**1979 No. 36**

**FIREARMS**

**Firearms (Variation of Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979**

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| *Made* . . . . . | 19*th February* 1979 |
| *Coming into operation* . . . | 1*st April* 1979 |
| *To be laid before Parliament* | |

The Secretary of State in pursuance of section 47 of the Firearms Act (Northern Ireland) 1969(a) and with the approval of the Treasury hereby makes the following order:

*Citation and commencement*

**1.** This order may be cited as the Firearms (Variation of Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1979.

*Variation of fees*

**2.** The fees specified by section 27(1) of the Firearms Act (Northern Ireland) 1969 to be payable for the grant, renewal, or variation of a firearm certificate shall be varied as follows:

(*a*) on the grant of a firearm certificate the fee shall be £18;

(*b*) on the renewal of a firearm certificate the fee shall be £11; and

(*c*) on any variation of a firearm certificate (otherwise than when it is renewed or replaced at the same time) so as to increase the number of firearms to which the certificate relates or to substitute a firearm (other than a shotgun or air weapon) of a higher calibre or of a different type for one specified in the certificate or on the replacement of a certificate which has been lost or destroyed or for other cause cannot be produced the fee shall be £11.

*Revocation*

**3.** Article 2(1) of the Firearms (Variation of Fees) Order (Northern Ireland) 1977(b) is hereby revoked.

*Roy Mason*
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State

Northern Ireland Office
19th February 1979

We hereby approve the foregoing order.

*Peter Snape*
*Alf Bates*
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury

19th February 1979

(a) 1969 c. 12 (N.I.) as modified by S.I. 1973/2163 (1973 III, p. 7541)
(b) S.R. 1977 No. 360 (II, p. 1881)