STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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Births and Deaths Registration (Northern Ireland) Order 1976

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BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1976

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SCHEDULE 1 — STATUTORY PROVISIONS FOR THE PURPOSES OF WHICH PROOF OF THE AGE OR DEATH OF ANY PERSON MAY BE REQUIRED
Changes to legislation:
There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Births and Deaths Registration (Northern Ireland) Order 1976.