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VEHICLES EXCISE

Vehicles (Excise) Act (Northern Ireland) 1972

Date of Commencement (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1973

ORDER, DATED 17TH SEPTEMBER 1973, MADE BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE UNDER SECTION 38(2) OF THE VEHICLES (EXCISE) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1972.

In exercise of the power conferred upon me by section 38(2) of the Vehicles (Excise) Act (Northern Ireland) 1972(**a**) and section 1(1) of the Northern Ireland (Temporary Provisions) Act 1972(**b**) I hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Vehicles (Excise) Act (Northern Ireland) 1972 (Date of Commencement) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 1973.

2. The Vehicles (Excise) Act (Northern Ireland) 1972 (in so far as it has not already come into operation) shall come into operation on 1st October 1973.

Dated this 17th day of September 1973.

W. S. I. Whitelaw,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order appoints 1st October 1973 as the date on which the functions of county councils of levying excise duty on vehicles and the licensing and registration of vehicles shall be transferred to the Ministry of Home Affairs.

(a) 1972. c. 10 (N.I.). (b) 1972. c. 22.