**1978 No. 325**

# CORONERS

## Coroners (Salaries, Fees and Expenses) (Amendment No. 3) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1978

*Made* . . . . . *23rd October* 1978

*Coming into operation* . . . *1st December* 1978

*To be laid before Parliament* . .

The Secretary of State in pursuance of section 36(1)(*a*) of the Coroners Act (Northern Ireland) 1959(**a**) read with section 18 of the Administrative and Financial Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 1962(**b**), after consultation with the Minister for the Civil Service, hereby makes the following rules:

*Citation, commencement and effect*

**1.** These rules may be cited as the Coroners (Salaries, Fees and Expenses) (Amendment No. 3) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1978 and shall come into operation on 1st December 1978 and shall have effect as from 1st April 1978.

*Fee payable for making post-mortem examination*

**2.** Rule 6 of the Coroners (Salaries, Fees and Expenses) Rules (Northern Ireland) 1971(**c**) shall be amended by substituting the amount "£15.80" for the amount "£12.61".

*Roy Mason*
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State

Northern Ireland Office
23rd October 1978.

(a) 1959 c. 15 (N.I.) as modified by S.I. 1973/2163 (1973 III, p. 7541)
(b) 1962 c. 7 (N.I.)
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1971 No. 206 (p. 1006) as amended by S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1972 No. 254 (p. 1395), S.R. 1975 No. 142 (I. p. 861) and S.R. 1975 No. 282 (II, p. 1368)

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the rules but is intended to indicate their general purport.)*

These rules provide for an increase in the fee payable to a registered medical practitioner on the list approved by the Secretary of State under section 26 of the Coroners Act (Northern Ireland) 1959 (not being employed by the Secretary of State under section 27(2)) who makes a post-mortem examination of a body by the coroner's direction or at the coroner's request and reports the result thereof to the coroner.

Retrospection is authorised by section 18 of the Administration and Financial Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 1962.