THE CONTROL OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN 1953 (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER, 1952, DATED 11TH DECEMBER, 1952, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER REGULATION 56A OF THE DEFENCE (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 1939, AS HAVING EFFECT BY VIRTUE OF THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1945 (a), (AS EXTENDED BY THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (EXTENDED PURPOSES) ACT, 1947 (b), AND THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (DEFENCE PURPOSES) ACT, 1951 (c), AND CONTINUED IN FORCE BY THE SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (CONTINUANCE) ORDER, 1952 (d)).

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In exercise of the powers under Regulation 56A of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, as having effect by virtue of the Supplies and Services (Transitional Powers) Act, 1945 (a) (as extended by the Supplies and Services (Extended Purposes) Act, 1947 (b), and the Supplies and Services (Defence Purposes) Act, 1951 (c), and continued in force by the Supplies and Services (Continuance) Order, 1952 (d)) delegated to it by the Delegation of Emergency Powers (Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland) Order, 1945 (e), made by the Secretary of State under paragraph (1) of Regulation 102A of the said Regulations as having effect as aforesaid, and of all other powers it enabling, the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland (in this Order referred to as " the Ministry ") hereby orders as follows :—

1. In this Order a " designated building " shall mean a building of any one or more of the descriptions following, that is to say :—

(*a*) a building used or intended to be used wholly for the purpose of or in connection with the carrying out by way of trade or business of any process or processes consisting of the making of any article, the altering, repairing, ornamenting, finishing, cleaning, washing, packing or canning, or adapting for sale, or breaking up or demolition of any article, or (without prejudice to the generality of the preceding words) the getting, dressing or preparation for sale of minerals, or the extraction or preparation for sale of oil or brine ;

(*b*) a building used or intended to be used wholly for the purpose of or in connection with agriculture, as defined in Section 43 of the Agriculture Act (Northern Ireland), 1949 (f).

2. The sum prescribed under paragraph (*c*) of the proviso to paragraph (1) of Regulation 56A of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, in relation to an operation undertaken in Northern Ireland, is the sum of Five hundred pounds.

3. Any person may, without a licence from the Ministry under paragraph (2) of the said Regulation 56A, carry out on any single

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 6, c.10 ; and S. R. & O. 1945 (No. 1619) II, p.50.
(b) 10 & 11 Geo. 6, c.55. (c) 14 & 15 Geo. 6, c.25. (d) S.I. 1952, No. 2094.
(e) S. R. & O. 1945 (No. 789) II, p.1137. (f) 1949, c.2.