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JURORS

Service of Jurors' Summonses

REGULATIONS, DATED 28TH JANUARY 1971, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTION 7 OF THE JURIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1953.

WHEREAS the Jurors (Service of Summonses) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1958, made under Section 7 of the Juries Act (Northern Ireland) 1953, provided for the service of jurors' summonses by post:

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the said Regulations should be suspended during the period of the present withdrawal of postal services:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Major the Right Honourable James Dawson Chichester-Clark, Minister of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 7 of the Juries Act (Northern Ireland) 1953(a) after consultation with the Lord Chief Justice, and of every other power thereunto me enabling, hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Jurors (Service of Summonses) (Suspension) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971.

2. The operation of the Jurors (Service of Summonses) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1958(b) shall be suspended until further notice and accordingly the method of service of jurors' summonses shall, so long as the Jurors (Service of Summonses) (Suspension) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1971 remain in force, be in accordance with the provisions of Sections 6 and 7 of the Juries Procedure (Ireland) Act 1876.

Dated this 28th day of January 1971.

J. D. Chichester-Clark,
Minister of Home Affairs
for Northern Ireland.

(a) 1953. c. 19.

(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1958, No. 1.