

1. Article 11 of the Electricity Board for Northern Ireland Borrowing Regulations, 1931(a), shall have effect as if there were inserted after the word "raised" where it first appears and before the words "any sum" the following words:—

"or with like consent lend to local authorities or other public bodies".

2.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Electricity Board for Northern Ireland Borrowing (Amendment) Regulations, 1957, and shall come into force on the thirtieth day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-seven.

(2) These Regulations shall be construed as one with the Electricity Board for Northern Ireland Borrowing Regulations, 1931, the Electricity Board for Northern Ireland Borrowing (Amendment) Regulations, 1935(b), and the Electricity Board for Northern Ireland Borrowing (Amendment) Regulations, 1939(c), and those Regulations and these Regulations may be cited together as the Electricity Board for Northern Ireland Borrowing Regulations, 1931 to 1957.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland this eleventh day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-seven in the presence of

(L.S.)

Arthur Acheson Farrell,
Assistant Secretary.

The foregoing Regulations are approved by the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this twenty-fifth day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-seven in the presence of

(L.S.)

W. W. Arthur,
Assistant Secretary.

EXPLOSIVE SUBSTANCE

ORDER IN COUNCIL DATED 17TH MAY, 1957, MADE UNDER SECTIONS FORTY-THREE, EIGHTY-THREE AND ONE HUNDRED AND FOUR OF THE EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1875.

1957. No. 86

[C]

BY THE GOVERNOR IN THE PRIVY COUNCIL OF NORTHERN IRELAND
WAKEHURST

Whereas on the sixth day of August, 1942, an Order in Council was made under the Explosives Act, 1875, prohibiting the manufacture, keeping, conveyance or sale of acetylene when an explosive as defined in that Order

(a) S.R. & O. (N.I.), 1931, No. 142. (c) S.R. & O. (N.I.), 1935, No. 43.
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.), 1939, No. 14.

And whereas it is expedient that amended provision should be made in respect of the conditions and restrictions relating to the apparatus in which acetylene is manufactured or kept, and in respect to acetylene which is being used in the production of organic compounds

Now therefore I, John de Vere, Baron Wakehurst, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor of Northern Ireland, by and with the advice of the Privy Council of Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers vested in me by sections forty-three, eighty-three and one hundred and four of the Explosives Act, 1875, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order as follows:—

1. For paragraph (a) of Article 3 of the Order in Council made under the Explosives Act, 1875(a), and dated the sixth day of August, 1942(b) (which paragraph sets out the conditions under which acetylene deemed to be an explosive may be manufactured or kept), there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

“(a) to the manufacture or keeping of acetylene so long as it is manufactured or kept only on such premises, in such apparatus and under such conditions as may be approved by the Minister, and so long only as any apparatus in which it is so manufactured or kept is, if and whenever so required, submitted to tests carried out on his behalf, so however that—

- (i) in any case where the acetylene is being used in the production of organic compounds, the pressure to which it is subjected shall not exceed three hundred pounds per square inch above that of the atmosphere, and unless the pressure to which it is subjected does not exceed twenty-two pounds per square inch above that of the atmosphere, the acetylene shall not be used in admixture with air or oxygen, and
- (ii) in any other case, the pressure to which it is subjected shall not exceed twenty-two pounds to the square inch above that of the atmosphere; or”.

2. This Order may be cited as the Compressed Acetylene Order (Northern Ireland), 1957, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of June, 1957.

Given at Government House, Hillsborough, this seven-teenth day of May, 1957.

Brookeborough.
Terence O'Neill.
Ivan Neill.
W. M. May.
Glentoran.
J. L. O. Andrews.
Alex. R. G. Gordon.

(a) 38 and 39 Vict. c. 17.

(b) S.R. & O. 1942 [No. 128] P. 92.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

Under the Order in Council of 6th August, 1942, it is prohibited to manufacture, keep, convey or sell acetylene compressed to over nine pounds per square inch above atmospheric pressure, subject to an exception (amongst others) that acetylene at pressures of not over twenty-two pounds per square inch above atmospheric pressure may be manufactured and kept on premises, and under conditions, approved by the Minister of Home Affairs. This amendment provides that the apparatus used in the manufacture or keeping shall, whenever required be submitted to tests carried out on behalf of the Minister, and makes a further exception allowing, subject to the same conditions as to approval and tests, the use of acetylene in the production of organic compounds at pressures not over three hundred pounds per square inch above atmospheric pressure and not mixed with air or oxygen.

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ORDER, DATED 1ST JANUARY, 1957, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF LABOUR
AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER THE FAMILY ALLOWANCES AND
NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1956.

1957. No. 5

[NC]

Whereas it is provided by subsection (1) of section 7 of the Family Allowances and National Insurance Act (Northern Ireland), 1956(a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") that "the appointed day" shall be such day as the Minister of Labour and National Insurance may by order appoint:

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Ivan Neill, Minister of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland, hereby make the following Order:—

1. The appointed day for the purposes of subsection (5) and of subsection (6) of section 2 of the Act shall be the 4th February, 1957.

2. This Order may be cited as the Family Allowances, National Insurance and Industrial Injuries (Commencement) Order (Northern Ireland), 1957.