(Employment) Act, 1944 as to the retention of names in the Register established and maintained under Section 6 of that Act or is subject to any prescribed disqualification under that Act in that behalf ".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and forty-six, in the presence of

(L.S.) *J. W. McConnell,*
Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE.

By Section 22 of the Disabled Persons (Employment) Act, 1944, and an Order in Council made thereunder, registration in the Northern Ireland Register of Disabled Persons is treated as having the same effect as registration in the British Register and any such registration will continue to be so treated so long as the name of the person concerned remains in the Northern Ireland Register. The purpose of this amending Regulation is to enable the name of a person to be removed from the Northern Ireland Register in an appropriate case if, whilst in Great Britain, he incurs disqualification under the British Registration Regulations.

Special Percentage (Ships)

ORDER, DATED 21ST MARCH, 1946, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER THE DISABLED PERSONS (EMPLOYMENT) ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945, SPECIFYING A SPECIAL PERCENTAGE FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE ACT IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN EMPLOYMENTS ON SHIPS.

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WHEREAS by the Disabled Persons (Standard Percentage) Order (Northern Ireland), 1946, a standard percentage of two per cent. was specified by the Ministry of Labour (hereinafter referred to as " the Ministry ") for the purpose of the Disabled Persons (Employment) Act (Northern Ireland), 1945 (hereinafter referred to as " the Act ") ;

AND WHEREAS it appears to the Ministry that a percentage other than the standard percentage ought to be assigned to the employments specified in the Schedule hereto on the ground that those employments have distinctive characteristics as respects their suitability for disabled persons ;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Ministry, by virtue of the powers conferred on it by Section ten of the Act, and after consultation with organisations representing employers and workers respectively appearing to it to be concerned, hereby makes the following Order :—