1993 No. 493

NORTHERN IRELAND DEPARTMENTS

Departments (Transfer of Functions) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993

Made	*6th December 1993*
Coming into operation . .	*6th December 1993*

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Ministries Act (Northern Ireland) 1944(**a**) and now vested in me(**b**) and all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following Order—

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Departments (Transfer of Functions) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on 6th December 1993.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Order—

"Department" includes the head of a Department;

"the transfer date" means 6th December 1993;

"transferred provision" has the meaning assigned to it by section 1 of the Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(**c**).

(2) Any reference in the Schedule to an enactment includes—

(*a*) a reference to any enactment in operation on the transfer date amending or extending that enactment; and

(*b*) a reference to so much of any enactment in operation on the transfer date as confers functions on the Department of Finance and Personnel for the purposes of that enactment.

Transfer of certain functions of the Department of Finance and Personnel

3. The functions which, immediately before the transfer date, are exercisable by the Department of Finance and Personnel under or for the purposes of the enactments set out in the Schedule are hereby transferred as from that date to the Department of Health and Social Services.

References in enactments, etc.

4.—(1) In the construction and for the purposes of any transferred provision, judgment, decree, order, award, deed, contract, regulation,

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(**a**) 1944 c. 14 (N.I.)
(**b**) By S.I. 1973/2163 Article 14(1) and Sch. 5 para. 27; 1974 c. 28 section 1(3) and Sch. 1 para. 2(1)(*b*)
(**c**) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.)