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INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

The Industrial Relations (1976 Order) (Commencement No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976

Made . . . . . *20th December* 1976

Coming into operation . . . *20th December* 1976

The Department of Manpower Services, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 1 of the Industrial Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 1976(a) and paragraph 2(1) and (2) of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 1974(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Industrial Relations (1976 Order) (Commencement No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1976.

Commencement

2. The provisions of Article 82(1) of and Schedule 5 to the Industrial Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 1976, so far as they relate to paragraphs 8, 9, 12, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 of Part II of that Schedule, shall come into operation on 1st February 1977.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Manpower Services for Northern Ireland on 20th December 1976.

(L.S.) *J. Finney*

Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order brings into operation on 1st February 1977 those provisions of the Industrial Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 1976 which, by amending the Contracts of Employment and Redundancy Payments Act (Northern Ireland) 1965, extend the provisions of that Act to employees whose weekly hours of employment are normally not less than sixteen hours (eight hours in certain cases). At present the provisions of the Act extend only to employees whose weekly hours of employment are normally not less than twenty-one.

(a) S.I. 1976/1043 (N.I. 16) (b) 1974 c. 28