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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2015 No. 72**

**PLANNING**

**The Planning (General Development  
Procedure) Order (Northern Ireland) 2015**

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*Coming into operation 1st April 2015*

**THE PLANNING (GENERAL DEVELOPMENT  
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