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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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1979 No. 922 (N.I. 6)

NORTHERN IRELAND

**The Appropriation (No. 2) (Northern Ireland) Order 1979**

*Laid before Parliament in draft*

*Made* 26th July 1979

*Coming into Operation* 26th July 1979

At the Court of Saint James, the 26th day of July 1979

Present,

The Counsellors of State in Council

Whereas Her Majesty, in pursuance of the Regency Acts 1937 to 1953, was pleased, by Letters Patent dated the 16th day of July 1979, to delegate to the six Counsellors of State therein named or any two or more of them full power and authority during the period of Her Majesty's absence from the United Kingdom to summon and hold on Her Majesty's behalf Her Privy Council and to signify thereat Her Majesty's approval for anything for which Her Majesty's approval in Council is required:

And whereas a draft of this Order has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother and His Royal Highness The Prince Charles, Prince of Wales, being authorised thereto by the said Letters Patent, and in exercise of the powers conferred by paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 1974 (a), and of all other powers enabling Her Majesty in that behalf, and by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, do on Her Majesty's behalf order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

*Title and commencement*

1. This Order may be cited as the Appropriation (No. 2) (Northern Ireland) Order 1979 and shall come into operation forthwith.

*Interpretation*

2. The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954 (b) shall apply to Article 1 and the following provisions of this Order as it applies to a Measure of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

*Issue of sums out of the Consolidated Fund for years ending 31st March 1978 and 1980.*

3.—(1) The Department of Finance may issue out of the Consolidated Fund and apply towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ended on 31st March 1978, the sum of ten pounds.

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(a) 1974 c. 28.

(b) 1954 c. 33 (N.I.).

(2) The Department of Finance may issue out of the Consolidated Fund and apply towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on 31st March 1980, the sum of nine hundred and seventy-eight million, two hundred and seventy thousand, eight hundred pounds.

*Power for Department of Finance to borrow*

4.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), the Department of Finance may borrow on the credit of the aforesaid sums, any sum or sums not exceeding in the whole four hundred and eighty-nine million pounds.

(2) Any money so borrowed shall be repaid, with any interest due thereon, out of the Consolidated Fund at any date not later than 31st March 1980.

*Appropriation of grants*

5.—(1) The sums granted by Article 3 out of the Consolidated Fund are appropriated for the several services and purposes specified in the Schedule.

(2) The sum already authorised to be appropriated in aid for the year ended on 31st March 1978 shall be increased by the sum specified in column 3 of Part I of the Schedule for the service in connection with which that sum is specified.

(3) In addition to the sums granted by Article 3 out of the Consolidated Fund, there may be applied as appropriations in aid of the grants for the several services and purposes specified in Part II of the Schedule the sums respectively specified in column 3 of that Part.

*N. E. Leigh,*

Clerk of the Privy Council.

Article 5.

SCHEDULE

PART I

EXCESS FOR YEAR 1977-78

SCHEDULE of sum granted to make good an excess on a grant for the year ended on 31st March 1978, and of the increase in the sum which was authorised to be applied as an appropriation in aid in addition thereto, viz:—

Vote	Sum Granted	Increase in Appropriation in Aid
No.                    CLASS II 7. Administration and Miscellaneous Services	£ 10	£ 377

**PART II**

SCHEDULE of sums granted, and of the sums which may be applied as appropriations in aid in addition thereto, to defray the charges of the several services herein particularly mentioned, which will come in course of payment during the year ending on 31st March 1980, viz:—

	Sums Granted	Appropriations in Aid
No.	£	£
<b>CLASS I</b>		
1. For expenditure by the Department of Agriculture on educational, research and development services including a grant in aid ..	5,060,000	3,259,000
2. For expenditure by the Department of Agriculture on assistance for production, processing and marketing, improvement of livestock and on the control of diseases and pests .. .. .	3,222,000	1,475,000
3. For expenditure by the Department of Agriculture on fishery services and a grant in aid	1,855,000	86,000
4. For expenditure by the Department of Agriculture on drainage, inland navigation and water recreation .. .. .	5,842,000	2,000
5. For expenditure by the Department of Agriculture on forestry .. .. .	3,575,000	899,000
6. For expenditure by the Department of Agriculture on administration .. .. .	6,785,000	3,586,000
<b>CLASS II</b>		
1. For expenditure by the Department of Commerce on provision of land and buildings, promotion of tourism and industrial development publicity .. ..	18,408,000	590,000
2. For expenditure by the Department of Manpower Services on selective employment payments to certain employers .. ..	525,000	—
3. For expenditure by the Department of Commerce on selective assistance to industry, including the repayment to the Consolidated Fund of certain issues made from it to the Capital Purposes Fund, support services, capital grants, and certain administration expenses .. .. .	70,876,000	5,010
4. For expenditure by the Department of Commerce on a subsidy to electricity tariffs .. .. .	9,628,000	—
5. For expenditure by the Department of Manpower Services on employment services, services for the seriously disabled, industrial rehabilitation, industrial training, assistance in respect of certain sandwich courses, industrial relations and other labour market services, including certain grants in aid .. .. .	45,043,000	1,408,010
6. For expenditure by the Department of Commerce on consumer protection, regulation of trading practices, administration and miscellaneous services, certain grants and grants in aid .. .. .	3,766,000	472,000
7. For expenditure by the Department of Manpower Services on administration ..	88,000	124,000

	Sums Granted	Appropriations in Aid
<b>No. CLASS III</b>	£	£
1. For expenditure by the Department of Commerce on support for the gas industry	225,000	—
<b>CLASS IV</b>		
1. For expenditure by the Department of the Environment on roads and certain associated services including lighting, parking, road safety, ferry services and the repayment to the Consolidated Fund of certain issues made from it to the Capital Purposes Fund	56,546,000	2,113,000
2. For expenditure by the Department of the Environment on transport services ..	9,014,000	45,000
3. For expenditure by the Department of Commerce on harbour services .. ..	943,000	200
<b>CLASS V</b>		
1. For expenditure by the Department of the Environment on housing services, including certain grants in aid .. .. .	69,991,000	328,000
<b>CLASS VI</b>		
1. For expenditure by the Department of the Environment on water, sewerage and related services .. .. .	35,550,000	4,949,000
2. For expenditure by the Department of the Environment on planning, recreation, historic monuments and buildings and other environmental services .. .. .	8,995,000	1,480,100
3. For Consolidated Fund contributions to local revenues.. .. .	5,565,000	—
4. For expenditure by the Department of the Environment on administration and other services .. .. .	1,544,000	951,000
<b>CLASS VII</b>		
1. For expenditure by the Department of the Environment on fire and other protective services .. .. .	4,653,000	—
<b>CLASS VIII</b>		
1. For expenditure by the Department of Education on schools, excluding payments to Education and Library Boards .. ..	78,931,000	—
2. For expenditure by the Department of Education on higher and further education and teacher training, including grants in aid but excluding payments to Education and Library Boards .. .. .	33,520,000	—
3. For expenditure by the Department of Education on museums, arts, youth, sports and allied services, community services, administration and miscellaneous services, including grants in aid but excluding payments to the Education and Library Boards	16,328,000	—

	Sums Granted	Appropriations in Aid
No. CLASS VIII—(Continued)	£	£
4. For payments by the Department of Education to Education and Library Boards ..	92,399,000	1,000
5. For expenditure by the Department of Education on pensions, allowances, gratuities &c and certain payments to the Northern Ireland National Insurance Fund .. ..	900	13,396,000
CLASS IX		
1. For expenditure by the Department of Health and Social Services on health and personal social services and certain other services ..	171,498,000	224,020
2. For expenditure by the Department of Health and Social Services on family practitioner services, welfare foods and other health and personal social services .. .. .	22,017,000	18,951,000
3. For expenditure by the Department of Health and Social Services on health and personal social services administration, research and civil defence .. .. .	3, 91,000	260,020
4. For expenditure by the Department of Health and Social Services on superannuation benefits &c to or in respect of persons engaged in the health and personal social services or in other approved employment .. .. .	900	10,741,000
CLASS X		
1. For sums payable out of the Consolidated Fund to the Northern Ireland National Insurance Fund .. .. .	29,362,000	—
2. For expenditure by the Department of Health and Social Services on non-contributory benefits .. .. .	59,598,000	3,593,010
3. For expenditure by the Department of Health and Social Services on family benefits .. .. .	74,746,000	8,000
4. For expenditure by the Department of Health and Social Services on social security &c administration .. .. .	7,536,000	16,108,000
CLASS XI		
1. For the expenditure of the Northern Ireland Assembly .. .. .	96,000	19,000
2. For the expenditure of the Department of the Comptroller and Auditor-General .. ..	284,000	59,000
3. For expenditure by the Department of Finance on financial administration .. .. .	1,425,000	333,000
4. For expenditure by the Department of the Civil Service on central management of the civil service and a grant in aid .. ..	1,677,000	339,000
5. For expenditure by the Department of Finance on valuation services, records, registrations and surveys .. .. .	2,146,000	1,319,000
6. For expenditure by the Department of Finance on central administration and certain miscellaneous expenses, including grants in aid .. .. .	1,729,000	192,010

	Sums Granted	Appropriations in Aid
No. CLASS XI—(Continued)	£	£
7. For the expenditure of the Central Secretariat including the expenses of Information Services and a grant in aid .. .. .	623,000	128,000
8. For the expenditure of the Office of the Northern Ireland Parliamentary Commissioner for Administration .. .. .	14,000	—
9. For the expenditure of the Office of the Northern Ireland Commissioner for Complaints .. .. .	89,000	—
CLASS XII		
1. For expenditure by the Department of Finance on public works and buildings, accommodation and certain other services ..	11,521,000	4,987,000
2. For expenditure by the Department of the Civil Service on computers and other common services .. .. .	1,103,000	753,000
3. For expenditure by the Department of the Civil Service on pensions, lump sums and gratuities to former civil servants, pensions to widows, children and dependants, insurance premiums under common law and civil pensions and gratuities.. .. .	737,000	10,453,000
TOTAL    £	978,270,800	103,636,380

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order authorises the issue out of the Consolidated Fund of Northern Ireland of further sums for the years ending on 31st March 1978 and 31st March 1980 and appropriates those sums for specified services in Northern Ireland. It also authorises the application of certain sums as appropriations in aid for the year ending on 31st March 1980 and increases a sum authorised to be applied as an appropriation in aid for the year ended on 31st March 1978.