STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

1998 No. 56

BETTING, GAMING AND LOTTERIES

Gaming (Variation of Monetary Limits) Order (Northern Ireland) 1998

Made - - - - 26th February 1998
To be laid before Parliament under paragraph 3(3) of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 1974

Coming into operation 9th April 1998

The Department of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 77(4), 106(3) and 108(16) of the Betting, Gaming, Lotteries and Amusements (Northern Ireland) Order 1985(**1**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Gaming (Variation of Monetary Limits) Order (Northern Ireland) 1998 and shall come into operation on 9th April 1998.

(2) In this Order "the Order" means the Betting, Gaming, Lotteries and Amusements (Northern Ireland) Order 1985.

Conditions governing gaming for prizes on bingo club premises

2. In Article 77(1) of the Order—

(a) in sub-paragraphs (*b*) and (*e*) for "£30"(**2**) there shall be substituted "£50"; and

(b) in sub-paragraph (*c*) for "£0·30" there shall be substituted "£5".

Maximum charge for playing a game once by means of a gaming machine in a registered club

3. For the purposes of Article 106(3) of the Order instead of "£0·25"(**3**) the sum of "£0·30" is hereby specified.

(**1**) S.I.1985/1204 (N.I. 11); *see* Article 2(2) for the definition of "the Department"
(**2**) Substituted by S.R. 1996 No. 572 Article 4
(**3**) Substituted by S.R. 1995 No. 442 Article 2