Health Authorities, Transfer of Functions Borough, Urban and Rural Councils

ORDER, DATED THE 1ST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1947, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION TWO OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1946.

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The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section two of the Public Health and Local Government (Administrative Provisions) Act (Northern Ireland), 1946 (in this Order referred to as " the Act "), and after consultation with the local authorities concerned, hereby orders as follows :—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Public Health and Local Government (Transfer of Functions) (No. 9) Order (Northern Ireland), 1947.

(2) In this Order the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them, that is to say—

" appointed day " means the first day of December, 1947 ;

" transferor " means the council of a borough or urban or rural district ;

" transferee " means the health authority within whose area the area of the transferor is situate.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies for the purpose of the interpretation of this Order in like manner as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2. The functions exercisable by a transferor immediately before the appointed day under the enactments set forth in the Schedule to this Order shall as from that day be transferred to the transferee.

3.—(1) As from the appointed day, in the construction and for the purposes of the enactments set forth in the Schedule to this Order, any reference which may be construed as a reference to a transferor shall be construed as a reference to the transferee.

(2) As from the appointed day there shall be made in any other enactment such modifications and adaptations as may be required to bring it into conformity with the provisions of this Order.

4. The following provisions of this Article shall apply in relation to the functions transferred by this Order :—

(1) In the construction and for the purposes of any judgment, decree, award, deed, contract, byelaw, certificate or other document