
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1981 No. 231

Weights and Measures (Northern Ireland) Order 1981

PART VII

MISCELLANEOUS AND SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS

Inspectors of weights and measures

40.—(1) The Department, with the approval of the Department of the Civil Service as to numbers and salaries, shall appoint from among persons holding certificates of qualification under paragraph (2) a chief inspector of weights and measures and such number of other inspectors of weights and measures as may be necessary for the efficient discharge of the functions conferred or imposed on inspectors under this Order or any enactment falling to be repealed by it [^{F1}and the packaged goods regulations], and may assign to them their duties, and may regulate the cases and manner in which the inspectors, or any of them, are to execute and perform the functions of inspectors under this Order or any such enactment [^{F1}and the packaged goods regulations].

(2) The Department may make such arrangements as it thinks fit for the purpose of ascertaining whether persons possess sufficient skill and knowledge for the proper performance of the functions of an inspector, and for the grant of certificates of qualification to persons who satisfy the Department that they are suitable for appointment as inspectors.

(3) ^{F2}

F1 Words in art. 40(1) inserted (1.11.2011) by [Weights and Measures \(Packaged Goods\) Regulations \(Northern Ireland\) 2011 \(S.R. 2011/331\)](#), reg. 22, **Sch. 1 Pt. 2 para. 5** (with regs. 3, 21)

F2 Art. 40(3) repealed (1.10.2006) by [Employment Equality \(Age\) Regulations \(Northern Ireland\) 2006 \(S.R. 2006/261\)](#), reg. 53(2), **Sch. 8(1)** (with reg. 50)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Weights and Measures (Northern Ireland) Order 1981, Section 40.