
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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The Electricity and Gas (Market Integrity and Transparency)
(Enforcement etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013

PART 8

Offences

Jurisdiction and procedure in respect of offences

49.—(1) A fine imposed on an unincorporated association on its conviction of an offence is to be paid out of the funds of the association.

(2) Proceedings for an offence alleged to have been committed by an incorporated association must be brought in the name of the association (and not in that of any of its members).

(3) Rules of court relating to the service of documents are to have effect as if the association were a body corporate.

(4) In proceedings for an offence brought against an unincorporated association section 18 of the Criminal Justice Act (Northern Ireland) 1945^{M1} and Schedule 4 to the Magistrates' Courts (Northern Ireland) Order 1981^{M2} apply as they do in relation to a body corporate.

(5) Summary proceedings for an offence may be taken—

(a) against a body corporate or unincorporated association at any place at which it has a place of business;

(b) against an individual at any place where the individual is for the time being.

(6) In this regulation “offence” means an offence under these Regulations.

Marginal Citations

M1 1945 c.15. Section 18 was amended by Article 10 of the Prosecution of Offences (Northern Ireland) Order 1972 and Paragraph 1 of Schedule 12 of the Justice (Northern Ireland) Act 2002 c.26.

M2 1981 No. 1675 (NI 26).

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Electricity and Gas (Market Integrity and Transparency) (Enforcement etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2013, Section 49.