

Given under the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland this 17th day of June, nineteen hundred and forty.

(L.S.)

*William Allen,*  
Assistant Secretary to the Ministry of Labour  
for Northern Ireland.

The National Health Insurance Joint Committee consents to these regulations.

Given under the Official Seal of the National Health Insurance Joint Committee this 17th day of June, nineteen hundred and forty.

(L.S.)

*H. N. Howorth,*  
Secretary to the National Health Insurance  
Joint Committee.

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### Verification of Births, etc.

REGULATIONS, DATED 21ST DECEMBER, 1940, MADE BY THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL UNDER THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION (IRELAND) ACTS, 1863 TO 1880, AND THE MARRIAGES (IRELAND) ACT, 1844, AS APPLIED BY SUB-SECTION (1) OF SECTION 33 OF THE WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1936.

1940. No. 167.

The Registrar-General for Northern Ireland, in pursuance of the Births and Deaths Registration (Ireland) Acts, 1863 to 1880, and the Marriages (Ireland) Act, 1844, as applied by sub-section (1) of Section 33 of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act (Northern Ireland), 1936, and with the approbation of the Governor of Northern Ireland, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1.—These Regulations may be cited as the Contributory Pensions (Verification of Births, etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1940.

2.—Every Superintendent Registrar and every Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and every Registrar of Marriages, on receiving from the Registrar-General a requisition for the verification of particulars relating to a birth, death, or marriage, for the purposes of Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions, shall immediately search in the Indexes and Registers in his custody for an entry of the birth, death, or marriage (hereinafter referred to as the "event") of which particulars are given in the Requisition.

3.—(1) If an entry is found which appears to the Superintendent Registrar or Registrar to relate to the event, he shall mark the requisition as "found," stating the number of the entry.

(2) If any of the particulars contained in the entry differ from the particulars given in the requisition form, or if any particulars have been omitted from the requisition form, the Superintendent Registrar or Registrar shall, in addition to marking the requisition "found" together with the number of the entry, enter in the appropriate space a copy of the particulars concerned, as they appear in the Register.

4.—If after the requisite search has been made in the indexes and registers, no entry is found which appears to the Superintendent Registrar or Registrar to relate to the event he shall mark the requisition as "not found."

5.—The Superintendent Registrar or Registrar shall sign and date each requisition completed as aforesaid, and return it to the Registrar-General.

6.—The Registrar-General shall cause to be paid to the Superintendent Registrar or Registrar, at such intervals as may be approved by the Ministry of Finance, a fee of eightpence for each requisition which has been dealt with in accordance with these Regulations.

7.—The Contributory Pensions (Verification of Births, etc.) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1925, are hereby revoked.

Given under my Hand this 21st day of December, 1940.

W. A. Carson,  
Registrar-General.

Approved,  
Abercorn.

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## DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS.

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### Importation of Plants.

ORDER, DATED 10TH DAY OF JUNE, 1940, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE UNDER THE DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS ACTS (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1877 TO 1934 (40 AND 41 VICT., CH. 68; 7 EDW. 7, CH. 4; 24 AND 25 GEO. 5, CH. 4).

1940. No. 47.

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in it under the Destructive Insects