

1978 No. 6

DANGEROUS DRUGS**Misuse of Drugs (Licence Fees) (Amendment) Regulations
(Northern Ireland) 1978**

Made 6th January 1978

Coming into operation 1st April 1978

The Department of Health and Social Services in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 30 and 31 of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971(a) as adapted by section 38 of the Act and now vested in it(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf and after consultation with the Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs, hereby makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Misuse of Drugs (Licence Fees) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1978 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1978.

Interpretation

2. The Interpretation Act (Northern Ireland) 1954(c) shall apply to these regulations as it applies to a Measure of the Northern Ireland Assembly.

Amendment of the Misuse of Drugs (Licence Fees) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 1975

3. Regulation 3(1) of the Misuse of Drugs (Licence Fees) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 1975(d) shall be amended as follows:—

- (a) in sub-paragraph (a), for “£66” there shall be substituted “£132”;
- (b) in sub-paragraph (b), for “£44” there shall be substituted “£88”;
- (c) in sub-paragraphs (c) and (d), for “£22” there shall be substituted “£44”;
- (d) in sub-paragraph (e), for “£11” there shall be substituted “£22”; and
- (e) sub-paragraph (f) shall be omitted.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Health and Social Services on 6th January 1978.

(L.S.)

S. W. McDowell

Assistant Secretary

(a) 1971 c. 38

(b) By S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1973 No. 504 art. 5(a) (II, p. 2992)

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

(d) S.R. 1975 No. 10 (I, p. 36)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These regulations increase the prescribed fees in relation to licences under the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971, except that the fee in relation to licences for the cultivation of the cannabis plant is discontinued.

1978 No. 7

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1978 No. 8

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