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SUMMARY JURISDICTION

Petty Sessions Districts and Times

ORDER, DATED 28TH NOVEMBER 1972, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 21(3) OF THE MAGISTRATES' COURTS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1964.

The Ministry of Home Affairs, on behalf of the Secretary of State and in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section 21(3) of the Magistrates' Courts Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(a) and after consultation with the County Court Judges and the Resident Magistrates concerned hereby orders and directs as follows:—

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Petty Sessions Districts and Times (General) Order (Northern Ireland) 1972 and shall come into operation on the 1st January 1973.

Times of holding Petty Sessions

2.—(1) The times when Petty Sessions shall be held regularly in or for the Petty Sessions districts set out in the first column of the Schedule shall be as set out in the second column of the Schedule opposite the name of the Petty Sessions District.

(2) When the time fixed or appointed for the holding of Petty Sessions for any district falls on Christmas Day or Good Friday, the time fixed or appointed for the holding of such Petty Sessions shall be altered to the time fixed or appointed for the next following holding of a Petty Sessions for that district.

Revocation

3. All previous Orders fixing the times for the holding of Petty Sessions are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 28th day of November 1972.

(L.S.)

W. A. Willis,
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1964 c. 21 (N.I.).

SCHEDULE

(1) Petty Sessions Districts	(2) Times of holding Petty Sessions		
	Day of month	Hour of opening	
		For Juvenile Cases	For other business
COUNTY ANTRIM			
Antrim	1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Fridays	—	10.30 a.m.
	4th Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Ballycastle	3rd Monday	10.45 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Ballyclare	1st and 3rd Thursdays	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Ballymena	1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th Wednesdays	—	10.30 a.m
	2nd Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Ballymoney	1st, 2nd and 4th Mondays	10.00 a.m.	10.30 a.m.
Carrickfergus	1st and 3rd Mondays, 1st and 3rd Tuesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	2nd Monday	10.30 a.m.	—
Cushendall	4th Thursday	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Dunmurry	1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Wednesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	3rd Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Larne	1st and 4th Fridays and 2nd and 4th Tuesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	2nd Friday	10.30 a.m.	—
Lisburn	1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Mondays	—	10.30 a.m.
	1st Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Newtownabbey	4th Monday, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Thursdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	1st and 3rd Wednesdays	10.30 a.m.	—
Portrush	1st and 3rd Wednesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	3rd Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Toomebridge	2nd Thursday	—	10.30 a.m.
	4th Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—
COUNTY ARMAGH			
Armagh	1st Monday	10.30 a.m.	—
	2nd, 3rd and 4th Mondays and 1st Thursday	—	10.30 a.m.
Lurgan	1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Thursdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	4th Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Newtownhamilton	1st Tuesday	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
Portadown	1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Tuesdays	—	10.30 a.m.
	4th Wednesday	10.30 a.m.	—
Tandragee	2nd Friday	10.30 a.m.	11.00 a.m.
COUNTY BOROUGH OF BELFAST			
At Petty Sessions Courthouse	Daily	—	10.30 a.m.
Chichester Street Belfast	Every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday	10.30 a.m.	—