



# Firearms (Amendment) Act 1997

## 1997 CHAPTER 5

### PART III

#### REGULATION OF FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION

##### *Registered firearms dealers*

#### **42 Authorised dealing with firearms by registered firearms dealers**

- (1) In section 8 of the 1968 Act (authorised dealing with firearms), after subsection (1) there shall be inserted the following subsection—

“(1A) Subsection (1) above applies to the possession, purchase or acquisition of a firearm or ammunition in the ordinary course of the business of a firearms dealer notwithstanding that the firearm or ammunition is in the possession of, or purchased or acquired by, the dealer or his servant at a place which is not a place of business of the dealer or which he has not registered as a place of business under section 33 or 37 of this Act.”

- (2) In section 33(3) of the 1968 Act (applications for registration as firearms dealer)—
- (a) for the words from the beginning to “applicant” there shall be substituted the words “An applicant for registration as a firearms dealer”;
  - (b) after the word “shall”, in the second place it appears, there shall be inserted the words “(if he registers the applicant as a firearms dealer)”.