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ARMS AND AMMUNITION

Recognition of Firearm Certificates and Shotgun Certificates granted in Great Britain

REGULATIONS, DATED 14TH FEBRUARY 1969, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS UNDER SECTIONS 6(1) AND 31 OF THE FIREARMS (AMENDMENT) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1968.

I, Captain the Right Honourable William Joseph Long, Minister of Home Affairs, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 6(1) and 31 of the Firearms (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1968(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations:—

Citation and Commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Firearms (Recognition of Firearm Certificates and Shotgun Certificates granted in Great Britain) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1969, and shall come into operation on 1st March 1969.

Firearm Certificates

2. It shall be lawful for the holder of any firearm certificate, granted under the law for the time being in force in Great Britain, to have in his possession in Northern Ireland any firearm or ammunition in respect of which the certificate was granted.

Shotgun Certificates

3. It shall be lawful for the holder of any shotgun certificate, granted under the law for the time being in force in Great Britain, to have in his possession in Northern Ireland any shotgun in respect of which the certificate was granted provided that—

(i) he has furnished to the County Inspector of the Royal Ulster Constabulary for the district in which he proposes to reside temporarily in Northern Ireland particulars of any shotgun and ammunition which he proposes to bring into Northern Ireland and such other information and documents which the County Inspector may request; and

(ii) has obtained from the County Inspector a Certificate of Approval in the form set out in the Schedule for the possession of the specified shotgun and ammunition which he proposes to bring into Northern Ireland. The Certificate so granted shall be valid for a period not exceeding 30 days.

(a) 1968. c. 27 (N.I.).

Appeals

4. Any person aggrieved by the decision of the County Inspector in relation to a Certificate of Approval shall have the same right of appeal as is available to a person aggrieved by a decision of the County Inspector in regard to a firearm certificate or permit.

Dated this 14th day of February 1969.

W. J. Long,
Minister of Home Affairs
for Northern Ireland.