1993 No. 129

RATES

Rates (Regional Rate) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993

Made 23rd March 1993 Coming into operation 1st April 1993

To be laid before Parliament under paragraph 3(3) of Schedule I to the Northern Ireland Act 1974

The Department of Finance and Personnel(a), in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Articles 2(2), 7(1) and 27(4) of the Rates (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(b) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Rates (Regional Rate) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1993.

Regional Rate

2. In Article 2 of the Rates (Regional Rate) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993(c) (which makes a regional rate for the year ending 31st March 1994) for '145.98 pence' there shall be substituted '139.98 pence'.

Reduction of regional rate on dwellings

3. In Article 3 of the Rates (Regional Rate) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993 (which fixes the amount by which the normal regional rate for the year ending 31st March 1994 is to be reduced for the purposes of paragraphs (2) and (3) of Article 27 of the Rates (Northern Ireland) Order 1977) for '80 pence' there shall be substituted '74 pence'.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel on 23rd March 1993.

(L.S.)

F. G. McConnell

Assistant Secretary

⁽a) Formerly the Department of Finance. See S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Article 3

⁽b) S.I. 1977/2157 (N.I. 28) (c) See S.R. 1993 No. 68

Rates EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends the Rates (Regional Rate) Order (Northern Ireland) 1993. Article 2 reduces the regional rate made by that order from 145.98 pence to 139.98 pence. Article 3 reduces the amount by which the normal regional rate is reduced in respect of dwelling-houses and hereditaments which, though not dwelling-houses, are used partly for the purposes of private dwellings from 80 pence to 74 pence.