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NORTHERN IRELAND

The Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1973 (Amendment) Order 1975

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Whereas, under section 19(4) of the Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1973(**a**), the Secretary of State may add to Schedule 2 to that Act any organisation that appears to him to be concerned in terrorism or in promoting or encouraging it:

And whereas it appears to me that by reason of urgency it is necessary to make this Order without a draft thereof having been approved by resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Merlyn Rees, One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in pursuance of sections 19(4) and 29 of the said Act of 1973, hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1973 (Amendment) Order 1975 and shall come into operation on 4th October 1975.

2.—(1) In this Order, "the Act" means the Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1973, as amended by any enactment or under any enactment, including that Act.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(**b**) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The following organisation, that is to say,—

"The Ulster Volunteer Force.",

is hereby added to Schedule 2 to the Act (which specifies organisations which are proscribed organisations for the purposes of sections 19 and 23 of the Act).

Merlyn Rees,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Northern Ireland Office.
3rd October 1975.

(a) 1973 c. 53.

(b) 1889 c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order adds the Ulster Volunteer Force to the list of proscribed organisations contained in Schedule 2 to the Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1973. (The Ulster Volunteer Force was removed from Schedule 2 by the Northern Ireland (Emergency Provisions) Act 1973 (Amendment) Order 1974 (S.I. 1974/864).)

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