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CLEAN AIR

Smoke Control Areas (Exempted Fireplaces) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977

Made . . . . . *29th November* 1977

Coming into operation . . . *9th January* 1978

The Department of the Environment in exercise of the powers conferred by section 11(7) of the Clean Air Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(a) and now vested in it(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, being satisfied that the class of fireplace described in column (1) of the Schedule can be used for burning fuel other than authorised fuels without producing a substantial quantity of smoke, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Smoke Control Areas (Exempted Fireplaces) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1977 and shall come into operation on 9th January 1978.

Revocation

2. The Smoke Control Areas (Exempted Fireplaces) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1976(c) are hereby revoked.

Exempted fireplaces

3. The class of fireplace described in column (1) of the Schedule shall, subject to the conditions specified in column (2), be exempted from the provisions of section 11 of the Clean Air Act (Northern Ireland) 1964.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland on 29th November 1977.

(L.S.) *J. A. D. Higgins*
Senior Assistant Secretary

(a) 1964 c. 16 (N.I.)
(b) By S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1964 No. 205 Art. 5(1) (p. 937); S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No. 111 Art. 3(1) (p. 414) and S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 Art. 4 (II, p. 2992)
(c) S.R. 1976 No. 348 (II, p. 1703)