



# Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2022

## 2022 CHAPTER 48

### *Executive formation*

- 2 Power to extend period for making Ministerial appointments by a further six weeks**
- (1) The Secretary of State may by regulations made by statutory instrument amend [section 1](#) so as to replace “8 December 2022” with “19 January 2023”.
  - (2) The power in [subsection \(1\)](#)—
    - (a) may be exercised before, on or after 8 December 2022, but
    - (b) may not be exercised after the end of the period of seven days beginning with the day on which this Act is passed.
  - (3) A statutory instrument containing regulations under [subsection \(1\)](#) must be laid before Parliament after being made.