County Boroughs, Boroughs, and Urban Districts: Officers' Qualifications.

THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES (ARCHITECTS QUALIFICATIONS) ORDER, 1936.

1936. No. 140.

To the Council of each County Borough, Borough and Urban District in Northern Ire[l]

And to all whom it may concern:

The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland (hereinafter referred to as "the Ministry") in exercise of the powers vested in it by Section 18 of the Local Government Act (Northern Ireland), 1934, and of every other power in that behalf enabling the Ministry hereby prescribes with respect to the appointment of Architects and Assistant Architects of County Borough, Borough and Urban District Councils in Northern Ireland, as follows, that is to say:—

1. No person shall be qualified to be appointed to the office of Architect or Assistant Architect of a County Borough, Borough, or Urban District Council in Northern Ireland unless:—

(*a*) he is a Fellow or Associate of the Royal Institute of British Architects;

(*b*) he produces satisfactory evidence to the Ministry that his health and character are good;

(*c*) he is a natural born British subject and the son of a father also a natural born British subject, and has during the whole of the period of five years ending on the date of appointment been resident in the United Kingdom; and

(*d*) at the date of his appointment by the County Borough, Borough or Urban District Council he is in the case of an applicant for the position of Architect not less than 30 years of age.

2.—(1) The provisions of this Order shall come into operation on the 19th day of October, 1936.

(2) The Ministry may from time to time assent to any departure from the provisions of this Order.

3. This Order may be cited as "The Local Authorities (Architects Qualifications) Order, 1936."

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this Sixteenth day of October, 1936.

(L.S.) *A. Robinson,*
Assistant Secretary.