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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2006 No. 1**

**HEALTH AND SAFETY**

**The Control of Noise at Work  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006**

*Made* - - - - *10th January 2006*

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The Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment(1), being the Department concerned(2), makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by Articles 17(1), (2) and (5) and 55(2) of, and paragraphs 1(1), 7(1), 8, 10, 12(2) and (3), 13, 14(1), 15 and 19 of Schedule 3 to, the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978(3) (“the 1978 Order”). The Regulations give effect without modifications to proposals submitted to it by the Health and Safety Executive for Northern Ireland under Article 13(1A)(c) of the 1978 Order(4) after the Executive had carried out consultations in accordance with Article 46(3) of the 1978 Order(5).

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- (1) Formerly the Department of Economic Development: *see* [S.I. 1982/846 \(N.I. 11\)](#), Article 3 and [S.I. 1999/283 \(N.I. 1\)](#), Article 3(5)
- (2) *See* Article 2(2) of [S.I. 1978/1039 \(N.I. 9\)](#)
- (3) [S.I. 1978/1039 \(N.I. 9\)](#); the general purposes of Part II referred to in Article 17(1) were extended by [S.I. 1992/1728 \(N.I. 17\)](#), Article 3(1). Article 47A was inserted by Article 3, and Article 2 was amended by Articles 4 and 8 of [S.I. 1997/1774 \(N.I. 16\)](#). Article 55(2) was amended by [S.I. 1998/2795 \(N.I. 18\)](#), Article 6(1) and Schedule 2, paragraph 19
- (4) Article 13(1) was substituted by [S.I. 1998/2795 \(N.I. 18\)](#), Article 4
- (5) Article 46(3) was amended by [S.I. 1998/2795 \(N.I. 18\)](#), Article 6(1) and Schedule 1, paragraphs 8 and 18