
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No. 742

The Marriage and Civil Partnership
(Northern Ireland) Regulations 2020

PART 4

Other Amendments of Legislation

Minor amendment

16.—(1) In regulation 2(1) of the Regulation and Improvement Authority (Registration) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2005⁽¹⁾ (interpretation), in the definition of “relative”—

- (a) in paragraph (c), after “spouse” insert “or civil partner”, and
 - (b) for the words from “references” to the end substitute “references to “spouse or civil partner”, in relation to any person, include a former spouse or former civil partner and a person who is living with the person as if they were spouses of each other;”.
- (2) In consequence of paragraph (1)(b), omit regulation 159(2)(c) of the 2019 Regulations.

⁽¹⁾ [S.R. 2005/99](#). In regulation 2(1), the definition of “relative” was amended by regulation 159 of [S.I. 2019/1514](#).