6.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Control of Building Operations in 1953 (Northern Ireland) Order, 1952.

(2) This Order shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1953.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 11th day of December, 1952, in the presence of

(L.S.) *W. D. Scott*,
Secretary.

Coal Distribution

THE COAL DISTRIBUTION (RESTRICTION) (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER, 1952.

1952. No. 56

In exercise of the powers under Regulations 55 and 55AA (1) 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, 1951 (**d**)) delegated to it by instruments of delegation made respectively by the Board of Trade on 26th May, 1941, and the Minister of Fuel and Power on 16th October, 1943 under the said Regulations, as having effect as aforesaid, and of all other powers it enabling, the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland (in this Order referred to as " the Ministry ") hereby makes the following Order :—

Restriction of supplies of coal (other than coal specified in Article 2).

1.—(1) The maximum quantity of coal (other than coal to which the next following Article applies) which may be supplied or acquired (whether or not for a consideration) without special authority given by the Ministry during the period beginning on the 1st day of May, 1952, and ending on the 30th day of April, 1953, for consumption in any controlled premises (hereinafter called " the permitted quantity ") shall be :—

(*a*) 50 cwt. in respect of any controlled premises in which a supply of gas or electricity is normally available for the purpose of heating or cooking ;

(*b*) 60 cwt. in respect of any other controlled premises.

(2) The whole or any part of the permitted quantity may be supplied or acquired at any time during the period beginning on the

(a) 9 and 10 Geo. 6, c.10 and S.R. & O. 1945 No. 1618. (b) 10 and 11 Geo. 6, c.55 (c) 14 and 15 Geo. 6, c.25 (d) S.I. 1951, No. 2116.