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FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1927.

Council Chamber,
Stormont Castle,
Belfast,
14th March, 1927.

A Meeting of the Privy Council of Northern Ireland took place at Government House, Hillsborough, to-day, at which the following were present:—

- His Grace the Governor of Northern Ireland.
- The Right Honourable The Viscount Craigavon.
- The Right Honourable H. M. Pollock.
- The Right Honourable J. M. Andrews.
- The Right Honourable J. Milne Barbour.
- The Right Honourable A. B. Babington.

His Grace signified his approval of the King's Speech.

C. H. BLACKMORE,
Clerk of the Council.

BY THE GOVERNOR AND PRIVY
COUNCIL OF NORTHERN IRELAND.

ABERCORN.

RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT
(NORTHERN IRELAND).

WHEREAS by Section 61 of the Supreme Court of Judicature (Ireland) Act, 1877, as amended by Section 12 of the Supreme Court of Judicature (Ireland) (No. 2) Act, 1897, as those enactments apply to the Supreme Court of Judicature in Northern Ireland under and subject to the provisions of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, the Irish Free State (Consequential Provisions) Act, 1922, the Supreme Court of Judicature (Northern Ireland) Order, 1921, and any other Order made by His Majesty in Council under either of the two last-

mentioned Acts, it is provided that upon the recommendation and with the concurrence of a majority of all the Judges of the said Supreme Court of Judicature for the time being (of which the Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland shall be one), and one Barrister and one Solicitor (respectively practising in Northern Ireland) to be appointed for the purpose by the said Lord Chief Justice, by writing under his hand for such time as may be specified by him, the Governor of Northern Ireland may by Order in Council make Rules of Court and alter and annul any Rules of Court made under the enactments hereinbefore mentioned and for the time being in force in Northern Ireland:

And whereas certain Rules of Court, entitled "The Rules of the Supreme Court (Ireland), 1905," are in force in Northern Ireland under and subject to the provisions aforesaid, and as altered from time to time by the Lord Lieutenant and the said Governor by Orders in Council:

And whereas a majority of all the Judges of the said Supreme Court of Judicature and the other persons upon whose recommendation the said Governor may make, alter or annul Rules of Court as respects Northern Ireland, present on the 16th day of November, 1926, at a meeting for that purpose held (of which majority the Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland was one) have passed the resolutions set out respectively in the First, Second and Third Schedules hereto for the making, alteration and annulment of certain Rules of Court in the manner appearing in the said Schedules:

And whereas the provisions of Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, have been complied with:

Now I, James Albert Edward, Duke of Abercorn, Governor of Northern Ireland, by and with the advice of the Privy Council of