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FOOD AND DRUGS

Penalties

REGULATIONS, DATED 25TH APRIL, 1960, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTIONS 4, 7, 13 AND 68 OF THE FOOD AND DRUGS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1958.

The Ministry of Health and Local Government, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Sections 4, 7, 13 and 68 of the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland), 1958(a), hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Food and Drugs (Penalties) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1960, and shall come into operation on the 16th day of May, 1960.

Interpretation

2. The expression "relevant regulations" means any regulations or order made under any enactment repealed by the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland), 1958, or under the Public Health (Shell-Fish) Regulations, 1936(b), and continued in force by virtue of Section 29 of the Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland), 1954(c), as applied by sub-section (2) of Section 73 of the Food and Drugs Act (Northern Ireland), 1958.

Penalties

3. If any person contravenes or fails to comply with any of the provisions of the relevant regulations he shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction—

(*a*) to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, or to both such fine and such imprisonment; and

(*b*) in the case of a continuing offence, to a further fine not exceeding five pounds for each day during which the offence continues after conviction.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this 25th day of April, nineteen hundred and sixty, in the presence of

(L.S.)

J. L. O. Andrews,
Minister of Health and Local Government.

(a) 1958. c. 27.
(b) S.R. & O (N.I.) 1936, No. 52.
(c) 1954. c. 33.