1978 No. 215 (C. 8)

LEGAL AID AND ADVICE

Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (1977 Order) (Commencement No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1978

Made . . . . . 31*st July* 1978

Coming into operation . . . 1*st September* 1978

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by article 1(2) of the Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(a) I hereby make the following order:

Citation

1. This order may be cited as the Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (1977 Order) (Commencement No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1978.

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2. The following provisions of the Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (Northern Ireland) Order 1977, that is to say—

(*a*) article 3(6), (7), (8) and (9) and the schedule; and

(*b*) article 3(3) in so far as it relates to the repeal of section 5 of the Legal Aid and Advice Act (Northern Ireland) 1965(b),

shall come into operation on 1st September 1978.

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

Northern Ireland Office
31st July 1978

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This note is not part of the order but is intended to indicate its general purport.*)

This order brings into operation with effect from 1st September 1978 certain provisions of article 3 of the Legal Aid, Advice and Assistance (Northern Ireland) Order 1977 and the schedule to that Order.

Those provisions amend the Legal Aid and Advice Act (Northern Ireland) 1965 to provide for a new scheme of legal advice and assistance for the benefit of those eligible under section 7 of the Act as substituted by the schedule to the 1977 Order. Section 5 of the 1965 Act (legal aid in matters not involving litigation) is repealed.

(a) S.I. 1977/1252 (N.I. 19)
(b) 1965 c. 8 (N.I.)