the case of persons not entitled to superannuation allowances who die while employed or are removed in consequence of the abolition of their employment or by reason of incapacity) shall apply as if at the time when he became absent from his usual employment he had been removed therefrom in consequence of the abolition thereof.

5.—(1) Subject as hereinafter in this Regulation appears, where the usual employment of any person has been interrupted or terminated by war circumstances in order that he might serve in the armed forces of the Crown, and where immediately upon his discharge from those forces (or within such further period as the Ministry of Finance may in any particular case allow) that person has been reinstated in his usual employment, the time during the war period during which such person was so serving shall reckon for the purposes of the Superannuation Acts, as if he had remained in his usual employment at the remuneration which he would have been receiving if he had not left that employment.

(2) No person shall be entitled to reckon such service as aforesaid unless that person satisfies the Ministry that he has refunded or is willing to refund, any non-effective pay or excess remuneration in respect of any part of his war service which he desires to be treated under Section 4 of the Superannuation Act (Northern Ireland), 1947, as service to be counted towards a superannuation allowance at the end of his term of Civil Service employment, and that he has surrendered his right to any further payment of non-effective pay or excess remuneration in respect of such part of his war service as aforesaid.

(3) For the purposes of this Regulation service in the armed forces of the Crown shall include any leave granted at the termination thereof.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 31st day of December, 1948, in the presence of

(L.S.) *J. A. McKeown,*
Second Secretary.

TOURIST TRAFFIC

THE REGISTRATION OF CATERING ESTABLISHMENTS REGULATIONS, 1948, DATED 25TH FEBRUARY, 1948, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE UNDER SECTIONS 11 AND 12 OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF TOURIST TRAFFIC ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1948. No. 41

PART I.

Qualifications for Registration of Catering Establishments

General. **1.** WHEREAS the Northern Ireland Tourist Board (hereinafter referred to as " the Board ") have duly recommended to the Ministry of

Commerce (hereinafter referred to as " the Ministry ") that the Regulations contained in this Part of these Regulations should be made by the Ministry under section eleven of the Development of Tourist Traffic Act (Northern Ireland), 1948, (hereinafter referred to as " the Act ").

NOW THEREFORE, the Ministry on such recommendation and in pursuance of the powers conferred on it by that section and of every other power in that behalf it thereunto enabling hereby prescribes that the general character, nature and extent of accomodation, service provided and other qualifications requisite for the registration of any catering establishment in any register established and maintained under Part II of the Act shall be those prescribed in that behalf by the succeeding provisions of this Part of these Regulations.

Register of Hotels.

2. A catering establishment shall not be registered in the Register of Hotels established and maintained under Part II of the Act unless in the opinion of the Board —

(*a*) The premises are of solid substantial and permanent construction and in good repair.

(*b*) The premises are exclusively or primarily used for the lodging of travellers or sojourners in private rooms or apartments, and for the provision and service to travellers and sojourners at reasonable hours of meals and refreshments. The charges for lodging, meals and refreshments shall be in accordance with the scale of charges furnished by the proprietor under the provisions of the Act.

(*c*) The premises are of suitable design for Hotel purposes.

(*d*) The sleeping accomodation in the premises is provided by separate bedrooms of reasonably adequate size, with proper ventilation.

(*e*) The toilet facilities including bathrooms and flush lavatories are of modern design and adequate for the number of persons that can be lodged in the premises.

(*f*) The premises contain adequate and reasonable sitting-room and dining-room accomodation.

(*g*) The premises contain adequate kitchen and larder space and culinary facilities.

(*h*) The premises are adequately furnished and equipped and generally conform to modern standards of cleanliness, orderliness, water supply, sewage disposal, ventilation, safety and general condition.

(*i*) The business is under the management of a person or persons reasonably experienced in the management of a Hotel.

Register of Guest Houses.

3. A catering establishment shall not be registered in the Register of Guest Houses established and maintained under Part II of the Act unless in the opinion of the Board—

(*a*) The premises are of solid substantial and permanent construction, and in good repair.

(*b*) The premises are constructed or adapted for the lodging of travellers or sojourners in private rooms or apartments, and for the provision of meals and service to travellers and sojourners at fixed hours.

(*c*) The sleeping accomodation in the premises is provided by bedrooms reasonably ventilated and of adequate size.

(*d*) The toilet facilities including bathrooms and flush lavatories are reasonably adequate for the number of persons that can be lodged in the premises.

(*e*) The premises contain reasonably adequate dining-room and sitting room accomodation.

(*f*) The premises contain adequate kitchen and larder space and culinary facilities.

(*g*) The premises are adequately furnished and equipped and generally conform to modern standards of cleanliness, orderliness, water supply, sewage disposal, ventilation, safety and general condition.

(*h*) The business is under the management of a person or persons reasonably competent in the management of a guest house.

Register of Boarding Houses.

4. A catering establishment shall not be registered in the Register of Boarding Houses established and maintained under Part II of the Act unless in the opinion of the Board —

(*a*) The premises are of solid substantial and permanent construction, and in good repair.

(*b*) The premises contain adequate sanitary and toilet facilities.

(*c*) The premises are adequately furnished and equipped and conform to a reasonable standard of cleanliness and comfort.

Register of Restaurants.

5. A catering establishment shall not be registered in the Register of Restaurants established and maintained under Part II of the Act unless in the opinion of the Board —

(*a*) The premises conform to modern standards of cleanliness and comfort.

(*b*) The premises contain adequate kitchen and larder space and culinary facilities.

(*c*) The premises are adequately furnished and equipped.

(*d*) The business is under reasonably experienced management.

PART II

Application for Registration

Applications.

6. The Ministry, after consultation with the Board and in pursuance of the powers conferred on it by section twelve of the Act and of every other power in that behalf it thereunto enabling hereby prescribes as follows :—

(*a*) Application for registration shall be made on or before the 31st March in each year in respect of registration to be effected for the financial year then next following.

(*b*) The application shall be in writing and shall afford the particulars required in the appropriate form in the schedule hereto, and shall when completed by the applicant for registration be sent to the General Manager, Northern Ireland Tourist Board, 55 Linenhall Street, Belfast.

(*c*) The statement of charges shall be in the form set out in the schedule hereto and shall afford the information required by that form.

PART III

Miscellaneous

Citation and Interpretation.

7.—(*a*) These regulations may be cited as the Registration of Catering Establishments Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948.

(*b*) The Interpretation Act, 1889, as in force in Northern Ireland shall apply to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland this 25th day of February, 1948 in the presence of

(L.S.) *G. H. E. Parr*,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE

I. Form of Application for Registration of Premises in the Register of Hotels

Name(s) of Proprietor(s).....

(If Limited Company, state Name of Secretary of Company.....

Registered Office of Company.....)

Name of Manager (or Manageress) of Hotel.....

Address of Manager (or Manageress) of Hotel.....

Full Postal Address of Proprietor(s).....

Description of Proprietor(s).....

If Public or Private Limited Liability Company say so. If Partnership give occupations of both partners. If individual Proprietor state occupation *e.g.*, Hotel Proprietor. If Proprietor is a woman state whether spinster, married woman or widow.)

Name of Hotel.....

Address of Hotel.....

I/We hereby apply to the Northern Ireland Tourist Board for registration of the above premises in the Register of Hotels for the Registration period ending on 31st March, 1949.

I/We declare that the premises for which an application for registration is being made comply with the regulations (which I/We have read) laid down by the Ministry of Commerce for the registration of premises in the Register of Hotels, and I/We

declare that the particulars given above and in the attached Table are correct to the best of my/our knowledge and belief.

(*) Cheque, P.O., M.O., crossed "& Co." payable to the General Manager of the Board is enclosed for £ : : being the amount of stamp duty payable under Section 12 (3) of the Development of Tourist Traffic Act (Northern Ireland), 1948. (See No. 1 of Table below).

(†) Signed.....

Date.....

(*) Cross out items which do not apply.

(†) To be signed by the proprietor or in the case of a partnership by one partner at least, or in the case of a Limited Company by the authorised officer of the Company.

TABLE

This Table forms part of the application and must be completely filled in. Do not leave blank spaces. Where certain amenities, etc., are not available, insert the word "None."

1. NET ANNUAL VALUE of all hereditaments and premises including annexes comprised in the catering establishment £.....

Stamp Duty £.....

(NOTE: Stamp Duty is payable under Section 12 (3) and the Second Schedule of the Development of Tourist Traffic Act (Northern Ireland), 1948, as follows:—

Net Annual Value				Stamp Duty		
				£	s.	d.
Not exceeding £20	...	...	...	...	10	0
Exceeding £20	but not exceeding		£50	... 2	10	0
,, £50	,, ,,	,,	£100	... 5	0	0
,, £100	,, ,,	,,	£500	... 15	0	0
,, £500	,, ,,	,,	£1000	... 25	0	0
,, £1000				50	0	0)

2. PREMISES: Construction (concrete, brick, wood, etc.).....
Is there an underground basement?.....
Number of floors excluding underground basement (if any).....
Garage accomodation for.....cars. Charge per night.....
Lock-up garages for.....cars. Charge per night.....

3. WATER SUPPLY: Public or Private.....
If private give details.....

4. SEWAGE DISPOSAL: Public or Private.....
If private give details.....

5. LIQUOR LICENCE: If licensed state nature (full, wine only, etc.).....

6. PERIOD OF YEAR during which Hotel is open.....

7. BEDROOMS FOR VISITORS:

	With Running Water	Without Running Water
Number with one single bed	.....	.....
,, two ,, beds	.....	.....
,, one double bed	.....	.....
,, one double and one single bed	.....	.....
,, two double beds	.....	.....

Three or more beds (give details).....
Number of above bedrooms with Private Bath.....
Number of above bedrooms with Telephone.....
Total number of bedrooms for visitors.....
Total number of beds for visitors.....
If there is a passenger lift state floors served.....