2.—Clause 38 of the Scheme (which relates to the benefit period) shall have effect as if in sub-clause (3) thereof for the words " Any three or more days of unemployment " there were substituted the words " Any two or more days of unemployment."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 15th day of August, 1940, in the presence of

(L.S.)

R. R. Bowman,
Secretary to the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland.

Residence Condition.

REGULATIONS, DATED 22ND JULY, 1940, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR UNDER SECTION 26 OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1936.

1940. No. 88.

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, by virtue of the powers conferred on it by Section 26 of the Unemployment Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1936, and of all other powers in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Residence Condition) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1940, and shall come into force on the date hereof.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, applies to the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2.—In determining whether an insured contributor has fulfilled the fifth statutory condition, no account shall be taken of residence outside the United Kingdom for any cause for a period not exceeding five years, or for periods which in the aggregate do not exceed five years, or for such longer period or periods as may be due to :—

(*a*) Employment in the Naval, Military or Air Service of the Crown;

(*b*) Employment which is insurable employment under the Unemployment Insurance Acts as in force in Great Britain or Northern Ireland;

(*c*) Any other cause which, in the opinion of the Minister of Labour, was in all the circumstances reasonable :

Provided that in the case of an insured contributor who does not fulfil the fifth statutory condition as modified by the foregoing