In pursuance of sub-sections (3) (*b*) and (4) of Section 3 of the Intoxicating Liquor Act (Northern Ireland), 1923, as amended by the Intoxicating Liquor (Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1925, and by the Exchequer and Financial Provisions (No. 2) Act (Northern Ireland), 1936, the Ministry of Finance hereby determine that the rates at which charges are to be levied in respect of all licences for the sale of intoxicating liquor by retail granted or renewed during the year ending 30th September, 1938, shall be eleven shillings and ten pence for each pound sterling of the maximum rates of charge authorised by sub-section (1) of Section 1 of the Intoxicating Liquor (Finance) Act (Northern Ireland), 1925.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Finance this Seventeenth day of August, 1937.

G. C. Duggan,
Assistant Secretary.

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THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (POSTPONEMENT OF ELECTIONS) ORDER, 1937, DATED THE 27TH DAY OF JULY, 1937.

1937. No. 70.

BY THE GOVERNOR IN THE PRIVY COUNCIL OF NORTHERN IRELAND.

ABERCORN.

WHEREAS it is provided by the Local Government (Postponement of Elections) Act (Northern Ireland), 1937, that as respects the year nineteen hundred and thirty-seven in the case of the council of any borough or other urban district, or the commissioners of any town, the ordinary day of election of aldermen, councillors, or commissioners should be postponed from the fifteenth day of May to such day, not later than the first day of December in the said year, as the Governor of Northern Ireland may by Order in the Privy Council of Northern Ireland appoint.

And whereas it is further provided by the said Act that such Order in Council shall as respects any case in which the election day is postponed by virtue of the said Act, appoint the several days referred to in sub-section two of section one of the said Act.

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Now, therefore, I, James Albert Edward, Duke of Abercorn, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight of the Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Governor of Northern Ireland, by and with the advice of the Privy Council of Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers vested in me by the Local Government (Postponement of Elections) Act (Northern Ireland), 1937, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby order as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Local Government (Postponement of Elections) Order, 1937.

2. As respects the year nineteen hundred and thirty-seven in the case of the council of any borough or other urban district, or the commissioners of any town, the ordinary day of election of aldermen, councillors, or commissioners shall be the fifteenth day of October in the said year.

3. As respects any case in which the election day is postponed by virtue of the said Act, the following days are hereby appointed, that is to say :—

(*a*) In the case of the council of an urban district other than a borough, and of the commissioners of a town, the day of the annual meeting and ordinary day of election of the chairman and vice-chairman of the council or commissioners, shall be the twenty-third day of October, or such day not more than three days earlier or later than that day, as the council or town commissioners may at a previous meeting decide ;

(*b*) In the case of the council of a borough, the day on which the quarterly meeting next after the election day shall be the twenty-third day of October, or such day not more than three days earlier or later than that day as the council may at a previous meeting decide ;

(*c*) In a borough the ordinary day of retirement of the mayor, including, in the county borough of Belfast, the lord mayor, shall be the twenty-third day of October ;

(*d*) In a county of a city the day on which the person appointed to the office of sheriff enters on the said office shall be the twenty-third day of November ;

(*e*) In the case of any council or commissioners mentioned in paragraph (*a*) or paragraph (*b*) of sub-section two of section one of the aforesaid Act, the day for the doing of anything which is, by law, required to be done at the annual or quarterly meeting therein mentioned shall be the twenty-third day of October, or such day not more than three days earlier or later than that day as the council or commissioners may at a previous meeting decide.

Given at Government House, Hillsborough, this twenty-seventh day of July, 1937.

John M. Andrews.
R. Dawson Bates.
A. B. Babington.
D. Graham Shillington.

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ELECTIONS) ORDER, 1937, DATED THE 30TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1937.

1937. No. 71.

The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland in exercise of the powers vested in it by the Local Government Acts (Northern Ireland), 1898 to 1937, hereby orders and directs that notwithstanding anything in any Order to the contrary the times for the proceedings at the elections of Councillors (or Aldermen or Councillors) in County Boroughs and Boroughs and of Urban District Councillors shall in the year 1937 be as set out in the Table in the Schedule hereto.

This Order may be cited as the Local Government (Elections) Order, 1937.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this 30th day of August, One thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

(L.S.) *W. A. Magill,*
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Proceedings.	Time.
1. Notice of Election	Not later than October 1.
2. Receipt of Nomination Papers. ..	Not later than five o'clock p.m. on October 5.
3. Withdrawal of Candidates. ..	Not later than five o'clock p.m. on October 6.
4. Sending Notice of decision as to validity of Nomination Papers.	As soon as practicable after receipt, but in any case not later than October 7.
5. Making out Statement as to persons validly nominated.	Not later than October 7.
6. Notice of Poll	Not later than October 8.
7. Day of election	October 15.