STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2011 No. 228

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

The Local Government (Contracts) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2011

Made - - - -	*15th June 2011*
Coming into operation	*1st August 2011*

The Department of the Environment makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 3(2)(e) and (f) and 3(3) of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011(**1**).

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Local Government (Contracts) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2011 and shall come into operation on 1st August 2011.

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations –

"the 1972 Act" means the Local Government Act (Northern Ireland) 1972(**2**);

"the 2010 Act" means the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland) 2010;

"certificate" means a certificate issued by a district council in satisfying the certification requirements in relation to a contract;

"chief financial officer" has the meaning assigned to it by section 148(1) of the 1972 Act and, in the case of a joint committee, means the officer who has responsibility for supervising the joint committee's arrangements for the receipt of money paid to it and the issue of money payable by it or, if no such officer has been appointed, the chief officer of the joint committee;

"district council" shall include a joint committee–

(a) which has been established under section 19(1) of the 1972 Act,

(b) which has been constituted as a body corporate by an order made under section 19(9) of that Act, and

(**1**) 2010 c.7 (N.I.)
(**2**) 1972 c.9 (N.I.)