STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2008 No. 491

EXPLOSIVES

The Explosives (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008

Made - - - - 25th November 2008

To be laid before Parliament

Coming into operation 1st April 2009

The Secretary of State makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Explosives Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(**1**).

Citation and Commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Explosives (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2008 and shall come into operation on 1st April 2009.

Amendment to the Explosives Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970

2. Regulation 10 (prohibition on night storage of explosives) of the Explosives Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970(**2**) is revoked.

Amendments to the Explosives (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976

3.—(1) The Explosives (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976(**3**) are amended as follows.

(2) Regulation 7(c) (persons to whom licence may be granted) is revoked.

(3) Regulation 8(1)(c) (revocation of licence) is revoked.

Amendment to the Explosives Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977

4. In paragraph (10)(a) of Form 6 (consent of officer of police to purchase or acquire explosives for blasting purposes) in Schedule 1 (forms to be substituted in Schedule to Explosives Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1970) to the Explosives Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977(**4**), omit "granted an exemption" to the end.

(**1**) 1970 c. 10, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.
(**2**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1970 No. 110, amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 474.
(**3**) S.R. 1976 No.369.
(**4**) S.R. 1977 No. 128.