
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1973 No. 70 (NI 2)

**Water and Sewerage Services (Northern
Ireland) Order 1973 (REPEALED)**

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