

1995 No. 485

**REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES,
ETC.****ADOPTION****The Adopted Persons (Contact Register) (Fees) Regulations
(Northern Ireland) 1995**

Made 19th December 1995

Coming into operation 19th February 1996

The Department of Finance and Personnel, in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 54A(3) and (5)(a) of the Adoption (Northern Ireland) Order 1987(b) and now vested in it(c) and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Adopted Persons (Contact Register) (Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1995 and shall come into operation on 19th February 1996.

(2) In these regulations—

“The Order” means the Adoption (Northern Ireland) Order 1987;

“the register” means the Adoption Contact Register maintained by the Registrar General under Article 54A(1) of the Order.

Fees payable

2.—(1) The fee payable for the entry of the name and address of an adopted person in the register under Article 54A(3) of the Order is £9.50.

(2) The fee payable for the entry of the name and address of a relative of an adopted person in the register under Article 54A(5) of the Order is £27.50.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel
on 19th December 1995.

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Edgar F. Jardine

Assistant Secretary

(a) As inserted by paragraph 159 of Schedule 9 to S.I. 1995/755 (N.I. 2)

(b) S.I. 1987/2203 (N.I. 22) as amended by S.R. 1993 No. 494; *see* also the definition of “prescribed” as substituted by paragraph 138(7) of Schedule 9 to S.I. 1995/755 (N.I. 2)

(c) S.R. 1993 No. 494 Article 3

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the regulations.)

These regulations prescribe the fees payable for the entry of the name and address of an adopted person and for the entry of the name and address of a relative of an adopted person in the Adoption Contact Register. The register is to be maintained by the Registrar General under Article 54A of the Adoption (Northern Ireland) Order 1987 inserted in that Order by an amendment made by paragraph 159 of Schedule 9 to the Children (Northern Ireland) Order 1995.