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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1996 No. 3159**

**The Registration of Clubs (Northern Ireland) Order 1996**

**PART V**

**MISCELLANEOUS**

*Legal proceedings*

**Endorsement of certificates of registration**

**44.**—(1) Where a registered club or any official of a registered club is convicted of an offence under a provision of this Order specified in column 1 of Schedule 6, the court shall order there to be endorsed on the certificate of registration issued on the registered club particulars of the conviction and also—

(a) particulars of the offence, including the date when it was committed, <sup>F1</sup>...

<sup>F1</sup>(b) .....

<sup>F2</sup>(2) Where a registered club or any official of a registered club is convicted of an offence under a provision of this Order specified in column 1 of Schedule 6—

(a) subject to paragraph (2A), where the provision is one specified in Part 1 of Schedule 6, the court may order there to be endorsed on the certificate of registration the penalty points to be attributed to the offence;

(b) subject to paragraph (2B), where the provision is one specified in Part 2 of Schedule 6, the court must order there to be endorsed on the certificate of registration the penalty points to be attributed to the offence unless for special reasons the court thinks fit not to do so;

(c) where the provision is one specified in Part 3 of Schedule 6, the court must order there to be endorsed on the certificate of registration the penalty points to be attributed to the offence.

(2A) Where a registered club or any official of a registered club who has been convicted of an offence under a provision of this Order specified in Part 1 of Schedule 6 (“the first offence”) is convicted of an offence under the same provision of this Order committed less than two years after the first offence was committed, the court must order the penalty points to be attributed to the offence to be endorsed on the certificate of registration.

(2B) Where a registered club or any official of a registered club who has been convicted of an offence under a provision of this Order specified in Part 2 of Schedule 6 (“the first offence”) is convicted of an offence under a provision of this Order specified in that Part of that Schedule committed less than two years after the first offence was committed, the court must order the penalty points to be attributed to the offence to be endorsed on the certificate of registration.]

(3) A court which orders the endorsement of a certificate of registration of a registered club under <sup>F3</sup>this Article] shall order the secretary of the club to deliver the certificate of registration to the clerk of the court within a period specified in the order of the court and if the secretary of the registered club contravenes that court order he shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary

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conviction to a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 3 months or both.

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| <p><b>F1</b> Art. 44(1)(b) and word repealed (1.5.2012) by <a href="#">Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011 (c. 18)</a>, ss. 8(2)(a), 18, <b>Sch. 4</b>; S.R. 2012/28, art. 2, Sch.</p> <p><b>F2</b> Art. 44(2)(2A)(2B) substituted for art. 44(2) (1.5.2012) by <a href="#">Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011 (c. 18)</a>, <b>ss. 8(2)(b)</b>, 18; S.R. 2012/28, art. 2, Sch.</p> <p><b>F3</b> Words in art. 44(3) substituted (1.5.2012) by <a href="#">Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2011 (c. 18)</a>, <b>ss. 8(2)(c)</b>, 18; S.R. 2012/28, art. 2, Sch.</p> |
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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Order associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Order (including any effects on those provisions):

- [art. 31B inserted by 2011 c. 18 \(N.I.\) s. 11](#)