### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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## The Private Tenancies (Northern Ireland) Order 2006

### **PART IV**

# CERTIFICATES OF FITNESS AND RENT CONTROL CHAPTER III

### TENANCIES SUBJECT TO RENT CONTROL

#### The rent limit

### **Increase of rent**

- **49.**—(1) Where the rent for any rental period of a controlled tenancy of a dwelling-house would be less than the rent limit, the amount of the rent may be increased up to the rent limit by a notice of increase served by the landlord on the tenant.
  - (2) A notice of increase-
    - (a) shall be in the prescribed form, and
    - (b) shall specify the date on which the increase is to take effect.
- (3) The date specified in the notice of increase shall not be earlier than 4 weeks after service of the notice.