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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2016 No. 205

REGISTRATION OF VITAL EVENTS

The General Register Office (Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 2016

Made - - - - 22nd March 2016

Coming into operation 4th April 2016

The Department of Finance and Personnel makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 47(1) and (2) of the Births and Deaths Registration (Northern Ireland) Order 1976 [F1], Articles 3(3)(b), 19(1)(a), 35(3), 36(1)(b) and (3) and 37 of the Marriage (Northern Ireland) Order 2003 [F2], and Section 157(1) of the Civil Partnership Act 2004 [F3].

F1 S.I. 1976/1041 (N.I. 14); Article 47(1) was amended by section 22 of 2011 c. 20 (N.I.) and Article 47(2) was amended by paragraph 20 of Schedule 1 to S.I. 1999/663
F2 S.I. 2003/413 (N.I. 3)
F3 2004 c. 33

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the General Register Office (Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 2016 and shall come into operation on 4th April 2016.

(2) The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 [F4] shall apply to this Order as it applies to an Act of the Assembly.

F4 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)
S.R. 2014 No. 71

Fees payable

2. The fee payable under a statutory provision specified in column 1 of the Schedule in respect of the matter specified in relation to it in column 2 shall be the fee specified in relation to it in column 3.

Revocation

3. The General Register Office (Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 2014(**e**) is hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel on 22nd March 2016.

L.S.

T Power
A senior officer of the
Department of Finance and Personnel

SCHEDULE Article 2

FEES PAYABLE

Column 1 *Statutory Provision*	*Column 2* *Service*	*Column 3* *New Fee* *£ p*	*Column 4* *Old Fee* *£ p*
Births and Deaths Registration (Northern Ireland) Order 1976 (N.I. 14)			
Article 34(2) and (4)	General search of indexes	Nil	7.00
	Basic index search[10]	Nil	Nil
	Enhanced index search[11]	50 pence per credit	40 pence per credit
	Particular search	7.00	7.00
	Certified copy of any entry in a register	8.00	8.00
Article 34(A)(1)[1]	Remote access to information contained in the registers		
	Basic index search	Nil	Nil
	Enhanced index search	50 pence per credit	40 pence per credit
	To view a record in the registers	5 credits (50 pence per credit)	5 credits (40 pence per credit)
	Access in General Register Office to any information contained in the registers		
	To view a record in the registers	5 credits (50 pence per credit)	5 credits (40 pence per credit)
Article 37(5)	Recording under Article 37(3) or (4), change of name or surname	35.00 (16.00 for second or subsequent members of the family)	35.00 (16.00 for second or subsequent members of the family)
Article 37(4C)[2]	Individual notification of a change of name or surname	8.00	8.00
Article 38	Search in a register in a registrar's office	7.00	7.00
	Certified copy of entry in a register	8.00	8.00
Article 40[3]	Short Birth Certificate:		
	First copy issued at time of registration of the birth	Nil	Nil
	Particular search	7.00	7.00

	Any copy issued thereafter	8.00	8.00
Article 40	Still-Birth Certificate:		
	First copy issued at time of registration of the still-birth	Nil	Nil
	Particular search	7.00	7.00
	Any copy issued thereafter	8.00	8.00
Article 40A[4]	Short Death Certificate:		
	First copy issued at time of registration in relation to the death of an infant child under 1 year old when birth and death are registered simultaneously	Nil	Nil
	Particular search	7.00	7.00
	Any copy issued thereafter	8.00	8.00
Article 40B(3)[5]	Individual notification of a birth or death registration	8.00	8.00
Article 42(1)	For the purposes of the enactments specified in Schedule 1 to that Order but not the Industrial Assurance (Northern Ireland) Order 1979 (N.I. 13) or Friendly Societies Act 1974 (c. 46)		
	Certified copy of an entry	8.00	8.00
	For the purposes of the Industrial Assurance (Northern Ireland) Order 1979 and the Friendly Societies Act 1974		
	Certified copy of an entry	8.00	8.00
Article 42(3)	Furnishing information for the purposes of any enactment specified in Schedule 1 to that Order	8.00	8.00
Civil Registration Act (Northern Ireland) 2011 (2011 c.20)			
Section 30	Commemorative copy of birth, death, marriage or civil partnership entry	40.00	40.00
Section 31	Entry in Record of Northern Ireland Connections register under Section 31(2) (to include copy of entry)	40.00	40.00
	Search of indexes	7.00	7.00