



Department for Social Development

The Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992

Notice is hereby given that in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 30A(2A) and (6) and 171(2) to (4) of, and paragraph 2(8) of Schedule 3 to, the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992, and now vested in it, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Department for Social Development has made a regulation entitled the Social Security (Incapacity Benefit) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001 (SR 2001 No. 156). Copies of the regulation may be purchased at an early date from the Stationery Office Bookshop, 16 Arthur Street, Belfast BT1 4GD.

Department for Social Development, Castle Buildings, Stormont, Belfast BT4 3SQ.

THE JOBSEEKERS (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1995

Notice is hereby given that in exercise of the powers conferred by Articles 6(5), 14(4)(a) and (b), 21(2) and (10)(c), 22(4), 22B(4) and 36(2) of, and paragraph 3(b) of Schedule 1 to, the Jobseekers (Northern Ireland) Order 1995(1) and sections 122(1)(a) and (d), 131(1), 132(4)(a) and (b), 171(3) and (4) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Department for Social Development has made Regulations entitled The Social Security (New Deal Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001 (SR 2001 No. 151).

Copies of the regulations may be purchased at an early date from the Stationery Office Bookshop, 16 Arthur Street, Belfast BT1 4GD.

Department of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland, Castle Buildings, Stormont, Belfast BT4 3SO.

The Street Trading Act (Northern Ireland) 2001

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of powers conferred on it by section 6(2) of the Street Trading Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Department for Social Development has made on 11th April 2001 a statutory rule entitled the Street Trading (Form of Licence) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001. The Regulations will come into effect on 1st October 2001. They prescribe the form of a street trading licence, including its renewal and any variation in the conditions, which may be issued by a district council authorising a person to trade as a stationary or mobile street trader. Copies of the Regulations (SR 2001 No. 166) may be purchased from the Stationery Office Bookshop, 16 Arthur Street, Belfast BT1 4GD.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of powers conferred on it by section 22 of, and paragraphs 2(4) and 3(4)(b) of Schedule I to, the Street Trading Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Department for Social Development has made on 11th April 2001 a statutory rule entitled the Street Trading (Fixed Penalty) (Notice and Procedure) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001.

The Regulations will come into effect on 1st October 2001. They prescribe the form of a fixed penalty notice which may be given by an authorised officer of a district council to a person under Schedule 1 to the Street Trading Act (Northern Ireland) 2001. The notice offers the opportunity of discharging (by payment of a fixed penalty to t he clerk of petty sessions by a given date) any liability to conviction of the offence under paragraph (a) or (b) of section 21 of the Act as specified in the notice.

Paragraph (a) of section 21 relates to the contravention, without reasonable excuse, of certain conditions of a street trading licence by:

- selling or supplying different articles, things or services to those specified:
- using receptacles of a different nature, size, type or number to those specified;
- failing to prominently display the name and licence number of the licence holder;
- failing to comply with the conditions governing the storage of articles, things or receptacles;
- failing to comply with the conditions governing the deposit and removal of refuse, including any containers used and their location. Paragraph (b) of section 21 relates to failing, on demand, to produce a street trading licence or temporary licence to an authorised officer of the district council or a police constable.

The Regulations also prescribe the information to be supplied to a clerk of petty sessions in relation to a fixed penalty notice.

Copies of the Regulations (SR 2001 No. 165) may be purchased from the Stationery Office Bookshop, 16 Arthur Street, Belfast BT1 4GD.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of powers conferred on it by section 29(1) of the Street Trading Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Department for Social Development has made on 11th April 2001 a statutory rule entitled the Street Trading (2001 Act) (Commencement) Order (Northern Ireland) 2001.

The Order provides for the coming into operation of the provisions of the Street Trading Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 as 1st October 2001. Copies of the Order (SR 2001 No. 164 (C.11)) may be purchased from the Stationery Office Bookshop, 16 Arthur Street, Belfast BT1 4GD.

The Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 and The Jobseekers (Northern Ireland) Order 1995

Notice is hereby given that in exercise of powers conferred on it by sections 122(1)(a) and (d), 132(4)(b), 134(1)(a) and 171(1) and (3) of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992 and Article 14(4)(b) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, the Department for Social Development, with the consent of the Department of Finance and Personnel, has made regulations entitled the Social Security (Capital Disregards Amendment No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001 (SR 2001 No. 157).

Copies of the regulations may be purchased from the Stationery Office Bookshop, 16 Arthur Street, Belfast BT1 4GD.

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Department of The Environment

The Department of the Environment has made a Statutory Rule entitled The Community Drivers' Hours (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) (Temporary Exception) (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2001 (SR 2001 No. 154).

These Regulations, which came into operation on 9th April 2001, extend until 7th June 2001, with slight amendment, the temporary exception from certain of the drivers' hours requirements of Council Regulation (EEC) No. 3820/85 granted on the 10th March 2001 by SR 2001 No. 103.

Copies of the Statutory Rule may be obtained (in typescript) from the Department of the Environment, Legislation and Vehicle Standards Branch, Room G-31, 10-18 Adelaide Street, Belfast BT2 8GB (Tel. 028 9054 0056) or purchased in printed form after the 1st May 2001 from The Stationery Office Bookshop, 16 Arthur Street, Belfast BT1 4GD.