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CLEAN AIR

Smoke Control Areas—Authorised Fuels

REGULATIONS, DATED 14TH APRIL, 1965, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES UNDER SECTION 43 OF THE CLEAN AIR ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1964.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Section 43 of the Clean Air Act (Northern Ireland) 1964(a) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and Commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Smoke Control Areas (Authorised Fuels) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1965, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of July, 1965.

Authorised Fuels

2. The following fuels are declared to be authorised fuels for the purposes of the Clean Air Act (Northern Ireland) 1964:—

anthracite;
briquetted fuels carbonised in the process of manufacture;
coke;
electricity;
fluidised char binderless briquettes manufactured by the National Coal Board;
gas;
low temperature carbonisation fuels;
low volatile steam coals.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 14th day of April, 1965.

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Senior Assistant Secretary.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

Section 11 of the Clean Air Act (Northern Ireland) 1964 makes it an offence to emit smoke from any building in a smoke control area unless it can be shown that the emission of smoke was not caused by the use of any fuel other than an authorised fuel. These regulations declare certain fuels to be authorised fuels for the purposes of the Act.

(a) 1964. c. 16 (N.I.).