

1991 No. 428

INDUSTRIAL ASSURANCE

**Industrial Assurance (Fees) Regulations
(Northern Ireland) 1991**

Made 16th September 1991

Coming into operation 4th November 1991

The Department of Economic Development, in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 49(1) of the Industrial Assurance (Northern Ireland) Order 1979(a) and now vested in it(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, with the approval of the Department of Finance and Personnel(c), hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Industrial Assurance (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1991 and shall come into operation on 4th November 1991.

Fees

2. The fees set out in the Schedule shall be payable to the Department of Economic Development in respect of the matters specified therein.

Revocation

3. The Industrial Assurance (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990(d) are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Economic Development on 11th September 1991.

(L.S.)

A. H. McAlister

Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance and Personnel hereby approves the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel on 16th September 1991.

(L.S.)

J. H. Caldwell

Assistant Secretary

(a) S.I. 1979/1574 (N.I. 13)

(b) By S.I. 1982/846 (N.I. 11) Art. 4

(c) Formerly Department of Finance: see S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 3

(d) S.R. 1990 No. 364

Scale of fees payable for the inspection, or the furnishing of copies, of documents in the custody of the Commissioner or in connection with the exercise by the Commissioner of any of his functions under the Industrial Assurance (Northern Ireland) Order 1979 (herein referred to as "the Order").

Note— Where appropriate, previous fees are shown in brackets.

<i>Fee Number</i>	<i>Matter</i>	<i>Amount £</i>
1.	On every application for a certificate in relation to "exempted business" as defined in Article 2(2) of the Order, for each class of assurance to which the application relates ...	275 (255)
2.	On every award of dissolution of a society ...	55 (50)
3.	On every direction for division or appropriation of the assets of a society: where the value of the assets is £1,000 or less, 20 per cent. (19 per cent.) of that value; where the value of the assets exceeds £1,000, £200 (£190), with an additional £10 for every £100 or part thereof in excess of £1,000.	
4.	On every application for a certificate of exemption under Article 12 of the Order ...	110 (100)
5.	On every reference of a dispute under Article 36(2) of the Order and including the first £25 claimed ...	6 (5.50)
	and for every additional £25 or part thereof claimed ...	1.75 (1.65)
	up to a maximum fee of £60 (£55); where the dispute relates to the rights of the parties without involving any pecuniary claim ...	5.50 (5)
6.	On every application under Article 36(3) of the Order for every £1 or part of £1 awarded to be paid ...	0.15 (0.15)
7.	On every application for sanction to an amalgamation or transfer of engagements under Article 39 of the Order ...	275 (255)
	and in addition for every day or part of a day occupied in hearing representations pursuant to that Article ...	50 (45)

<i>Fee Number</i>	<i>Matter</i>	<i>Amount £</i>	
8.	For every inspection on the same day of documents in the custody of the Commissioner relating to one and the same society or company	... 3·75	(3·50)
9.	For the provision of a copy of the whole of or an extract from any document:		
	(a) where the copy is a photocopy and is not certified as a true copy of a document in the custody of the Commissioner:		
	(i) where the copy does not exceed 5 pages, or for the first 5 pages of a copy which exceeds 5 pages;	... 1	(1)
	(ii) for every page of a copy after the fifth page;	... 0·20	(0·20)
	(b) where the copy is not a photocopy and is not so certified:		
	(i) where the copy does not exceed 216 words, or for the first 216 words of a copy which exceeds 216 words;	... 7·50	(7)
	(ii) for each complete folio of 72 words by which a copy exceeds 216 words; and	... 1·50	(1·40)
	(c) where the copy, whether a photocopy or not, is certified as mentioned in subparagraph (a) (as an addition to whatever fee would be payable if the copy were not so certified).	... 3·75	(3·50)

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations supersede the Industrial Assurance (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1990.

The Regulations generally increase by between 6% and 11% the fees to be paid for matters transacted or arising under the Industrial Assurance (Northern Ireland) Order 1979 and for the inspection, or furnishing of copies, of documents in the custody of the Commissioner. However, Fee No. 6 in the Schedule, relating to an application for a Commissioner's award where a doubt has arisen as to the continued existence of the person on whose life a policy has been taken out, and Fees No. 9(a)(i) and (ii) relating to the provision of uncertified photocopies of documents in the custody of the Commissioner, have not been increased.