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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2016 No. 77**

**CHARITIES**

**The Charities Act 2008 (Designated Religious Charities) Order (Northern Ireland) 2016**

*Laid before the Assembly in draft*

*Made - - - - 24th February 2016*

*Coming into operation 1st March 2016*

The Department for Social Development makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 165(2)(a) of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008<sup>(1)</sup>.

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the Charities Act 2008 (Designated Religious Charities) Order (Northern Ireland) 2016 and shall come into operation on 1st March 2016.

**Disapplication of Act in relation to designated religious charities**

2. Section 86 of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 (persons disqualified for being trustees of a charity) does not apply to a designated religious charity.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Social Development on 24th February 2016

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Development

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order specifies section 86 of the Charities Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 as a provision which does not apply to designated religious charities.