/Merchant Seaman I would have been residing at the undermentioned address on 15th September, 19

(Full postal address)

Signature

Date

Signature of Attesting or Certifying Officer

Rank Ship, Regt., Unit or Dept.

*Under the British Nationality Act, 1948, a citizen of the Republic of Ireland is neither an alien nor a British protected person.

PROXY APPOINTMENT

(You can vote only by proxy when stationed outside the United Kingdom. This Part must therefore be completed as appropriate.)

*(a) I wish my present proxy appointment to continue. His or her name and address is:

.....
*(b) I do not wish to appoint a proxy and wish to cancel my present proxy appointment (if any)

.....
*(c) I wish to appoint as my proxy:—

Name of First Choice
(Block Capitals)

Postal address of First Choice

Relationship, if any, of First Choice to Elector

Name of Second Choice
(Block Capitals)

Postal address of Second Choice

Relationship, if any, of Second Choice to Elector

Signed

*Delete whichever is inapplicable

- NOTES: 1. Your proxy must be a registered elector for Northern Ireland elections and not subject to any legal incapacity to vote. He will be entitled to vote for you at Parliamentary and local government elections provided he is aged 18 or over on the day of the poll.
2. If you are in the United Kingdom at the time of an election you may vote in person if you go to the polling station before your proxy.

FORM R.B.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1962

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACTS

Public Notice that a Register is about to be prepared

I, Chief Electoral Officer for Northern Ireland, hereby give notice that I am compiling information to enable me to publish lists of persons qualified to be included in the Register of parliamentary and local electors which will be published on or before 15th February 19

The register of electors for the 12 months beginning on 16th February next will be based on these electors lists. Copies of the provisional lists will be available for inspection at my office as from 5th November 19 . Printed electors lists will be published on 30th November 19

WARNING

Warning is hereby given that—

- (1) I am empowered by paragraph (2) of Rule 3 of the Third Schedule to the Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland), 1962, to require any person owning or occupying any land or premises or the agent of such person to furnish to me such information as I may require for the purpose of the preparation of the register.
(2) Under the provisions of sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) of paragraph 33 of the Ninth Schedule to the said Act any person who fails or refuses to give any information required for the purposes of registration or who gives false information or makes a false declaration is guilty of an electoral offence for which severe penalties are provided by law.

Chief Electoral Officer

Address
.....
.....

Dated this day of 19

This information is required by law

FORM R.C.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1962, SECTION 127(1)(b)

REGISTER OF ELECTORS

Return by Occupier of a Dwelling House, Hotel, etc.

To the occupier,

A register of electors which will be used for United Kingdom as well as Northern Ireland parliamentary and local elections will be published on or before 15th February The qualifying date for the register is 15th September, and the qualifying period is the three months ending on the qualifying date. To qualify for registration as a parliamentary and local elector a person must be residing in the constituency or local government electoral area on the qualifying date and have been residing there or elsewhere in Northern Ireland during the whole of the qualifying period. The register will be in force for a period of twelve months from 16th February in relation to United Kingdom parliamentary elections and Northern Ireland parliamentary and local government elections held during that period.

A person whose name does not appear in the register cannot vote at any election held during the period for which the register is in force. It is therefore important that this form should be completed. Severe penalties are enforceable by law for failure to give any information required, for giving false information or for making a false declaration.

After reading carefully the notes below please give the information required overleaf and return this form immediately in the envelope provided to the Chief Electoral Officer at the address stated.

..... Chief Electoral Officer

.....

..... (date)

NOTES

RESIDENCE. You should include a person:

- (a) ordinarily resident who is temporarily away, e.g., on a visit or as a student or who is a patient or inmate in a hospital or institution or who is detained in legal custody; or
- (b) who is away on a job unless his absence will be for more than 6 months.

Guests and visitors who ordinarily live elsewhere should not be included but resident domestics or lodgers should be included.

A person's residence is deemed not to be interrupted by the furnished letting of a house:

- (a) for a period not exceeding 6 months if he or his spouse expects to be away on a job during that period;
- (b) for a period or periods not exceeding in all 4 months in any year in the case of elections to the Northern Ireland Parliament or 9 weeks in the case of elections to the United Kingdom Parliament.

A person may not be registered in respect of more than one residence. If he has more than one residence he must declare the fact to the Chief Electoral Officer or his agent and must decide which shall be his residence for registration purposes.

A member of the Royal Ulster Constabulary or Police Reserve who is away from home on duty is for the purposes of elections to the Northern Ireland Parliament regarded as residing at both addresses but must comply with the foregoing paragraph in regard to his choice of residence.

SERVICE VOTERS. You should not include in the form:

- (a) members of Her Majesty's Forces;
- (b) Crown Servants employed outside the United Kingdom;
- (c) persons employed by the British Council in posts outside the United Kingdom; or
- (d) wives or husbands of members of H.M. Forces, of Crown Servants or of British Council staff employed outside the United Kingdom if they are living abroad to be with their husbands or wives as the case may be.

Special arrangements are made for registration of such persons. You should, however, include reservists called up for training.

AGE. To vote at parliamentary and local elections a person must be 18 years and over on the day of the poll.

POSTAL VOTING. For the purposes of elections to the United Kingdom Parliament, anyone who thinks he may be entitled to vote by post, e.g., because of physical disability or because of his periodic absences on business (absence on holiday is not a ground for voting by post) should apply to the Chief Electoral Officer for a form of application to do so. He should not wait until an election before applying or he may be too late.

For elections to the Northern Ireland Parliament application to vote by post can be made only after the election has been initiated.

SECTION 1—ADDRESS

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM IMMEDIATELY

THIS INFORMATION IS REQUIRED BY LAW

No. of flat (if any)	No. of house (or name, if it is not numbered)	Name of street or road	Town, townland or postal district

SECTION 2—ENTER PERSONS WHO ARE BRITISH SUBJECTS OR CITIZENS OF THE REPUBLIC OF IRELAND WHO WILL BE RESIDING AT THE ADDRESS ON 15TH SEPTEMBER, 19 AND WHO ARE OVER 18 OR WHOSE 18TH BIRTHDAY FALLS AFTER 15TH SEPTEMBER, 19 , AND ON OR BEFORE 15TH FEBRUARY, 19

Surname and style of title (Mr., Mrs., etc.) (BLOCK CAPITALS)	Christian names or other forenames (BLOCK CAPITALS)	State whether British subject or Citizen of the Republic of Ireland	If a Citizen of the Republic of Ireland state address at 15th September 1961	If 18 years or over on 15th February 19 , enter "Over 18"	*If 18th birthday is after 15th February 19 and on or before 15th February 19 enter Date of Birth	If resident in Northern Ireland during the whole of the qualifying period from 15th June, 19 to 15th September, 19 enter "R." If not, give details of all residences outside Northern Ireland during that period with dates and reasons for absence	State place of birth. If not born at some place which is situated in Northern Ireland state if resident in the U.K. during the whole of the period since 15th September 19 If resident outside the U.K. during any part of that period state periods and reasons for absence	If a seaman (other than Royal Navy) enter "MS"	If person has another residence or residences in Northern Ireland state other residence or residences
The Occupier									
Wife or husband of occupier									
Other residents									

*DO NOT ENTER THE NAME OF ANYONE BORN AFTER 15th FEBRUARY, 19

If space is insufficient continue on a separate sheet.

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SECTION 3—OTHER OCCUPIERS OF HOUSE:

Is any part of the above address separately occupied by persons not included above? Yes/No.....

SECTION 4:

I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief:

- (a) the particulars given above are true and accurate;
- (b) all the persons whose names are entered above are British subjects or citizens of the Republic of Ireland and are over 18 or will attain their 18th birthday after 15th September, 19 and on or before 15th February, 19

Signed Date

This information is required by law

FORM R.D.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1962, SECTION 127(1)(b)

REGISTER OF ELECTORS

Return of Permanent Residents in Hospitals, Institutions, etc.

To the Resident Medical Superintendent, Matron, Secretary or other person in charge at
Name of hospital, institution, etc.

A Register of Electors which will be used for United Kingdom as well as Northern Ireland parliamentary and local elections will be published on or before 15th February, 19 . The qualifying date for the register is 15th September, 19 and the qualifying period is the three months ending on the qualifying date. To qualify for registration as a resident a person must be resident in the constituency or local government area on the qualifying date and have been resident there or elsewhere in Northern Ireland during the whole of the qualifying period. The register will be in force for a period of twelve months from 16th February, 19 , in relation to United Kingdom parliamentary and Northern Ireland parliamentary and local government elections held during that period.

A person whose name does not appear in the register cannot vote at any election held during the period for which the register is in force. It is therefore important that this form should be completed. Severe penalties are enforceable by law for failure to give any information required, or for giving false information or for making a false declaration.

You should include in this form only:—

- (a) Patients or inmates who are residing in the hospital or institution and who have no other fixed place of abode; and
- (b) members of the staff who are permanently residing in the hospital or institution; but if any such member has another place or places of residence in Northern Ireland he must state that fact on the form and indicate which shall be his residence for registration purposes.

A person detained in legal custody must not be included in the form for the address at which he is detained.

After reading carefully the notes opposite, please fill in this form and return it immediately to the Chief Electoral Officer at

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The Chief Electoral Officer's staff at that address will, if required, give advice and assistance in filling up this form.

NOTES

RESIDENCE. A person ordinarily resident in the hospital or institution who is temporarily away, e.g., on a visit or who is for a period not exceeding 6 months away on a course or on the business of the hospital or institution, can be regarded as still residing at the hospital or institution.

AGE. To vote at parliamentary and local elections a person must be 18 years or over on the day of the poll.

POSTAL VOTING. For purposes of elections to the United Kingdom Parliament, anyone who thinks he may be entitled to vote by post, e.g., because of physical disability or because of his periodic absences on business (absence on holiday is not a ground for voting by post), should apply to the Chief Electoral Officer for a form of application to do so. He should not wait until an election before applying or he may be too late.

For elections to the Northern Ireland Parliament application to vote by post can be made only after the election has been initiated.

1. Full Postal Address of hospital, institution, etc.

2. Enter persons specified at (a) and (b) above who are British subjects or citizens of the Republic of Ireland and who will be residing at the address on 15th September, 19 , and who are over 18 or whose 18th birthday falls after 15th September, 19 , and on or before 15th February, 19

Surname and style or title (Mr., Mrs., etc.) (BLOCK CAPITALS)	Christian names or other forenames (BLOCK CAPITALS)	State whether British subject or Citizen of the Republic of Ireland	If Citizen of the Republic of Ireland state address at 15th September, 1961	If 18 years or over on 15th February 19 , enter "Over 18"	*If 18th birthday is after 15th February, 19 , and on or before 15th February 19 , enter date of birth	If resident in Northern Ireland during the whole of the qualifying period from 15th June, 19 , to 15th September, 19 , enter "R". If not, give details of all residences outside Northern Ireland during that period with dates and reasons for absence	State place of birth. If not born at some place which is situate in Northern Ireland state if resident in the U.K. during the whole of the period since 15th September, 19 . If resident outside the U.K. during any part of that period state periods of and reasons for absence	If a person has another residence or residences in Northern Ireland state other residence or residences

*DO NOT ENTER THE NAME OF ANYONE BORN AFTER 15th FEBRUARY, 19

3. I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief:—

(a) the particulars given above are true and accurate;

(b) all the persons whose names are entered above are British subjects or citizens of the Republic of Ireland and are over 18 or will attain their 18th birthday after 15th September, 19 , and on or before 15th February, 19 .

Description of signatory
e.g., "Matron," "Secretary," etc.

Signed

Date

FORM R.E.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 9(8)(c)

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACTS

List of Electors

This List contains the names of all persons who appear to be entitled to vote at parliamentary and local elections held between 16th February, 19... and 15th February, 19...

Register

QUALIFYING DATE 15TH SEPTEMBER, 19....

- Polling District No.....
District Electoral Division.....
Northern Ireland Constituency.....
United Kingdom Constituency.....

PARLIAMENTARY AND LOCAL ELECTORS

All persons whose names appear in the List appear to be entitled to vote at Northern Ireland and United Kingdom parliamentary elections and at Northern Ireland local elections unless the contrary is indicated by a letter preceding the name. The meaning of the letters is as follows:

N means that the elector can vote at a Northern Ireland parliamentary or local election but cannot vote at a United Kingdom parliamentary election.

I means that the elector cannot vote at a Northern Ireland parliamentary or local elections but can vote at a United Kingdom parliamentary election.

A person possessing a service qualification is distinguished by the letter S preceding his name. Generally such persons can vote at all parliamentary and local elections. Where this is not the case the letter S is preceded by either the letter N or the letter I with the meaning stated above. Merchant Seamen who are service voters at Northern Ireland elections only are distinguished by the letters S(N.I.) and those who are service voters at United Kingdom elections only by the letters IM. Where a Merchant Seaman is a service voter for both parliamentary and local elections his name is preceded by the letters MS(N.I.).

Where a person's name is preceded by a date—e.g. 31/7—that person is entitled to vote at any election, the poll for which is held on 'or after that date.

Chief Electoral Officer.

FORM R.F.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, SUB-SECTION (4) OF SECTION THIRTY-TWO AND THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 12(2)

Notice of publication of Electors Lists and Corrupt and Illegal Practices List and of the making of claims and objections thereto

NORTHERN IRELAND PARLIAMENTARY FRANCHISE
UNITED KINGDOM PARLIAMENTARY FRANCHISE
NORTHERN IRELAND LOCAL GOVERNMENT FRANCHISE

NORTHERN IRELAND CONSTITUENCY OF.....

UNITED KINGDOM CONSTITUENCY OF.....

POLLING DISTRICTS OF:.....

I hereby give notice that:—

- (a) electors lists setting out the names and qualifications of persons appearing to be qualified to be registered as parliamentary and local electors; and
(b) the corrupt and illegal practices list

are available for inspection at the office of the undersigned during ordinary office hours. Copies of local sections of the lists are similarly available for inspection at police stations, post offices, etc., in or near each polling district.

CLAIMS AND OBJECTIONS TO ELECTORS LISTS

Claims for the correction of entries or claims for registration and notices of objection to the registration of any person in the lists must be lodged with me (or with the Deputy Electoral Officer in the area) not later than December, 19 , who on request will supply copies of the forms on which all claims and objections must be made.

A claim may be lodged by the claimant or on the claimant's behalf by a person whose name is already included in the electors lists for the parliamentary constituency or local government area.

An objection may be lodged only by a person whose name is included in the electors lists for the parliamentary constituency or local government electoral area.

CLAIMS AND OBJECTIONS TO CORRUPT AND ILLEGAL PRACTICES LIST

Any person named in the corrupt and illegal practices list may claim to have his name omitted therefrom.

Any person named in the electors lists for the parliamentary constituency/ local government area may object to the omission of the name of any person from the corrupt and illegal practices list.

Hearings at which claims and objections to the lists will be determined will be held in due course and any persons interested may obtain from me particulars of the places and times of such hearings.

Any person having any information relevant to any case may appear and be heard.

PUBLICATION OF LISTS OF CLAIMS

Lists of claims will be available for inspection at all reasonable times from December, 19 , and any person whose name is entered in the electors lists for the parliamentary constituency/ local government area may, without notice, appear at the hearing for the purpose of objecting to any claim.

Address.....

Chief Electoral Officer

Dated this day of.

, 19

FORM R.G.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 13

Claim for Correction of Existing Entry in Electors Lists or for Registration

To the Chief Electoral Officer

PART I

CLAIM FOR CORRECTION OF EXISTING ENTRY IN ELECTORS LISTS

I of am entered in the electors lists for polling district (insert particulars of existing entry).

This is incorrect and the entry should be as follows:—

(Insert correct particulars).

Signature..... Date.....

PART II

CLAIM TO BE REGISTERED AS AN ELECTOR

I hereby claim for myself (for) such rights of franchise in the polling district of as I/he/she may be entitled to by virtue of residence.

I am/he/she is, prepared, if so required to appear before the Chief Electoral Officer to substantiate the claim.

Full name of person for whom claim is made.....

Full address in respect of which qualification is claimed.

Signature of person making claim

(Mr., Mrs., Miss)

Address.....

Date.....

NOTES

- 1. A claim under Part 1 can only be made by the person whose particulars are incorrectly entered in the electors lists.
2. A separate claim must be made in respect of each name for which a claim is made and any claim which relates to more than one name will be of no effect.
3. Where this form is sent by post, postage must be paid.

FORM R.H.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 13(1)(d)

Objection to Name in List of Electors

To the Chief Electoral Officer.

(address)

I hereby give you notice that I object to the entry of

Name

Address

Parliamentary Constituency/Local Govt. Electoral Area

Polling District and Ward (if any)

Here insert extracts from lists stating polling district and ward (if any)

as a Northern Ireland parliamentary/Local Government elector.

My objection is based on the following grounds:

Primary qualifications

A. The person has not the necessary primary qualifications because:

- (1) He is not a British Subject and is neither an alien nor a British protected person within the meaning of the British Nationality Act, 1948*, who was included as an elector for the parliament of Northern Ireland or for local authorities in Northern Ireland in the register of electors published on 15th February, 1962.
(2) He will not attain 18 years of age before 15/2/
(3) He is subject to a legal incapacity.
(4) He was neither born in Northern Ireland nor resided in the United Kingdom during the whole of the 7 years ending on the qualifying date.
(5) He is dead.

*Under the British Nationality Act, 1948, a citizen of the Republic of Ireland is neither an alien nor a British protected person.

Secondary qualifications

B. He has not the residence qualification because:

- (1) He was not residing in the constituency or local government electoral area on the qualifying date.
(2) He did not reside in the constituency or local government electoral area or elsewhere in Northern Ireland during the whole of the 3 months ending on the qualifying date.

C. He has not the service qualification.

I am entered in the electors lists as follows [*here insert extract from lists stating polling district and ward (if any)*]:

Signature

Address

.....

Date

Polling District

Ward

NOTES

1. An objection can be made only by a person whose name appears as an elector in the lists for the parliamentary constituency or local government electoral area.
2. A separate notice of objection must be given in respect of each name to which objection is made and any notice of objection which relates to more than one name will be of no effect.
3. This form must be completed so as to furnish the information thereby required, otherwise the notice of objection will be of no effect.
4. Where this form is sent by post, postage must be paid

FORM R.J.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 14

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACTS

List of Claims

Register

Constituency/Local Government Area

Polling district number Electoral division or ward

<i>Qualification claimed</i>		<i>Surname</i>	<i>Other Names</i>	<i>Address</i>
<i>Parliamentary</i>	<i>Local Government</i>			

Chief Electoral Officer

Dated this day of , 19

FORM R.K.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 14

List of Persons in Electors Lists Objected to

..... Register

Parliamentary Constituency/Local Government Area

Polling district number Electoral division or ward

<i>Qualification objected to</i>		<i>Surname</i>	<i>Other Names</i>	<i>Address</i>
<i>Parliamentary</i>	<i>Local Government</i>			

.....
Chief Electoral Officer

Dated this day of , 19

FORM R.L.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 14(3)

Notice of time and place of hearing of claims and objections to Electors Lists

Northern Ireland constituency of

Local Government electoral area of

Polling districts

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.....
.....

To

I hereby give notice that I shall attend at
on the.....day of....., 19....., at.....o'clock in the.....
noon to hear and consider claims and objections which have been made in respect
of the electors lists for the polling districts mentioned above.

*The claim made—

(a) by you

(b) on your behalf by.....of.....
for registration as a parliamentary/local elector

*The objection made—

(a) to your registration by of

(b) by you to the registration of
as a parliamentary/local elector

on the grounds that

.....

.....

will be considered.

Date

Chief Electoral Officer

Address

.....

.....

*Delete whichever is inapplicable.

NOTES

1. Any person who, in the opinion of the Chief Electoral Officer, is interested
in a claim or objection is entitled to appear and be heard either in person or by
some other person on his behalf.

2. The Chief Electoral Officer may, at the request of any person entitled to
appear and be heard or, if he thinks fit, without such a request, require that the
evidence tendered by any person shall be given on oath and may administer an
oath for the purpose.

FORM R.M.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 19(1)

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACTS

Register of Electors

This Register contains the names of all persons who are entitled to vote at Northern Ireland and United Kingdom parliamentary elections, and at Northern Ireland local elections held between 16th February, 19 , and 15th February, 19

Register

QUALIFYING DATE 15TH SEPTEMBER, 19

Polling District No.

District Electoral Division

Northern Ireland Constituency

United Kingdom Constituency

PARLIAMENTARY AND LOCAL ELECTORS

All persons whose names appear in the Register are entitled to vote at Northern Ireland and United Kingdom parliamentary elections and at Northern Ireland local elections *unless* the contrary is indicated by a letter preceding the name. The meaning of the letters is as follows:

N means that the elector *can* vote at a Northern Ireland parliamentary or local election but *cannot* vote at a United Kingdom parliamentary election.

I means that the elector *cannot* vote at a Northern Ireland parliamentary or local election but *can* vote at a United Kingdom parliamentary election.

A person possessing a service qualification is distinguished by the letter S preceding his name. Generally such persons *can* vote at all parliamentary and local elections. Where this is *not* the case the letter S is preceded by either the letter N or the letter I with the meaning stated above. Merchant Seamen who are service voters at Northern Ireland Elections only are distinguished by the letters S(N.I.) and those who are service voters at United Kingdom elections only by the letters IM. Where a Merchant Seaman is a service voter for both parliamentary and local elections his name is preceded by the letters MS(N.I.).

The local government areas in which electors are entitled to vote are indicated on the final page of this register.

Where a person's name is preceded by a date—e.g. 31/7—that person is entitled to vote at any election the poll for which is held on or after that date.

Dated this 15th day of February,

Chief Electoral Officer.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTORAL AREAS

<i>Electors numbers</i>		<i>District</i>	<i>Ward</i>
<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>		

FORM R.N.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 19(2)(b)

Notice of Correction to the Electors Lists

Northern Ireland Constituency of
Local Government electoral area of
To
of

I hereby give you notice that I have made a correction to the electors lists
as published on
by

If you wish to object to the correction you are required to notify me at the
address below within FIVE days from the date of this notice.

If necessary you will be given an opportunity to appear and be heard by the
Chief Electoral Officer in accordance with the provisions of Rule 16 of the Third
Schedule to the Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1962.

Chief Electoral Officer

Dated this day of , 19

Address

FORM R.O.

ELECTORAL LAW ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1962, THIRD SCHEDULE, RULE 23(2)

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACTS

Notice of Publication of Register of Electors

NORTHERN IRELAND PARLIAMENTARY FRANCHISE
UNITED KINGDOM PARLIAMENTARY FRANCHISE
NORTHERN IRELAND LOCAL GOVERNMENT FRANCHISE

Parliamentary Constituency/Local Government area

Register in force for parliamentary and local elections from to

I hereby give notice that the register containing the names of all persons appearing to be qualified to be registered as parliamentary electors and local electors is available for inspection at the office of the undersigned during ordinary office hours. Copies of local sections of the register are similarly available for inspection at police stations, post offices, etc., in or near each polling district in the parliamentary constituency/local government area.

Address

Chief Electoral Officer

Dated this day of, 19

SECOND SCHEDULE

<i>Regulations revoked</i>	<i>Extent of revocation</i>
Electoral Law (Registration and Polling Station Schemes) Regulations (N.I.) 1962 (1962 No. 155)	Regulations 2, 4

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations revoke and replace those provisions of the Electoral Law (Registration and Polling Station Schemes) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1962 relating to electoral registration. Amendments have been made in consequence of the Electoral Law (Northern Ireland) Order, 1972 (1972, No. 1264 (N.I. 13)) which provides for the first elections to district councils and for the appointment of a Chief Electoral Officer for Northern Ireland whose duties include *inter alia* the preparation and publication of annual lists and registers of parliamentary and local government electors and of corrupt and illegal practices lists.