
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Marriage (Same-sex Couples) and Civil Partnership
(Opposite-sex Couples) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2019**

PART 4

Amendments: Children and Families

Adoption

31. In the Adoption Agencies Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1989⁽¹⁾, in Part 6 of the Schedule (particulars relating to the prospective adopter)—

- (a) in paragraph 4, after “marriage” insert “or civil partnership”;
- (b) in paragraph 5, for “married person” substitute “person who is married or a civil partner”.