**1983 No. 270**

**SUPREME COURT**

**The Supreme Court (Offices) (Northern Ireland) Order 1983**

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| *Made* . . . . . | *2nd September 1983* |
| *Coming into operation* . . . | *1st October 1983* |
| *To be laid before Parliament* | |

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 70(5) of the Judicature (Northern Ireland) Act 1978(**a**), after consultation with the Lord Chief Justice, hereby makes the following Order:—

*Citation, commencement and interpretation*

**1.**—(1) This Order may be cited as the Supreme Court (Offices) (Northern Ireland) Order 1983 and shall come into operation on 1st October 1983.

(2) In this Order "the Act" means the Judicature (Northern Ireland) Act 1978.

*Statutory Offices*

**2.** Schedule 3 to the Act, as amended(**b**) shall be further amended by—

(*a*) inserting immediately after the entry relating to the office of Master (Care and Protection) the office "Master (High Court)", "Barrister or Solicitor" and "10 years" in columns 1, 2 and 3 respectively;

(*b*) removing the following offices, namely

(i) Registrar (Queen's Bench and Appeals);

(ii) Registrar (Care and Protection);

and the entries relating thereto.

Dated 2nd September 1983

*Hailsham of St. Marylebone, C.*

(**a**) 1978 c. 23
(**b**) S.R. 1982 No. 300