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European Parliamentary Elections  
(Northern Ireland) Regulations 2004

PART 2

*The Election Campaign*

**Effect of default in election agent's appointment**

37.—(1) If no person's name and address is given as required by regulation 34 as the election agent of a candidate who remains validly nominated at the latest time for delivery of notices of withdrawals, the candidate shall be deemed at that time to have named himself as election agent and to have revoked any appointment of another person as his election agent.

- (a) (2) (a) the person whose name and address have been so given as those of the candidate's election agent (not being the candidate himself) dies, and
- (b) a new appointment is not made on the day of the death or on the following day, the candidate shall be deemed to have appointed himself as from the time of death.

(3) If the appointment of a candidate's election agent is revoked without a new appointment being made, the candidate himself shall be deemed to have been appointed (or re-appointed) election agent.

(4) The deemed appointment of a candidate as his own election agent may be revoked as if it were an actual appointment.

(5) Where a candidate is by virtue of this regulation to be treated as his own election agent, he shall be deemed to have his office at his address as given in the statement as to persons nominated.

(6) The appropriate officer on being satisfied that a candidate is by virtue of this regulation to be treated as his own election agent, shall forthwith proceed to publish the like notice as if the name and address of the candidate and the address of his office had been duly given to him under regulations 34 and 36.