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STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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**2015 No. 66**

The Planning (Control of Advertisements)  
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015

PART 4

MISCELLANEOUS

**Exercise of discontinuance powers by the Department**

**19.**—(1) If it appears to the Department, after consultation with the council, that a discontinuance notice should be served under regulation 7, the Department may itself serve such a notice.

(2) Where the Department exercises its powers under paragraph (1), regulation 7 shall apply in relation to it as it applies in relation to a council as if for references to the council there were substituted references to the Department.

**Discontinuance notice in respect of council's advertisement**

**20.**—(1) If the Department is satisfied that it is necessary to remedy a substantial injury to the amenity of the locality or a danger to members of the public, it may serve a discontinuance notice under regulation 7 in relation to an advertisement displayed by an interested council.

(2) Regulation 7 shall apply in relation to a discontinuance notice served under paragraph (1) as it applies in relation to a discontinuance notice served by a council, with such modifications as may be necessary.

**Revocation**

**21.** The Planning (Control of Advertisements) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1992(1) are revoked.