

5. An insured contributor shall be exempt from the obligation to attend at a Local Office and sign the unemployed register as a condition of qualification for or receipt of unemployment benefit upon any day on which the insured contributor duly attends an approved course of instruction, in accordance with the Insurance Officer's requirements.

6. In the event of an insured contributor being excluded from an approved course of instruction on the ground of misbehaviour or unpunctuality or failing, without sufficient cause, to attend for the full period specified by the Insurance Officer, he shall not be deemed to have satisfied the statutory conditions for the receipt of unemployment benefit on any day of such exclusion or failure, unless after consideration of any special circumstances it has been otherwise determined in accordance with Section 11 of the Act or Regulation 7 of the Unemployment Insurance (Associations) Regulations, 1920.

7. An insured contributor who is attending an approved course of instruction shall not be deemed to have proved that he is unable to obtain suitable employment if he fails to present himself at the Local Office for interview by an Officer of the Ministry of Labour in connection with a vacancy for employment, when so required, and if so required, he shall be deemed to be available for work notwithstanding the fact that he is attending an approved course of instruction.

8. The Unemployment Insurance (Courses of Instruction) (Ireland) Regulations, 1921, are hereby repealed in so far as those Regulations apply in Northern Ireland.

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour  
for Northern Ireland, this third day of April, 1925.

(L.S.)

(Signed)

*J. A. Dale,*

Secretary to the Ministry of Labour  
for Northern Ireland.

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### Deceased or Insane Persons (Appointment of Representatives).

MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND  
UNDER THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTS (NORTHERN  
IRELAND), 1920 TO 1924.

1925. No. 79.

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry"), in pursuance of Section 35 of the principal Act, as amended by Section 11 of the Unemployment Insurance (No. 2) Act (Northern Ireland), 1924, and of all

other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following regulations :—

1.—(1) Where any sums are payable out of the unemployment fund to or in respect of an insured contributor at the time of his decease, and probate of the will of such insured contributor is not, or letters of administration to his estate and effects are not, produced within such time as the Ministry thinks reasonable, the Ministry may, without requiring probate of the will or letters of administration to the estate and effects of the deceased insured contributor, in its discretion appoint as the person to receive such sums or any part thereof on behalf of or as representative of such insured contributor any person who shall in the opinion of the Ministry establish a claim to the said sums or any part thereof under any of the following descriptions, that is to say :—

Deceased  
Persons.

- (a) a person who has paid the funeral expenses of the insured contributor ;
- (b) a creditor of the insured contributor ;
- (c) the widow or widower of the insured contributor ;
- (d) a person entitled to the effects of the insured contributor according to the statutes of distribution ;
- (e) a person entitled to take out probate or letters of administration to the insured contributor ;
- (f) a person undertaking to maintain the children of the insured contributor.

(2) In making such appointment as aforesaid the Ministry shall have regard to the claims of the persons described in paragraph 1, sub-paragraphs (a) to (f) hereof, but it may, nevertheless, when it considers that injustice, hardship, or inconvenience would result from the appointment of such persons make such other appointment as it shall judge proper.

Persons of  
unsound  
mind.

2.—(1) When an insured contributor, to or in respect of whom any sums are payable out of the unemployment fund becomes of unsound mind an application for any sums so payable shall be made by the committee of his estate or the person by whom any of the powers of the committee of his estate are exercisable.

(2) The form of receipt issued on such application shall be made out in the name of such committee or person by whom any of the powers of such committee are exercisable, and the receipt of such committee or person shall be a good discharge to the Minister and the unemployment fund for the sum specified in such receipt.

(3) Where an insured contributor becomes of unsound mind and no committee of his estate, or person authorised to exercise any of the powers of a committee of his estate, has been appointed, the Ministry may, when it is satisfied that it is just and expedient so to do, appoint any person whom it shall judge proper, to receive on behalf of or as representative of such insured contributor any sums payable out of the unemployment fund to or in respect of him.

3. The receipt of any person appointed under these regulations shall be a good discharge to the Ministry and the unemployment fund for the sum paid, notwithstanding that such person being above the age of 16 years has not attained the age of 21 years.

4. In these Regulations the expression "the principal Act" means the "Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, as adapted to Northern Ireland by the Government of Ireland (Adaptation of Unemployment Insurance Acts) Order, 1922, and the expression "unemployment fund" means the Northern Irish unemployment fund.

5. These regulations may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Deceased or Insane Persons) (Appointment of Representatives) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1925.

Given under the official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this fourth day of August, 1925.

(L.S.)

(Signed),

*H. Conacher,*

Assistant Secretary to the Ministry  
of Labour for Northern Ireland.

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### Employment under Local and Public Authorities.

MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR FOR NORTHERN IRELAND  
UNDER PARAGRAPH (c.) OF PART I OF THE FIRST SCHEDULE  
TO THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT, 1920 (10 & 11  
GEO. 5, c. 30).

1925. No. 70.\*

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland, in pursuance of the powers conferred on it by paragraph (c) of Part I of the First Schedule to the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") hereby orders as follows:—

1. Employment of any class specified in the Schedule to this Order under any Local or other Public Authority shall be deemed not to be employment within the meaning of the Act.

2. The Unemployment Insurance (Employment under Local and Public Authorities) Exclusion Order, 1921 (a) is hereby revoked but without prejudice to any right, privilege, obligation, or liability acquired, accrued or incurred thereunder.

3. References in this Order to the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, and the Unemployment Insurance (Employment under Local and Public Authorities) Exclusion Order, 1921, shall be construed as references to that Act and that Order as they are in force in Northern Ireland.

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\*Revoked, see post, p. 381.